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## DEPARTMENTAL NEWS

**FACE MASKS:** A fundraiser was conducted to raise money to purchase you all a face mask, since you will have to wear one while on campus. **If you haven't picked up your face mask yet**, you may pick it up in the main office of Ropp (125) from Mary. When you pick up your mask, all of our COVID rules apply (face covering, physical distancing, etc.). You will have to give Mary your name when you pick up your mask, so that she can check you off of her list.



**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SCHOLARSHIPS:** Applications for incoming and continuing students are now being accepted in the Dept of Agriculture. Multiple scholarships will be awarded. Priority awarding will be given to applications received by **February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021**. Applications will continue to be evaluated until all scholarships have been awarded. Applications are available online (<https://agriculture.illinoisstate.edu/academics/scholarships/>).



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## SCHOLARSHIPS / INTERNSHIPS

**\*IAA FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP:** The 2021 IAA Foundation Scholarship Application Period is NOW OPEN! The lineup includes 78 scholarships totaling \$124,000 in tuition support. Apply Online - Application link and all supporting materials including eligibility can be found at < [www.iaafoundation.org](http://www.iaafoundation.org) >. Please read all instructions carefully and refer to the FAQ document on the website to help answer any questions. Students can apply until **February 15, 2021**. All required information must be submitted by that date, no exceptions. Supporting the Future of Agriculture. As the charitable arm of the Illinois Farm Bureau, our Mission is to fund education, research, and charitable activities that benefit Illinois farm families and agriculture. We proudly offer scholarship opportunities for students pursuing degrees related to agriculture, and those with family farming backgrounds.



## NETWORKING

**ALL AG & FOOD MAJOR VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR:** Join AgCareers.com and their supporting universities/colleges for a virtual career fair on **February 2, 2021 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. central time**. Why You Should Attend: We are facing an array of challenges in this season: no on-site career fairs or networking events, no classroom visits, and few opportunities to engage personally with hiring organizations. A virtual career fair allows for limited time commitment and access to agriculture and food employers from across the United States in one spot at no cost to you. Find your internship or full-time career here! Visit this website for more info and to get signed up! <



<https://www.careereco.com/Fair/EventDetails?fairId=13c58da1-e33f-4d43-925f-ac70015fbf63> >.

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## **GREAT LAKES MIDWEST UNITED STATES VIRTUAL CAREER FAIR JOB SEEKER REGISTRATION:**

Event Date: **January 14, 2021 / Event Time: 10:00am to 2:00pm (eastern)**. The variety of careers available in the industry span from farm to shelf. Opportunities can be found in labor, packaging, production, processing, logistics, financial, IT, technology and more. There is plenty of farm and non-farm opportunities available that can build on your foundational skills. Learn more about how you can join the agri-food workforce at our Virtual Career Fair for Michigan,



Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio! Job Seekers visit our website and register

< <https://www.agcareers.com/great-lakes-midwest-united-states-virtual-career-fair.cfm> >

## **STUDY ABROAD:** MQM & HIS Study Abroad Program Engaging Multiculturalism & History in Barbados



**June 1 – 13, 2021.** Travel to Barbados during Summer 2021 for an immersive experience in this beautiful island nation. For more info visit [MQM & HIS Study Abroad Program](#) website.

Finances – Cost: Approximately \$4,420

(inclusive of tuition, airfare, lodging, meals, and activities).

Scholarships available. Application deadline: **February 1, 2021**

