Michigan State University, College of Agriculture & Natural Resources
Department of Fisheries & Wildlife, Center for Systems Integration & Sustainability

Assistant/Associate Professor Position in Global Inland Fisheries Ecology and Governance
Academic Year - Tenure System Faculty
Deadline: February 15, 2016

Position Summary:
The Department of Fisheries and Wildlife at Michigan State University (MSU), is seeking to fill an academic year tenure system faculty position in Global Inland Fisheries Ecology and Governance at the Assistant/Associate Professor level. The person selected will be affiliated with the Center for Systems Integration and Sustainability and will join a group of faculty, post-doctoral research associates, specialists, and students that provide an internationally recognized program in fisheries science and governance. The appointment of this position will include research (50%), teaching (30%) and outreach (20%). The successful candidate will have demonstrated expertise and experience in fisheries ecology and governance systems.

This scholar will also need to demonstrate their ability to work collaboratively with multi-sectoral stakeholders related to the conservation and sustainable use of inland fishery resources and freshwater habitats. Additionally, this person will be expected to interact with policy makers, fishery management agencies, stakeholder groups and the international community including, inter alia, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the Great Lakes Fishery Commission, and the Department of Natural Resources. The successful candidate will be expected to develop a vibrant undergraduate and graduate program based on extramurally-funded research, participate in teaching and experiential learning, including the development of online and study abroad educational programs, and provide outreach and consultation services to MSU agency partners around the world.

Minimum Qualifications:
A doctorate in Fisheries or related field. Demonstrated expertise and experience in fisheries ecology and governance systems. Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively with multi-sectoral stakeholders related to the conservation and sustainable use of inland fishery resources and freshwater habitats.

Special Instructions:
Search for Posting #2602 and submit an application by February 15, 2016

Please attach a CV and letter of interest emphasizing your knowledge of and experience in fisheries governance and ecology.

Other Required Documents:
Statement of Research (maximum 2 pages)
Statement of Teaching Interests (maximum 2 pages)
Statement of Outreach Interests (maximum 2 pages)
Name and contact information of 3-5 professional references

For additional information, interested individuals can contact:
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