

American SamoaCommunity College Agriculture Community & Natural Resources Division EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position Title:Livestock TechnicianEmployment Status:Full Time 12 months (Contract)

General Description:

Under the general supervision of the Agriculture Extension Program Manager (AEPM), the Livestock Technician works directly in providing manual labor and general support for the implementation of Livestock Farms and Demonstration projects.

Responsibilities and Duties:

- Care of livestock, including daily feeding of pigs and cleaning of facilities
- Securing of pigs and all equipment
- Collection of composting materials and doing composting projects
- Operation of the Wood-chipper machine
- Maintenance of the pig demonstration unit located on ASCC-ACNR campus
- Control of Animal Pests and Diseases
- Cleaning and maintenance of project tools, equipment, machinery and vehicles
- Assistance to all extension programs and Agents with demonstration and presentations
- Following the plan of work prepared by the Agriculture Extension Program Manager
- Performing other duties as assigned

Minimum Qualifications:

- High School Diploma
- Two years of experience in agriculture or related field

Preferred Qualifications:

- Associate of Science degree in Agriculture, Natural Resources, Animal Science, and/or Horticulture
- Professional knowledge and skills in General Agriculture, Animal Science, and/or Natural Resources
- Good oral communication skills in English and Samoan
- Must be physically fit and able to do moderately strenuous work on/in the piggery unit and out in the field/community
- Be able and willing to work flexible hours
- Must a valid driver's license
- In lieu of credentials, at least five (5) years of work experience in directly-related field.

Salary Range: GS 10/09-15: \$15,617.00 - \$19,517.00 per annum

Application Deadline: September 3, 2021 no later than 4:00pm

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