

The Department of Supply Chain Management in the W. P. Carey School of Business at Arizona State University is seeking applications from those interested in a Postdoctoral Research Scholar position with an anticipated start date of Fall 2025. This is a fixed-term, fiscal year (twelve months) appointment with no tenure implications.

This position is grant-funded for eighteen (18) months and may be extended for an additional six months, based on satisfactory performance and funding availability.

## **Expectations/Essential Functions:**

- The postdoctoral scholar will be funded by a National Institute for Food and Agriculture (NIFA) grant to study the performance of food supply chains and systems. The postdoctoral scholar will be able to develop his or her own research, and develop other projects with faculty within the SCM department but the primary obligation will be to the NIFA grant objectives.
- We anticipate that the postdoctoral scholar will be an active participant in workshops, conferences and events at W. P. Carey School of Business.

**Minimum Qualifications:** Applicants must hold a Ph.D. in one of the relevant fields of operations management, supply chain management, economics, or other related areas. Applicant must have the degree conferred before the start date.

**Desired Qualifications:** 1) Strong writing and presentation skills developed at conferences; 2) skills in advanced quantitative and empirical research methods; and 3) Possession of a research agenda in the areas of food supply chain management, grocery retail operations, or agricultural economics.

**Application Deadline and Procedure:** The application deadline is **March 1, 2025**. Applications will continue to be accepted on a rolling basis for a reserve pool. Applications in the reserve pool may then be reviewed in the order they were received until the position is filled. Candidates will be asked to create or use and existing Interfolio Dossier to submit documents. For full consideration, please submit the following at <a href="mailto:apply.interfolio.com/160354">apply.interfolio.com/160354</a>.

- 1. Cover letter that addresses how you meet the qualifications, your accomplishments, and future plans in research
- 2. Curriculum vitae
- 3. Research statement
- 4. Sample paper
- 5. List of three references

Please direct inquiries to <a href="mailto:christa.l.thompson@asu.edu">christa.l.thompson@asu.edu</a>. If you have any further questions about the position, please contact one of the search committee co-chairs Elliot Rabinovich or Timothy Richards via email at elliot.rabinovich@asu.edu or trichards@asu.edu.

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Successful candidates should include throughout their materials how their teaching, research, and service will contribute to the fulfillment of this charter.

Department of Supply Chain Management. The SCM Department is regularly ranked among the top 5 in the United States at both the undergraduate and graduate levels, and each year graduates approximately 400 students with a BS-SCM, 95 with a BA-Global Logistics, 45 Full-Time MBAs with an SCM concentration, numerous Working Professional MBAs (50+ with a SCM concentration), 58 with a MS-Global Logistics and 230 with a MS-Business Analytics, and 2 to 4 PhD students. The ASU SCM faculty includes over 30 tenured, tenure-track, and clinical professors – among the largest in the United States. Many top researchers visit the department to present their work at regular seminars and conferences. All this translates into high-quality instruction at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. For more information, please see https://wpcarey.asu.edu/supply-chain-management-degrees.

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