OPS Positions Announcement

Positions Available: 3, Available immediately

Job description

Assist with field and laboratory work to support the nutrient and water management research and extension within the Water Resources Program of the Agricultural and Biological Engineering Department located at the University of Florida-IFAS/Southwest Florida Research and Education Center in Immokalee, FL.

This job will consist of soil, plant, and water samplings, and harvests from multiple experimental locations located in agricultural settings. The duties of this position also involve working in the laboratory which includes but not limited to the preparation and processing of collected samples, packaging, and shipping for analyses. A valid Florida driver's license is required as employees will use a UF vehicle for travel to the various experimental sites.

This job requires the followings:

- Working outdoors under Florida's hot and humid conditions
- Standing and working in the field and laboratory
- Ability to lift up to 50 lbs. in the field for extended periods of time
- Other duties may also be required as needed by the program

Minimum Requirements:

A high school diploma or equivalent with one or more years of related experience that can equip the incumbent with knowledge, skills, and expertise to successfully perform the required duties. Experience in basic laboratory practices and working with agricultural field equipment is desired. Working knowledge of popular office software such as MS Office (Word, Excel) is preferred but not required. The positions are available immediately! Screening will start July 11, 2022.