**DEPARTMENTAL NEWS**

*VIRTUAL EVENT:* Opportunities with FS GROWMARK: Today’s Talent. Tomorrow’s Success. Agriculture students RSVP for either a 15-minute group or 1:1 session to speak with professionals about our agriculture internships and early-career opportunities! Virtual event is **Thursday, October 14th from 6:00 – 7:15 pm.** Contact Allison Mosher (amosher@growmark.com) for more information on how to RSVP.

**ISU Agriculture Department:** Follow us on Facebook at [https://www.facebook.com/ISU.AGRICULTURE](https://www.facebook.com/ISU.AGRICULTURE) or Instagram at [https://www.instagram.com/isuagriculture/](https://www.instagram.com/isuagriculture/) Twitter (@isuagriculture) Our ISU Page ([https://agriculture.illinoisstate.edu/](https://agriculture.illinoisstate.edu/))

**REGISTERED STUDENT ORGANIZATION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**HOOF N’ HORN:** On **October 20th at 5 p.m. at the ISU** Farm Hoof N’ Horn is hosting an Agriculture Department Cookout and Bags Tournament! COVID has held people back from visiting the farm and meeting new people. This event is for **everyone**, and a meal will be provided. The cost for the bags tournament is $10 per team and the winning team will be taking home 50% of the earning from all who enter! Come visit the farm, have a meal for free, play bags, and meet new people!

**JOB / INTERNSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INTERNSHIPS:** Danvers Farmers Elevator is currently looking for some students that may be interested in an internship this fall here at the elevator ($14/hour). Primary functions would be in the office learning how an elevator goes through daily processes such as running a scale and processing scale tickets. There will be tons of opportunities to learn how we buy and hedge grain as well as managing a hedge position and any other processes that we accomplish behind the scenes. If a student wants to learn any other areas of our operation, we are very happy to accommodate. Ideally, we would like to find several students interested in the proposition. We can work around class schedules. For more information or to apply for this internship contact: Ryan Long, Grain Merchandiser, Danvers Farmers Elevator, Office: (309) 963-4305.  (10/1/21)

**INTERNSHIPS:** Advanced Agrilystic has full-time, 12+ week experience in a paid program located in Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Iowa.

**FIELD SPECIALIST INTERNSHIP** Program Highlights: Work closely with a Precision Agronomist to complete grower-supporting tasks. Field Scouting, Disease Diagnostics, Weed Pressure, Research Trial Collections and Analysis, Plant Sample Collection.

**RESEARCH SPECIALIST INTERNSHIP** Program highlights: Work at one of our research facilities (Huntington, IN; Ames, IA; Thomasboro, IL) Research Trial Collections and Analysis, Plant Sample Collection, Plant Sample Processing, Plant Mass, Tissue Samples, Sucrose Extraction. [https://advancedagrilytics.com/careers](https://advancedagrilytics.com/careers).  (10/1/21)

**SOIL FIELD TECHNICIAN:** BSC, LLC – Soil Fertility & Pest Management located in Chenoa, IL is now hiring a full-time Soil Field Technician. Responsibilities: Pull & Grind Soil Samples, Package & Ship Samples, Operate ATV, Organize Mapping. Must have a clean driving record and a valid drivers license. Submit resume to (Kourtney.brucker@soilbalance.com).  (10/1/21)

**Farm Help:** Schuler Farms is seeking part time help throughout the school year with potential full time employment. Based in Lexington, Illinois which is approximately 25 minutes from campus. Potential applicants would be exposed to all levels of growing corn and soybeans. In addition, Schuler farms operates a 45 show pig sow herd. Some heavy/light machinery experience would be preferred, but training will be provided. Potential tasks would be fall/spring tillage, grain cart driver, combine operator, grain bin site manager, spreading fertilizer, machinery maintenance, installing drainage tile and many more throughout the year. Housing is available for someone looking to live off campus and on a farm. Applicants should send a resume or qualifications to John Schuler.  (johnschuler6@gmail.com)  Phone: (309) 706-2427.  (10/4/21)

**Fall Work:** Reeves Farms is needing help for this fall, willing to pay $20.00 per hour with experience and or CDL. We have all John Deere equipment and can contact us at: Barry (309) 275-4215, Adam (309) 275-4221. We are located at 200488 N 1900 E Rd Towanda, IL
**ANNOCENTS**

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* = new items  **updated/revised**  hyperlinks

**DATE IN QUOTES ( ) IS THE WEEK THAT ARTICLE WAS FIRST ADDED TO THE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Kickapoo Creek Nursery:** We are looking for someone that enjoys horticulture/agriculture, would be able to help us this fall and 2022 spring/summer with tree installations, as well as helping us grow our business! Feel free to check us out on Facebook to see what we have been up to.

