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The Agricultural Research Council-Roodeplaat Plant Protection Research seeks to appoint an experienced and dynamic person to the following position at Roodeplaat, Pretoria:

Senior Researcher: Mycology

Key Performance Area: • Plan and undertake research on the Biosystematics of Fungi; Experience in molecular biology and collections management will be advantages; Conduct field work; Manage and develop national reference collections; Compile and manage research budgets; Actively source new research opportunities and write proposals for funding; Disseminate research results as scientific peer reviewed publications, congress presentations, popular articles and client reports; Mentorship of post graduate students

Requirements:

- A PhD in Mycology plus 5 years' relevant work experience
- SACNASP registration and/or NRF rating
- Substantial record of relevant scientific publications
- Track record of obtaining research funding
- Valid Code B & EB driver's license

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A competitive remuneration package will be congruent with the scope, responsibilities and the stature of the position. The appointment will be subject to a six (6) months' probation period. Applications accompanied by covering letter, detailed CV (including certificates, supporting documents and nationality), as well as the names and particulars of three (3) traceable referees, should be provided.

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NB: Experience / exposure to the duties and skills mentioned above will be taken into consideration in the selection process. Appointment is subject to appropriate reference checks and positive security clearance.

The closing date for applications is **27/11/2016**

SAQA evaluation report must accompany foreign qualifications. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applicants who do not receive any response from us 4 weeks after the closing date must regard their applications as unsuccessful.

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