

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN MICROBIAL ECOLOGY

Department of Biology

University of Kentucky

The Department of Biology at the University of Kentucky in Lexington, KY seeks outstanding candidates for a tenure-track ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in the area of MICROBIAL ECOLOGY. This includes but is not limited to the study of human and non-human animal microbiomes, ecology of disease, symbiont-host interactions and extremophile communities. The successful candidate will be expected to develop an independent, extramurally funded research program that complements growing research strengths within the Department and across a highly interactive life science community at the university, as well as participate in undergraduate and graduate education in microbiology. The startup package will include a competitive salary in an affordable community, a generous startup budget, modern laboratory facilities and an outstanding collegial environment. A Ph.D. (or equivalent) and postdoctoral research experience are required. Send cover letter, *curriculum vitae*, statements of research and teaching philosophy and three letters of recommendation to <http://apply.interfolio.com/26915>

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