

Title: **Regional/Global Food Security Cluster Hire**

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Abstract: Feeding 9+ billion people on this planet, while not destroying the environment, is arguably the most important task humans will undertake in the next 50 years. While Cornell has great strength and depth in agricultural sciences, scholars in regional to global scale assessment of human agriculture are lacking in many fields. Thus, this cluster seeks to identify potential gaps in Food Security issues, especially across the regional to global scales, in agricultural modeling, remote sensing, economics, sociology and/or policy, or other integrative areas.