



United States Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Research Service

Job Title: Biological Science Aid (Research Aid)

Hourly Pay Rate: \$15.30

Schedule Type: Temporary, Part-time, Flexible Hours

Job Begin Date: TBD

Number of Positions: 1

Job Description:

Assist USDA Research Scientists and Technicians with data management and field aspects of watershed monitoring projects at the National Laboratory for Agriculture and the Environment (NLAE) located on the Iowa State University campus: <https://www.ars.usda.gov/midwest-area/ames/nlae>

Work is performed in both laboratory and field settings year-round.

Duties include:

- sample and data collection from field sites
- conducting water flow measurements
- maintaining water monitoring stations and other field and laboratory equipment
- sample processing
- data entry and database management

****Work hours are part-time while classes are in session. Full-time work hours desired during holiday and summer breaks.****

Qualification Requirements: Education and/or experience required to qualify for position:

To qualify at the GS-02 level: 3 months of general experience or High School graduation or equivalent.

A valid state-issued driver's license is required.

Applicants must be U.S. citizens.

This is a Federal position and, as such, a background investigation will be required.

In-person attendance required.

To apply, submit resume with cover letter via e-mail to Kevin.J.Cole@usda.gov.

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