CAHNR Diversity Enhancing Graduate Assistantship Competition

In an effort to enhance the diversity of graduate students enrolled in CAHNR, the college is pleased to announce the availability of two half-time Graduate Assistantships (level 1, 10 hours/week, academic year) beginning fall 2023 (for a maximum period of two years for MS and three years for doctoral students). The Graduate Assistantships must be used to recruit underrepresented graduate student populations (members of underrepresented race/ethnicity, LGBTQ community, veterans and people with disability). The application package of prospective students (CV, transcript(s) and test scores) should be submitted electronically as a single pdf file to lynn.grabowski@uconn.edu by 5:00 pm on April 7, 2023. The CAHNR Administrative Council will review the applications and select the most competitive applicant for the assistantship. The criteria for the assistantship are provided below.

- 1. The student should hold a four-year baccalaureate degree or its equivalent from an accredited college or university.
- 2. A minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.0 for the undergraduate degree.
- 3. The student must fulfill all the admission requirements for UConn graduate school and the specific program (department) of study.
- 4. The student must be supported by a matching half-time GA provided by the PI, Department or other sources.
- 5. A short justification on how recruitment of the applicant will enhance the diversity of the program and college.
- 6. Currently matriculated/enrolled graduate students in CAHNR are not eligible to apply.