

## Vacancy Announcement

# IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

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Vacancy ID #	120027
Title	Swine Farms Manager
Employing Department	Animal Science
Appointment Conditions	Continuous, Full Time
Proposed Start Date	As soon as possible
Job Description	<p>The Department of Animal Science at Iowa State University is currently accepting applications for a Swine Farms Manager. This position will be responsible for leading and managing the daily operations of three swine farms. Further, this position will be heavily involved with implementing research projects at all three units, which includes interaction with faculty and their research groups on conducting research trials; coordinating provision of animals for Animal Science classes; teaching specific labs for various courses in Animal Science; coordinating management of research trials held at other isolated swine units under Animal Science responsibility; oversight of unit maintenance of the facilities; fiscal management of the units; and supervising full-time, part-time and student employees. Finally, this position will be responsible for maintaining a high standard of farm management and care of swine at all the units.</p> <p>The successful candidate will have the ability to work well with a diverse set of employees; be highly organized; creatively solve problems; meet deadlines; and strong written and oral communication skills. The candidate will have the ability to manage multiple sites and develop and implement fiscal plans to maximize efficiencies at all units. Proficiency in personal computer applications (spreadsheets, databases and email) is needed for this position.</p>
Required Qualifications	<p>Bachelor's degree in Animal Science or closely related field and 4 years of experience. Experience will include supervising personnel, swine farm management and farm budget management.</p> <p>Master's degree in Animal Science or closely related field and experience in a research oriented program of study.</p> <p>Experience in managing research trials.</p>
Preferred Qualifications	<p>Previous teaching experience.</p> <p>Animal judging experience.</p> <p>Prior supervisory/personnel management experience.</p> <p>Experience that demonstrates knowledge in the areas of purchasing, accounting and budget management.</p>

Salary Minimum \$44,800; commensurate with qualifications

Special Qualifications (Merit only)

Position requires the ability to drive from one location to another in a university vehicle; a valid drivers' license is required by start date of employment.

Special Conditions

This position may require some weekend work.

All offers of employment, oral and written, are contingent upon the university's verification of credentials and other information required by federal and state law, ISU policies/procedures, and may include the completion of a background check.

To apply for this position, please click on "Apply for this Vacancy" and complete the Employment Application. Please be prepared to enter or attach the following:

Application Instructions

- 1) Resume/Curriculum Vitae
- 2) Letter of Application/Cover Letter
- 3) Contact information for three references

If you have questions regarding this vacancy, please email Dan Morrical at [morrical@iastate.edu](mailto:morrical@iastate.edu).

If you have questions regarding this application process, please email [employment@iastate.edu](mailto:employment@iastate.edu) or call 515-294-4800 or Toll Free: 1-877-477-7485.

To ensure consideration, submit application by:

01-24-2012

AFSCME Merit Contract Transfer Deadline

Quick Link

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