

MS Position – Applied Invasive Aquatic Plant Research

One MS Research Assistantship is available in the Department of Biological Sciences at Minnesota State University, Mankato to study and develop herbicide recommendations for the invasive floating aquatic plant European frogbit. The primary focus of investigation will be development and conducting of submersed and foliar herbicide trials for control of European frogbit. Applicants will be a part of a research team and as such may become involved in other projects. Applicants should have strong lab and field-based research experience, as well as, excellent organizational, quantitative, and analytical skills. Interest in applied aquatic plant research is necessary.

Funding for the position will be 12 months and contingent upon grant funding and performance.

Type of position – MS graduate assistantship

Salary - Minimum \$20,000/year

Benefits - Tuition is paid

Location – Minnesota State University, Mankato, Trafton Science Center South, Mankato, MN 56001

Closing Date – Open until filled

To apply, send cover letter, CV, unofficial transcripts, and the names and contact information of 3 references to Dr. Ryan M. Wersal at ryan.wersal@mnsu.edu. Position is open until filled.

For more information regarding Dr. Wersal's research lab go to:

<https://cset.mnsu.edu/departments/biological-sciences/faculty-and-staff/ryan-wersal/>

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