**Miller Media Group:** The Miller Media Group in Central Illinois has an IMMEDIATE opening for a full-time announcer, production director, and sports play-by-play/color commentator for its Taylorville, IL cluster of stations. Specific duties include hosting the Morning Show on our mainstream country station, production work, and sports play-by-play and color. Competitive salary and bonuses offered the right person! E-mail resume and aircheck to Kami Payne, General Manager, at kamip@randyradio.com. No phone calls.

**Geneva Park District:** Geneva Park District has many open positions ranging from full time, part time, and seasonal. Jobs range from park maintenance, ballfield, mowing, and facilities. See the full list online at [https://www.genevaparks.org/about](https://www.genevaparks.org/about). (9/27/2021)

**Bayer:** Bayer is currently hiring Seasonal Seed Technicians for our soybean production season at our Stonington, IL production facility! If interested, send your resume to casey.pomeroy@bayer.com with the days you are available to work! (9/17/21)

**USDA Internships:** This internship opportunity is under the National Program 306: developing knowledge and enabling commercially viable technologies to measure and maintain/enhance post-harvest product quality and create new value-added products in food, non-food and biorefining products. Learn about the analysis and characterization of the phytochemical composition of plant materials by the use of modern extraction methods, liquid and gas chromatography methodology and sample evaluation, modern mass spectrometry evaluation, and the processing of results for publication. Apply: [https://www.zintellect.com/Opportunity/Details/USDA-ARS-2021-0212](https://www.zintellect.com/Opportunity/Details/USDA-ARS-2021-0212) (9/15/21)

**Hunter Oaks Equestrian Center:** Hunter Oaks Equestrian Center is located approximately 20min west of north Normal. Hiring at least 2 people who can start training right away. No experience necessary. Will train. Strong work ethic & reliability most important Contact Sandi Mercier at (309)826-7433 if interested. (9/14/21)

**Child Care Needed:** Are you available Thursday mornings? Bloomington-Normal MOPS, a local moms group, is in need of weekly childcare workers, beginning **September 16th through December 2nd**. Need a weekly commitment on Thursday mornings from 8:30-11:15 at Vale Church in Bloomington. Pay is $35/week and often times leads to additional babysitting opportunities with the families. Please contact Colleen Cihak via text/phone call at 309-242-2806 or email at mopsblnormal@gmail.com. (9/20/21)

**Sheep Farm:** Help wanted on a sheep farm located in Arrowsmith, IL. No previous with livestock required. Driver license and reliable transportation required. Ability to work outside in all weather conditions. Full/Part Time. Daily lifting of 50+ pounds. Setting up fences. Mowing. Assisting with repair work. Contact Elton at (309) 825-5435. (9/7/21)

**Part-Time Work:** Any students interested in working part-time on cow-calf and/or show cattle operation, please contact Cori Malone (cjharr2@ilstu.edu). Prior experience with cattle is preferred, but not required.

**NETWORKING**

**MAT 120 Tutoring:** The Illinois State University Math Tutoring Club is offering FREE MAT 120 tutoring. Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 6-8 pm in Stevenson 219. Contact (jtloren@ilstu.edu) for more info.

**Graduate School Series:** Fridays, 12-1 p.m. Considering graduate school? Get advice on how to be successful when applying. Attend any session or the entire series virtually via Zoom or in person at the Career Resource Hub on the second floor of the Bone Student Center. If you need special accommodations to participate, contact Career Services at (309) 438-2200. Please allow sufficient time to arrange the accommodation. CareerServices.IllinoisState.edu/Events.

*Oct. 15 – DEVELOPING A CURRICULUM VITAE (CV) ([https://illinoisstate.zoom.us/j/98420284629](https://illinoisstate.zoom.us/j/98420284629)).