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2019 Summer Internship - Navajo Technical University Land Grant Department

Summer Interns will assist with organizing and conducting animal science-focused extension activities, developing animal science educational materials and degree plans, and the NTU Safeguarding Natural Heritage youth camp activities. This internship is for those passionate about agriculture, working with animals, and want to inspire the next generation. We are looking for individuals who are driven, hardworking, and self-starters. This position can be challenging, but also very rewarding. Select duties and responsibilities are listed below, but driven interns will be able to create additional or alternative opportunities with the position.

Students will be paid a salary of \$12.50*/week plus housing for a period of 8-12 weeks. Some meals will be provided (during camps and herd health). Students must pass a background check prior to May 20, 2019 (NTU will pay for background checks).

The internship must be at least 10 weeks, but must include June 2- June 21. Interns will have the opportunity to rock repel approximately 200' down a cliff-side during the camp. For the youth camp, interns must bring their own sleeping bags, linens, alarm clocks, and personal hygiene products. It's recommended Interns be certified in CPR/First Aid if possible. Certification may be provided prior to the start of camp. The internship is based out of Crownpoint, New Mexico which is a small, rural college town. Transportation is recommended.

*Not available for overtime pay.

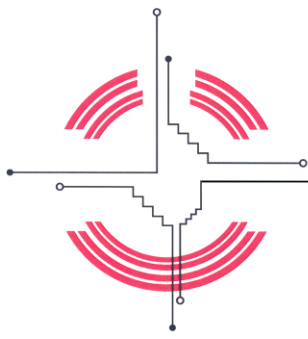
Requirements:

- Interns must apply for temporary student employment with Navajo Technical University by submitting an application and required documents to the Human Resource Department. This can be found at <http://www.navajotech.edu/faculty-staff/human-resources>.
- Interns must be at least 19 years of age at the time of application.
- Interns must be enrolled, in good standing, with an overall GPA of at least 2.5 in a College or University at the time of application.
- Interns must be able to lift at least 50 lbs, walk and stand for extended periods of time, and hike for up to 2 hours.

Duties and responsibilities:

Extension

- Interns will assist with feeding sheep and chickens.
- Interns will assist with herd health work including handling, restraining and sorting sheep and goats.



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- Interns may assist with vaccinating and deworming small ruminants.
- Interns will contact producers and organize daily herd health schedules.
- Interns will assist with preparing syringes, needles medications and supplies and administering vaccines and de-wormer. Interns may assist with veterinary services in the field or veterinary teaching hospital. Interns may assist with other veterinary-related duties as assigned by supervisor.
- Interns will assist herd (sheep) health crews by organizing and preparing lunches and snacks.
- Interns will assist with loading equipment and supplies.
- Interns may assist with organizing and executing gardening workshops and trainings, including getting materials printed, setting up classrooms, and doing demonstrations.
- Interns may assist with installing gardens.
- Interns may assist with garden and greenhouse maintenance, like watering.
- Interns may assist with youth gardening demonstrations and activities.

Animal science educational materials and degree development

- Interns may assist in creating lectures and lab lesson plans and materials for animal science courses.
- Interns may assist in architecting equine science track for animal science degree.

Youth camp

- Interns will assist with camp activities and chaperone youth camp students from June 2 to June 15, 2019. During this period, interns will be expected to work more than 40 hours/week.
- Interns may be expected to supervise and monitor camp students during the
- Interns will assist with shopping for and organizing snacks, drinks, and supplies.
- Interns will also: supervise camp students in cleaning, will develop and implement recreational activities for camp students, conduct evening talking circles, ensure camp students are completing daily journals, pack daily snacks and drinks for camp students.
- Interns will assist camp students with their presentation that the camp students will give the final day of camp.
- Interns will assist Project Director and staff with other tasks related to the camp.
- Interns will prepare evaluation documents, evaluate camp students, enter results into spreadsheets, and analyze data.

Other duties as assigned by supervisor.