

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT for NOER CENTER

Official Title: *Assistant Researcher* (An Academic Staff Position in the UW-Madison, College of Agricultural & Life Sciences).

Working Title: *Manager*, O.J. Noer Turfgrass Research and Education Center, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Location: O.J. Noer Turfgrass Research and Education Center, Madison, Wisconsin.

Responsibilities: Incumbent will be responsible for the conduct of research and demonstration projects with turfgrass and for outreach activities at the O. J. Noer Turfgrass Research and Education Center. Based at the Center the incumbent will:

1. Coordinate and carry out a variety of turfgrass research and demonstration projects in consultation with principal investigators at the UW-Madison.
2. Assist with the dissemination of turfgrass related information for state professional turf organizations and others through tours, field days, meetings and other means.
3. Maintain accurate records of research, demonstration and building activities.
4. Coordinate the maintenance of Center facilities and equipment.

Qualifications: Candidates must have an M.S. degree in one of the plant sciences (or a B.S. degree and be admissible to the Graduate School) and a minimum of three years of professional turf management experience.

Proficiency in the operation, maintenance and repair of all types of turf equipment is essential. Ability to function with minimum daily supervision but in cooperation with faculty, graduate students and academic staff is vital. Excellent communication skills are required and familiarity with personal computers is highly desirable. Be a certified pesticide applicator in categories appropriate to job responsibilities. Have a valid drivers license.

Salary: This is a full-time, twelve month academic staff position. Salary to be commensurate with training and experience.

How To Apply: Applicants should provide a letter which requests consideration for this position, a resume detailing educational and professional experience, the names, addresses and telephone numbers of 5 professional references who may be contacted for letters of recommendation, and any other materials which document past research/outreach activities. In order to be considered for this position these materials must be received by March 22, 1991. **Mail all materials to:**

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