

**Title:** M.S.in Agricultural and Applied Economics, emphasis in Natural Resource Economics

**University:** Texas Tech University

**Location:** Lubbock, Texas

**Description:** One M.S. research assistantship available for a graduate student to study the economic impacts of alternative water management strategies and/or policies to conserve water in the Ogallala Aquifer.

**Qualifications:** Applicant must be self-motivated with a good attitude and strong work ethic. Applicant must also possess excellent spreadsheet skills in Microsoft Excel due to the large amount of data which will be evaluated. Well-developed oral and written communication skills are necessary and the ability to work cooperatively within a team setting is required. Students with a strong interest in water resource economics and production agriculture are preferred. Applicant should possess a B.S. in agricultural economics. A B.S. in a closely related discipline may also be considered if it is determined that their background and experience are sufficient. Applicant must meet the minimum admission requirements of the University and the Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics.

**Stipend:** \$18,000 per year plus health insurance

**Application Deadline:** March 15, 2021

**Application procedure:** Applicant should go to <http://www.depts.ttu.edu/gradschool/admissions/ProspectiveStudents.php> to apply to the graduate program. Visit our webpage at <http://www.aec.ttu.edu/> to learn more about our program.

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