CAFES Internship Program Bulletin

GENEX, Madison, WI; Dairy Reproductive Specialist (AI Technician) Intern
Description: GENEX Cooperative is seeking a Dairy Reproductive Specialist (AI Technician) in Dane County to provide professional and personalized Artificial Insemination service and breeding program assistance to members and customers that result in improved profit potential and satisfaction for them. In addition, sell GENEX semen, services, products, and programs to achieve sales goals and develop new business in sales area.
Qualifications: Majoring in Animal Science, Dairy Science, or related agricultural degree. Strong cattle background with experience working with dairy cows. Experience in heat detection on large farms. Self-motivated.
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Deadline: Open until filled **203**

GENEX, WI; Commercial Intern
Description: GENEX Cooperative provides a hands-on opportunity to learn how GENEX supports members and customers through genetics, reproductive solutions, herd management programs, and consultative service. The intern will work alongside commercial team members to build industry knowledge, gain exposure to customer-facing activities, and complete meaningful projects that support business priorities and the member experience.
Qualifications: Majoring in Animal Science, Dairy Science, Ag Business, or related agricultural degree. Interest in agriculture, livestock production, genetics, reproductive management, sales, marketing or customer service.
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Deadline: November 13, 2026 **204**

Semex, Madison, WI; Beef Intern
Description: Semex is a dynamic global organization that is committed to developing and delivering innovative genetic solutions. Our Boviteq USA division offers reproductive and genetic solutions to North American clients from its world-class In Vitro Fertilization (IVF) labs in Madison, WI. Boviteq is seeking a summer intern with beef cattle experience, to attend cattle shows to promote Boviteq services and visit key accounts and veterinarian partners. This will be a 8-week internship and will include training at our headquarters followed by an intense travel schedule. The successful candidate will be a self-starter with experience attending national shows and an interest in cattle reproduction (IVF experience a plus, but not necessary).
Qualifications: Majoring in Animal Science, Meat Science, or related field. Must be willing to travel. Confidence interacting with customers.
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Deadline: December 5th, 2026 **205**

Pipestone, Pipestone, MN & Sioux Falls, SD; Supply Chain Intern
Description: The Supply Chain Intern will improve purchasing data and strengthen data integrity. Maintain and organize pricing records within our ERP system. Analyze operational KPIs and support decision-making. Assist with warehouse space utilization and order fulfillment optimization. Track inbound and outbound shipments. Identify process improvement opportunities with warehouse and logistics teams. Help develop and refine operational procedures.
Qualifications: Majoring in Ag Business or related field. Previous business or customer service experience is a plus. Livestock or animal health industry exposure is beneficial. Ability to work collaboratively.
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Deadline: Open until filled **206**

Pipestone, Aurora, SD; Production Intern
Description: The Production Intern will serve as a Swine Technician. You will learn the responsibilities for the daily care, health, and welfare of pigs in a swine production facility. This role involves performing tasks related to animal husbandry, health management, feeding, breeding, and facility maintenance to ensure the highest standards of swine production.
Qualifications: Majoring in Animal Science or agricultural field. Strong attention to detail and ability to follow protocol. Ability to communicate effectively both verbally and in writing. Ability to be on feet 8-10 hours.
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Deadline: Open until filled **207**

Pipestone, Aurora, SD; Grow Finish Production Intern
Description: The Production Intern will assist veterinarians with disease investigations, sample collection, and on-farm assessments. Support swine production teams and livestock caretakers with daily operations and industry expertise. Accompany team members on site visits to evaluate animal care and site management practices. Learn to manage overall pig health, welfare, and production performance. Analyze production data and understand factors impacting success. Help implement strategies that support production, pig flow, marketing, revenue, and cost management goals.
Qualifications: Majoring in Animal Science or agricultural field. Previous livestock caretaking experience preferred. Valid driver's license. Occasional travel required.
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Deadline: Open until filled **208**

Ironwood Springs Equestrian Programs, Stewartville, MN; Assistant Summer Wrangler Internship
Description: The Assistant Summer Wrangler will assist with the training and tune-ups of horses. Assist guests to the best of your ability – teaching kids for camps, ensuring safety, comfort, and enjoyment of any handicap individuals. Leading or dragging trail rides. Help or complete chores at least 5 days a week – including animal farm. Maintain barn and animal farm presentation. Help direct other summer staff.
Qualifications: Majoring in Animal Science, Equine Management or related field. Can work on your feet or in a saddle for most of the day. Understanding of natural horsemanship – must be able to ride and tune-up all Ironwood horses at a walk, tort, lope without assistance.
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Deadline: Open until filled **209**

Form-A-Feed, Steward, MN; Livestock Nutrition & Production Summer Intern
Description: This hands-on internship provides real-world experience in livestock nutrition, farm operations, and agricultural business. Interns will work directly with our team and customers across the dairy, beef, and swine industries, gaining exposure to both the technical and relationship-driven aspects of business.
Qualifications: Majoring in Animal Science, Dairy Science, Ag Business or related majors. Strong academic performance and work ethic. Demonstrated background or familiarity with livestock production.
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Deadline: Open until filled **210**

The City of Bloomington, Bloomington, MN; Water Resources Intern
Description: The Water Resources Intern will assist the city in several tasks ranging from ecological assessments to inspection of stormwater infrastructure. The participant will gain a wide array of experiences and will have a firsthand look at the diversity of jobs and responsibilities tied to the management of municipal water resources.
Qualifications: Majoring in Engineering or related field. Valid driver's license. Ability to lift 50 lbs. Comfortable around traffic, water and boats.
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Deadline: Open until filled **211**

