**POSITION**

**POST DOC – Plant Pathology**

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**College of Agriculture, Human & Natural Sciences**

**Department of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences**

**Position Description:** Tennessee State University (TSU) is seeking a full time, POST DOC in molecular plant pathology. The position is located at the TSU main campus in Nashville, Tennessee. Applicants are expected to have a strong foundation in the principles and concepts of plant pathology, mycology, molecular techniques, and relevant research experiences in the use of molecular tools to address applied issues in plant pathology. The incumbent is expected to have the ability to bridge basic and applied research in integrated disease management using biological control and host plant resistance. Although the incumbent will work under a research group leader as a supervisor, he/she is be expected to have some independence in carrying out the research, taking part in supervising graduate students as well as work-study undergraduate students. This is a great opportunity for career development in Plant Pathology in that the incumbent will take part in developing the research program to new levels and in grant writing. Applicants need to provide: 1) a completed online TSU employment application; 2) a cover letter highlighting qualifications and relevant skills related to the position; 3) a curriculum vitae; 4) names and contact information of at least three references; 5) copies of undergraduate and graduate transcripts.

**Minimum Requirements:** Ph.D. or ABD in Plant Pathology or related fields. Demonstrated training in Plant Pathology, Microbiology, Mycology and Molecular Biology; demonstrated ability to initiate, complete and publish research results in refereed publications, supervision of research support staff and/or mentoring of graduate and undergraduate students.

**Advertised Salary: $** 42,000 with benefits

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