



**POSITION
TITLE:**

Graduate Student, M.S. in Animal Science

DEPARTMENT: North Dakota State University, Hettinger Research Extension Center, Hettinger, ND

SALARY: Commensurate with experience

SCREENING DATE: April 16, 2018

DESCRIPTION: Support and conduct agricultural research in the area of animal science, specifically ruminant nutrition and management. Responsibilities include data recording, entry, analysis; prepare data for reports/manuscripts; assist other professional staff with data analysis when available; supervise undergraduate and staff with collection of field and laboratory research data; train employees on specific research techniques; coordinate efforts of research; and communicate with other research personnel. Specific trials and research techniques will evaluate the use of Flunixin Meglumine injection on pain responses of either rubber ring castrated and tail docked, or surgically castrated and burdizzo docked lambs. The research will be conducted at the NDSU Hettinger Research Extension Center, Hettinger, ND.

**MINIMUM
QUALIFICATIONS:**

- B.S. degree in Animal Science or related degree
- Proficient computer skills in the use of word processing and Excel
- Experience with livestock production
- Effective communication skills to include written and verbal
- Acceptance into the graduate program at North Dakota State University

**PREFERRED
QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Two years related experience
- Proficient in SAS
- Experience with animal science research
- Publication in refereed journals

TO APPLY:

All interested persons should contact Dr. Christopher Schauer (christopher.schauer@ndsu.edu; 701-567-4323) for more information. Submit the following supporting documents to the Hettinger Research Extension Center, PO Box 1377, Hettinger, ND 58639, by the close of business on the screening date: 1) cover letter; 2) current resume; and 3) names, addresses, and phone numbers of two professional references.

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