

# **ATTENTION!**

## **The MSU Forest Entomology research team is looking for student employees!**

**Job Title:** Student Research Assistant

**Supervisor:** Dr. Deb McCullough, Professor, Depts. of Entomology and Forestry

**About Us:** We conduct various kinds of research on emerald ash borer & ash trees. Projects include: development of traps & lures, evaluating control options & effects of tree stress on EAB attraction.

**Key Responsibilities:** Responsibilities may include but are not limited to: rearing beetles for experiments, assisting with research studies in the field, greenhouse & lab, planting & maintaining trees & research plots, measuring tree and insect-related variables, using technical equipment such as GPS, data entry, lab maintenance & other duties as assigned.

Research sites are located on the MSU campus & in several locations around Michigan. Transportation to off campus sites will be provided.

**Qualifications:** Candidates should be organized, punctual & able to work independently or with other employees. A drivers license & good driving record is required. Much of our work is outside so sturdy work boots & appropriate clothing will be needed. Previous experience is not necessary but a strong interest in forestry, biology, ecology or horticulture is helpful.

**Employment:** Work will begin after finals week in May & continue through August. Weekend work is occasionally necessary. Employees will be working directly with graduate students, other student workers & faculty in a fun, educational environment.

**To Apply:** Send a resume and cover letter to: Sara Tanis, [tanissar@msu.edu](mailto:tanissar@msu.edu)