

**Research Associate IV
Auburn University**

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Job Title	Research Associate IV
Department	Crop Soil and Environmental Sciences
Institution	Auburn University Auburn, Alabama
Date Posted	Jul. 28, 2025
Application Deadline	Open until filled
Position Start Date	Available immediately
Job Categories	Research Scientist/Associate
Academic Field(s)	Agricultural - General
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Job Description

Job Summary

This is a one-year limited term position and is funded from external sources. Continuation of employment is contingent upon availability of funds.

The individual in this position will be responsible for advising and improving the implementation and processes of breeding trials related to both cotton and soybean in Alabama. The individual will be expected to communicate regularly with the PI, visit research centers across the state and make recommendations on procedures, equipment and agronomic aspects of breeding trials.

Frequent travel throughout the state of Alabama will be required.

Essential Functions

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Essential Functions include the following:

- Develop or assist in the development of complex project proposals, plans, and protocols related to breeding practices.
- Conduct non-routine experiments, investigations and/or studies related to programs and projects in pursuit of new knowledge, techniques and concepts.
- Coordinate or assist in logistics of research to include equipment, materials, and labor needs.
- Collect data/samples related to variety development.
- Record, compile, process and analyze data/samples.
- Will be responsible for advising the current research technician and graduate students on cotton breeding field activities and processes.
- Assist in variety releases by helping with decision making and with communication/paperwork with AU technology transfer and private industry partners.

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