

Post-Doctoral Associate
Developing a Cost-Effective Payment System for Forest Carbon Sequestration
Department of Agricultural & Resource Economics/Ecology & Evolutionary Biology
University of Tennessee

A post-doctoral associate position under a USDA-funded project to develop a cost-effective payment system for forest carbon sequestration will be available beginning March 2015 in the Department of Agricultural & Resource Economics/Ecology & Evolutionary Biology at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville TN. The person for this position will work on quantitative analyses of land use changes and incentive payment design. Support will be available for 18 months, including health insurance and benefits, and may be extended depending on satisfactory performance and the availability of funds.

Responsibilities:

- Work on programming and quantitative analyses of statistical models of land-use changes and incentive payment design
- Publish in high quality disciplinary and multidisciplinary journals
- Work in teams in a multidisciplinary setting

Qualifications:

- Ph.D. in Economics, Agricultural & Resource Economics, Quantitative Ecology, Quantitative Geography, or closely related field
- Subject-relevant publication record in peer-reviewed scientific journals
- Relevant quantitative and programming skills (e.g., SAS, Matlab, Stata, ArcGIS)

Salary:

- Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Application procedures:

Screening of applicants will start January 30, 2015 and will continue until a suitable candidate is found. To apply, send the following materials to shcho4982@gmail.com (Dr. Seong-Hoon Cho).

- Cover letter describing research interest, academic and related work experience, and career goal
- A current curriculum vitae
- Unofficial transcripts
- A copy of GRE scores
- Contact information of three references