

Holden Assistant Professor

UNIVERSITY PARK (Centre Co.) — Lisa A. Holden has been named an assistant professor of ruminant nutrition at Penn State.

Her extension responsibility will include educational programs in ruminant nutrition and forage systems, with initial emphasis on grazing systems and leadership of a statewide integrated dairy management curriculum in cooperation with other University and county personnel. Her research program will focus along the same lines.

Holden received a bachelor's degree in animal bioscience from The Pennsylvania State University

in 1988, and a master's degree in animal science from the University of Maryland in 1990. Her research at Maryland dealt with ruminal fiber digestion and particle size reduction in dairy cows and with digestion and utilization of alfalfa and orchardgrass.

Holden's doctoral research centered on optimizing protein utilization by high-producing Holstein cows grazing grass pasture; developing supplementation strategies for grazing dairy cows; and estimating dry matter intake by cows on pasture. She earned her doctorate in animal science from Penn State in 1993.

As a graduate student at Penn State, Holden finished second in a field of 16 nationwide for a paper she presented in the student paper competition at the annual meeting of the American Dairy Science Association. She also was one of the first recipients of a John O. Almquist Graduate Student Award and received the University's Graduate Assistant Award for Outstanding Teaching.

During the past 18 months, Holden has served in Penn State's Department of Dairy and Animal Science as coordinator of the Dairy-MAP program, designed to teach management skills to Pennsylvania dairy producers in a workshop format. Roughly 365 people have participated in the program.

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Assistant Professor

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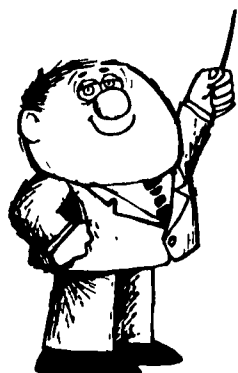
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Holden is a member of the American Dairy Science Association, American Society of Animal Science, American Forage and Grassland Council, Alpha Zeta, and Gamma Sigma Delta.



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