Position Title: Postdoctoral Research Associate

Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience

Description: There is an immediate opening for a postdoctoral research associate in the Hansen ruminant nutrition laboratory at Iowa State University. The successful candidate will make significant contributions to grant writing and research publications. This should be a person capable of working independently but also as a part of a dynamic team. This person will be in charge of the Hansen lab, including supervision of graduate and undergraduate students. The Hansen research program focuses on improving our understanding of feed efficiency in cattle, roles for trace minerals and vitamins, and characterization of alternative feedstuffs. The position is based at the ISU campus in Ames, IA.

Qualifications: Required completion by the date of hire: Ph.D. in Animal Science or Nutritional Sciences with an emphasis in Ruminant Nutrition. An understanding of mineral nutrition is preferred but not required. Demonstrated experience in laboratory analyses is expected. Expertise in feedlot nutrition is preferred as is experience in cattle handling. An understanding of experimental design and statistical analysis is expected.

Application process: Interested parties should submit a letter of interest along with a copy of their CV to Stephanie Hansen at slhansen@iastate.edu