National Eagle Center, Wabasha, MN; Education Intern
Description: Help our staff develop educational resources that align to Minnesota and Wisconsin K-12 curriculum standards. This is an unpaid internship.
Qualifications: Majoring in Conservation, Environmental Science, and Environmental Planning, Environmental Science, Sustainable Management, or Horticulture.
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Deadline: Open until filled **212**

National Eagle Center, Wabasha, MN; Avian Care Intern
Description: Learn what is required to care for our resident eagles and perform daily husbandry tasks. Daily husbandry includes cleaning the eagle enclosure, food preparation, perch maintenance, and enrichment for the resident eagles. This is an unpaid internship.
Qualifications: Majoring in Conservation, Environmental Science, and Environmental Planning, Environmental Science, Sustainable Management, or Horticulture.
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Deadline: Open until filled **213**

National Eagle Center, Wabasha, MN; Golden Eagle Survey Intern
Description: Assist with the Golden Eagle Survey during winter months and participate in bird surveys, coordinate survey volunteers, and data entry. This is an unpaid internship.
Qualifications: Majoring in Conservation, Environmental Science, and Environmental Planning, Environmental Science, Sustainable Management, or Horticulture.
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Deadline: Open until filled **214**

National Eagle Center, Wabasha, MN; Fishing on the Refuge Intern
Description: Gain skills in project management and hands-on environmental education. This summer program offers young people the chance to learn about responsible angling and connecting with the outdoors on the Upper Mississippi Wildlife and Fish Refuge. This is unpaid internship.
Qualifications: Majoring in Conservation, Environmental Science, and Environmental Planning, Environmental Science, Sustainable Management, or Horticulture.
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Deadline: Open until filled **215**

Darlington Ridge Farms, Darlington, WI; Dairy Herd Manager – Summer Intern
Description: Darlington Ridge Farms is seeking a Dairy Herd Manager to join the team, with a primary focus on cow health, particularly fresh cows and the early identification of sick cows, and a secondary focus on milk quality. If you have a passion for cow health, an interest in using technology to maximize efficiency and profitability, and a commitment to teamwork, we want to hear from you!
Qualifications: Majoring in Dairy Science, Animal Science, or related field. Valid driver's license. Ability to work collaboratively & independently, with effective communication. Hands-on experience working with dairy cattle.
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Deadline: January 15, 2026 **216**

Summit Agricultural Group, Alden, IA; Communications and Event Planning Intern
Description: As a Communications and Event Planning Intern at Summit Agricultural Group, you will be part of a fast-paced environment that will provide you with experience in working with event planning, internal communication, developing marketing materials, and more.
Qualifications: Majoring in Ag Marketing and Communications, Ag Business, or related degree. Excellent communication skills, including writing and proof-reading skills. Strong customer service ethic and high expectations for quality. Ability to navigate computer applications.
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Deadline: Open Until Filled **217**

Summit Agricultural Group, Alden, IA; Farm Management Intern
Description: As a Farm Management Intern at Summit Agricultural Group, you will be exposed to multiple aspects of farm management, specifically enhancing property value and returns through added improvements, implementing new technologies to help improve productivity and profitability of farm and provide first class customer service to internal and external clients. This position is responsible for managing projects and completing tasks in an accurate and timely manner.
Qualifications: Majoring in Ag Business, or related degree. Ability to work in a fast-paced, highly entrepreneurial environment. High level of interpersonal, communication and problem-solving skills.
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Deadline: Open Until Filled **218**

Summit Agricultural Group, Alden, IA; Shop Technician Intern
Description: As a Shop Technician Intern you will gain knowledge and work experience in a large-scale farming operation, with specific responsibilities pertaining to preventative maintenance and service needs.
Qualifications: Majoring in Engineering Technology, Ag Engineering or related degree. Ability to troubleshoot. Ability to work in a fast-paced, highly entrepreneurial environment. Excellent communication skills.
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Deadline: Open Until Filled **219**

Summit Agricultural Group, Alden, IA; Agricultural Operations Intern
Description: As an Agricultural Operations Intern you will be exposed to multiple aspects of large-scale farming and cattle operations. This position is responsible for working in all areas of the operation.
Qualifications: Majoring in Ag Business, Animal Science or related degree. Ability to work in a fast-paced, highly entrepreneurial environment. High level interpersonal and communication skills.
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Deadline: Open Until Filled **220**

Summit Agricultural Group, Alden, IA; Conservation and Grounds Intern
Description: As a Conservation and Grounds Intern you will gain knowledge and work experience in a large-scale farming operation, with specific responsibilities pertaining to land and conservation management.
Qualifications: Majoring in Conservation, Conservation and Environmental Planning or related degree. Excellent communication skills. Strong customer service ethic and high expectations for quality.
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Deadline: Open Until Filled **221**

Summit Agricultural Group, Alden, IA; Business Development Intern
Description: As a Business Development Intern you will be exposed to multiple aspects of an extensive farming operation and other business development activities in agriculture. This position is responsible for managing projects and completing tasks in an accurate and timely manner associated with livestock facility acquisitions and construction, farmland management and much more.
Qualifications: Majoring in Ag Business, or related degree. Ability to work in a fast-paced, highly entrepreneurial environment. High level of interpersonal, communication and problem-solving skills.
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Deadline: Open Until Filled **222**

Summit Agricultural Group, Alden, IA; Land Fund Intern
Description: As a Land Fund Intern you will be exposed to multiple aspects of fund management, specifically asset acquisition, sale, and farm management within our extensive scope of agri-businesses. This position is responsible for managing projects and completing tasks in an accurate and timely manner.
Qualifications: Majoring in Ag Business, or related degree. Ability to work in a fast-paced, highly entrepreneurial environment. High level of interpersonal, communication and problem-solving skills.
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Deadline: Open Until Filled **223**