Plant Genomic/Molecular Biologist

The Department of Plant Biology at Michigan State University invites applications for a tenure-track position at the **Assistant/Associate Professor** level. MSU is world renown in the plant sciences and we are seeking a plant biologist in molecular, cellular and/or genomic areas that complement on-going research in the department. Areas of interest include, but are not limited to, developmental, quantitative or population genetics, and functional or evolutionary genomics. The applicant should use molecular, genomic, and/or quantitative approaches in model, crop, algal, or ecological systems. Experience in computational, bioinformatic, and statistical analyses is desirable. The successful applicant will contribute to undergraduate and graduate teaching and maintain an externally funded research program. Applicants should have a strong record of accomplishments and publications.

To apply, applicants should provide curriculum vitae, summary of research accomplishments and future research objectives, brief description of teaching philosophy and goals, and a list of three references in a single PDF document to Plantgenomicbiology@plantbiology.msu.edu. Candidates also need to submit an application for this position through the MSU Human Resources site at http://jobs.msu.edu/ (posting #5077). Note, that although the website indicates that materials be split and submitted in specific categories, one PDF file is preferred.

Information about the Department of Plant Biology can be found at http://www.plantbiology.msu.edu. The review of applications will begin October 1, 2011 and continue until a suitable candidate is identified. Questions regarding this position may be addressed to Robin Buell at Plantgenomicbiology@plantbiology.msu.edu.

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