GRADUATE RESEARCH OPPORTUNITY

with the Animal Welfare and Environmental Systems Laboratory

POSITION
Graduate Research Assistant, M.S. or Ph.D.
Developing electronic technologies for assessment of cognitive function in piglets
Work with a multidisciplinary team focused on neurobiological and nutritional outcomes
Research assistantship available for either M.S. or Ph.D. level graduate

LOCATION
Agricultural and Biological Engineering Department
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Urbana, Illinois

APPLICATION DATE
Currently open. Screening of applications will begin immediately and continue until position is filled. The position is available beginning in August 2014.

QUALIFICATIONS
B.S. and/or M.S. degree in engineering, with a preference for agricultural, biological, or other closely related engineering or science discipline. Experience with sensor development, animal response measures and animal behavior is desirable, but not required. Applicants should meet the admissions criteria for the University of Illinois Graduate College (http://www.grad.illinois.edu) and for the Agricultural and Biological Engineering Department (http://www.abe.illinois.edu). Applicants must be able to think independently and work effectively with others. Strong oral and written communication skills are required.

SALARY & BENEFITS
Stipend package is commensurate with qualifications and experience. Position will include waiver of tuition.

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