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## AGRICULTURAL RESOURCE ASSISTANT POSITIONS

### Department of Entomology

We anticipate hiring one Seasonal Research Assistant in the Department of Entomology, Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station to assist in field and lab work related to spotted lanternfly dispersal abilities.

#### Laboratory and Field Assistant

##### *Duties:*

- Care of spotted lanternflies and their host plants
- Record keeping, following quarantine protocols
- Field surveys and insect collections across the state

##### *Background:*

- Experience with insects desirable but not required. Course work in biology
- Familiarity with Microsoft Office Suite
- Excellent communication and organizational skills

The position will be available for 7 months, from June 28, 2024 to February 7, 2025. The hours of work are 8:30-4:30, M-F (35 hr/wk). The hourly wage is \$16.00/hour.

To apply, interested candidates should submit: (1) a cover letter indicating interest in the position, (2) resume, (3) college transcripts, and (4) names and contact information for 3 references by email to: **Kelsey E. Fisher, Ph.D.**, ([Kelsey.Fisher@ct.gov](mailto:Kelsey.Fisher@ct.gov)) and **Claire Rutledge, Ph.D.**, ([Claire.Rutledge@ct.gov](mailto:Claire.Rutledge@ct.gov)).

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