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OBJECTIVE

Position as a Graduate Research Assistant testing primary contact and vapor toxicity of insecticidal aerosols on mosquito and fly populations using a specially modified wind tunnel and other specialized bioassays

EDUCATION

- Master of Science in Entomology, University of Florida, Anticipated Graduation Date: May 2007
Major Professor: Dr. Phil Koehler
- Bachelor of Science in Entomology, University of Florida, July 2005, GPA: 3.89/4.0
Advisor: Dr. Phil Koehler
- Minor in Biology, Andrews University of Michigan, May 2004, GPA: 3.85/4.0
Advisor: Dr. Bill Chobotar

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- Mosquito surveillance & monitoring position, employed by Air Applications Company in Greece, May-August 2001
- Mosquito surveillance & monitoring position, employed by Air Applications Company in Greece, May-August 2002
- Graduate Assistant Position, employed by the Urban Entomology Laboratory of University of Florida, Department of Entomology and Nematology, August 2005- May 2007
Position responsibilities:
Maintenance of mosquito colonies
Testing toxicity of low molecular pesticides on mosquito populations
Extension talks for pest management professionals
- Internship position with Manatee Mosquito Control District, Florida, Summer of 2006
Position responsibilities:
Mosquito surveillance & monitoring
Mosquito identification
Conducting experiments on pesticide application and droplet size distribution

EXTENSION TALKS

- Master Gardener Training , August 8th 2005, Ocala, FL

- Master Gardener Graduation Ceremony, November 9th 2005, University of Florida, Microbiology Building, Gainesville, FL
- Florida Mosquito Control Association Aerial Short Course (fly-in), January 17-19 2006, Lee County, FL
- Regional CEU Training for Pest Control Operators, November 10th 2005, Apopka, FL
- Master Gardener Training, March 1st 2006, Brevard County, FL
- Regional CEU Training for Pest Control Operators, March 27th 2006, Green Cove Springs, FL
- Florida Pest Management Association Regional Meeting, April 20th 2006, FL

HONORS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- Urban Entomology Scholarship, awarded by the Department of Entomology and Nematology at University of Florida, September 2004 - May 2005
- Steinmetz Scholarship, awarded by the Department of Entomology and Nematology, at University of Florida, September 2005- August 2006

