

## GRA Position #552 – Crop Production

<b>Position</b>	Graduate Research Assistant (MS.), 0.5 time
<b>Location</b>	Department of Agronomy Throckmorton Plant Sciences Center Kansas State University Manhattan, KS 66506-5501
<b>Position Description</b>	The Department of Agronomy at Kansas State University is seeking a highly motivated student for a master degree under the advisement of Dr. Tina Sullivan. The candidate will conduct research and extension programming in northeast Kansas in the areas of tame forage and common summer cropping systems (soybean, corn, sorghum). The research will involve the collection and processing of grower survey datasets, statistical analysis, and field experiments in the common cropping systems of Kansas. The candidate will have the opportunity to pursue collaborative extension projects and specialists at Kansas State University.
<b>Qualifications</b>	B.S. in agronomy, plant science, or other closely related field. Ideal candidates will have a strong background in plant science, a desire to gain research experience, and possess strong written and oral communication skills. Experience in programming with SAS or R and statistical analysis is preferred. The successful candidate should demonstrate self-motivation, creativity, and discipline.
<b>Stipend</b>	Annual MS stipend is \$32,970. Graduate Research Assistants are considered Kansas residents for tuition purposes and are responsible for paying tuition and fees.
<b>How to Apply</b>	Applicants should send a statement of educational and career objectives, resume, transcripts (TOFEL scores for international applicants), and three references to:  Dr. Tina Sullivan Assistant Professor Department of Agronomy Kansas State University 2014E Throckmorton Plant Sciences Center Manhattan, KS 66506, Ph: 423-315-0570; E-mail: <a href="mailto:tsullivan@ksu.edu">tsullivan@ksu.edu</a>  Further information about graduate studies at KSU Department of Agronomy can be found at: <a href="http://www.agronomy.ksu.edu">http://www.agronomy.ksu.edu</a> or by contacting Robert Berry at <a href="mailto:rwb7@ksu.edu">rwb7@ksu.edu</a>
<b>Date Available</b>	Summer 2025  Screening of applicants begins immediately and will continue until position is filled.