

REOPENING JOB ANNOUNCEMENT 24-03

Announcement Number	: 24-03
Position Title	: Assistant Professor
Annual Salary	: \$62,256.00
Location of Position	: University of Puerto Rico Mayagüez Campus Agricultural Extension Service Department of Animal Science https://www.uprm.edu/cian/
Opening Date	: April 15, 2024
Closing Date	: Until the position is filled

INTRODUCTION

The University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez is currently searching for candidates to teach courses and to research at the Department of Animal Sciences, especially related to animal and pre-veterinary sciences.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must have obtained a PH.D. in Animal Sciences or an equivalent degree from a higher education institution whose degrees or titles are recognized by the University of Puerto Rico. Knowledge in small ruminants and rabbits with experience in both formal and non-formal education. Strong communication skills with proficiency in both spoken and written Spanish and English. Ability to interpret and disseminate scientific or technical information related to your area of expertise. Skills in proposal writing, obtaining, and managing external funds. Willingness to work outside of regular working days and hours, as necessary. Willingness to work as part of a team and collaborate with associations, other professionals, and multidisciplinary organizations. Proficiency in Microsoft Office platforms (Outlook, Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Teams, One Drive) and Google (Gmail, Drive, Meet, Forms), among others, for developing educational materials and virtual teaching. Possession of a car and valid driver's license to operate motor vehicles, with a readiness to travel throughout Puerto Rico to carry out your duties. Availability to provide formal courses at the Mayagüez Campus of the University, as requested.

JOB DESCRIPTION

The successful candidate is expected to prepare, execute, and evaluate the work plan for your area of expertise based on the needs and social, economic, technological, environmental trends, and their impact in the industry you serve. Advice and train Family and Consumer Science Educators, Agricultural Agents, and the administrative staff of the Agricultural Extension Service in the preparation and execution of the work plan, addressing the priorities of your area of expertise. Must review, select and produce educational materials that meet the needs of local small ruminants and rabbit producers. Should coordinate and provide training to Agricultural Extension Service personnel in the four program areas related to your area of expertise using up-to-date scientific information. In addition, the candidate should be able to provide information, knowledge, and experience in his/her area of expertise through various in-person and virtual educational methodologies, such as training sessions, demonstrations, visits, meetings, circular and periodic letters, newsletters, radio and television programs, digital media, and any other emerging methodologies. Coordinate at the state level the work of your expertise with Agricultural Extension Service personnel, other components, of the College of Agricultural Sciences, and related entities at the local and international levels.

HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates should complete the job application in the following link: <https://www.upr.edu/ac/mdocs-posts/solicitud-de-empleo/>. A successful candidate should send the curriculum vitae, graduate and undergraduate official transcripts, research, teaching plans, and at least, three (3) professional references to:

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Some of the benefits offered by the University of Puerto Rico are medical plan, retirement, sick leave, and maternity or paternity leave.

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