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#### JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Announcement Number:14-04  
Position Title: Assistant Professor  
Annual Salary: \$62,256.00  
Location of Position: University of Puerto Rico  
Mayagüez Campus, Department of Biology  
Opening Date: December 4, 2014  
Closing Date: January 16, 2015

#### MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

The Department of Biology, University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez (UPRM <http://biology.uprm.edu>) invites applications for a Tenure-track Position as Assistant Professor in Systematic Entomology, to begin July 2015 or until position is filled. A Ph.D. degree in Biology, Entomology or related field is required, post-doctoral experience is preferred. Preferred qualifications are a strong background in evolution, morphology and taxonomy of tropical insects. Candidates should be willing to teach undergraduate and graduate courses according to departmental needs including, but not limited to, Morphology and Taxonomy of Insects, and demonstrate the ability to design and develop courses in their area of specialty. The successful candidate will be expected to develop an active, externally funded research program with undergraduate and graduate students, and collaborate with other faculty. External funds, when obtained, will allow eligibility for release time during the academic year. Candidates with good communication skills in both English and Spanish will be preferred.

#### DUTIES

The successful candidate will be expected to develop an active, externally funded research program with undergraduate and graduate students, and collaborate with other faculty. External funds, when obtained, will allow eligibility for release time during the academic year. UPR-M is Hispanic Serving Institution and a Land-Grant, Sea-Grant, and Space-Grant institution; interaction with faculty and researchers in these fields is encouraged. Puerto Rico represents a suitable setting to develop research in tropical systems, and the University of Puerto Rico stimulates collaborations with active faculty and students in a wide range of the Biological Sciences and Biotechnology.

#### HOW TO APPLY

Please send Curriculum Vitae, statement of research and teaching interests, and three (3) letters of reference by January 16, 2015 via e-mail to [brendam.soto@upr.edu](mailto:brendam.soto@upr.edu). For further information please contact:

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