



Agricultural Economics
& AGRIBUSINESS

**Masters Student Recruitment
Summer/Fall 2014
Louisiana State University**

For **SUMMER/FALL 2014**, The Department of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness at Louisiana State University is soliciting graduate research applications for a M.S. degree candidate in Agricultural Economics. The research area will be on the economic impact of feral hog damage in Louisiana.

Eligibility will be based on the evaluation of the grade point averages, performance on the Graduate Record Examination (verbal, quantitative, and written), TOEFL (English proficiency exam), letters of reference, and other tangible evidence of eligibility.

The minimum qualifications for MS eligibility are an earned cumulative GPA of at least 3.00 with a 3.25 for the last 60-64 hours of work towards their undergraduate degree based on 4.00.

Scores on the GRE should be at least 300 (Verbal + Quantitative) and a writing score of 4 or greater under the current scoring system¹. Performance on the GRE will be evaluated in combination with GPA, letters of reference, and other evidence of the applicant's potential success in pursuing a graduate degree.

The Graduate School pays tuition. The recipient has a 20 hr/wk work commitment and is covered by workman's compensation insurance. **We can evaluate candidates contingent on acceptance by the Graduate School.** Applications are done on-line. Information can be found at: the Louisiana State University Graduate School Home Page.
<http://gradlsu.gs.lsu.edu/Prospective%20Students/item12197.html>

*In addition to the on-line application process, please email me a letter of intent and interest, **unofficial** transcripts, resume, GRE scores (when you have them) and TOEFL score (if applicable) to stanger@agcenter.lsu.edu. Other contact information: Dr. Shaun Tanger, Department of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness: Phone: (225) 578-0344; Address: 101 Martin D. Woodin Hall, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803.*

¹ Under the prior scoring system a combined score (V and Q) of 1000 and a writing score of greater than 4.