

# Texas State University

## Job 2011-42

[College of Applied Arts](#)

[Department of Agriculture](#)

Position: Assistant or Associate Professor

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### **Responsibilities**

The Department of Agriculture invites applications for a 9-month tenure-track position at the Assistant or Associate Professor level with the possibility to teach one summer term. The position is primarily a teaching and research appointment in plant/soil science with other duties as assigned.

### **Qualifications**

#### **Required:**

- earned Ph.D. in plant science, soil science, plant and soil science, or other closely related area by May 31, 2011.
- effective communication and interpersonal skills and the ability to work effectively with faculty, students, and industry representatives.
- the potential to establish an independent, externally funded research program that complements existing programs in the Department of Agriculture at Texas State University
- the ability to teach courses in both plant and soil science at both the graduate and undergraduate levels
- the ability to mentor and advise undergraduate and graduate students

For appointment at the Associate Professor rank, applicant must meet the department and university requirements for that rank at Texas State University-San Marcos.

#### **Preferred:**

- demonstrated proficiency in computer software applications including those for designing Web pages and posting course materials, etc. on the Internet
- proficiency in a foreign language (preferably Spanish).
- post-doctoral and/or teaching experience
- a record of publications in appropriate peer-reviewed journals
- practical knowledge and experience with geospatial and/or remote sensing technologies

In addition to those skills listed above, the candidate will have at least 5 years of teaching or extension experience and a demonstrated consistent record of research and publications in peer-reviewed journals.

**Application Procedures**

Applicants should submit a letter of application including a description of research interests, a resume, and the names, addresses (including e-mail), and telephone number for three references to:

Dr. Tina Marie (Waliczek) Cade, Chair

e-mail: [tc10@txstate.edu](mailto:tc10@txstate.edu)

Search Committee

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