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Position Title	Assistant Extension Professor
Number of Positions	1
Internal/External Posting:	External
Area of Specialization	
Department	Animal & Dairy Science
Department Profile	
Position Function	The Department of Animal and Dairy Sciences at Mississippi State University is seeking applications for the position of Assistant Extension Professor with emphasis in equine nutrition, forages, reproduction, or health. The position is a 100% Extension 12-month non-tenure track appointment
Essential Duties and Responsibilities	The successful candidate will be responsible for providing statewide leadership and support of the equine industry with emphasis on adult education (75%) and Youth 4-H programs (25%). Specific responsibilities include: develop an equine extension program that addresses the educational needs of equine producers and industry allied services; work cooperatively with the College of Veterinary Medicine on programs that serve the state and region; deliver statewide educational programs and develop educational materials, workshops, and in-service training for adults and 4-H youth, county extension personnel, and allied industries. The incumbent will work cooperatively and as a team with other extension and research professors, extension area agents, county extension personnel, and industry leaders to accomplish the mission of the Mississippi State University Extension Service. The Assistant Professor will develop educational materials, publications, and other media for use by extension staff and clientele. Additional duties include seeking external funds to support equine programs and working with the therapeutic riding program, regional equine extension programming efforts in the Southeast U.S. and actively participating in regional and national equine extension programs. The candidate must also have demonstrated excellent oral and written communication skills.
Minimum Qualifications	Qualifications include a Ph. D. in Animal Science or closely related field with experience in the equine industry. Candidates who are all but degree with a completion date of June 1, 2012 will be considered.
Will ABD's (all but dissertation) be considered?	Yes
Preferred Qualifications	Candidates with practical experience in the equine industry, working knowledge of equine management, and a farm or ranch background are preferred.
Knowledge, Skills and Abilities	
Working Conditions and Physical Effort	
Instructions for Applying	
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Position Open Date	05-23-2012
Position Close Date	
Position Category	Faculty
Tenure Track Status	Non Tenure-Track
Position Type	Regular
Full-Time/Part-Time	Full-Time
12-month/9-month	12 Month
Salary Grade	UC
Minimum	70000
Midpoint	
Maximum	70000
Work Location	Main Campus
Restricted Clause	None
PARF Number	6370
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