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POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Post-Doctoral Scientist, Control of Invasive Aquatic Plants

A Post-doctoral Scientist position is available in The Department of Soil and Water at the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station in New Haven, Connecticut. The position is being funded through a USDA/ARS program on monitoring/controlling invasive aquatic weeds in Connecticut lakes. The candidate will design and conduct research to expand upon existing efforts at CAES on the biological control of invasive aquatic plants. Experiments will be conducted on both the greenhouse and field scale. Current research areas include the interaction between invertebrates and milfoil species under microcosm and field conditions, integrated biological and chemical control of invasive plants, and population level phylogenetic analysis of the milfoil weevil (*Euhrychiopsis lecontei*). The candidate is expected to acquire a CT boating license. Familiarity with aquatic plants is desirable. The duration of the position is 2 years. The starting salary is \$40,224/yr with medical and dental benefits. Interested candidates should submit the following: resume, cover letter summarizing qualifications, undergraduate and graduate transcripts, and the names, address, telephone number, and email addresses of at least 2 references. Applications will be accepted until April 1, 2009. **Jason C. White, Ph.D.,** Department of Soil and Water, The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, 123 Huntington Street, New Haven, CT 06504, tel. 203-974-8523, fax. 203-974-8502, jason.white@po.state.ct.us. *The CAES is an equal-opportunity employer.*

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