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Education

Iowa State University- Ames, Iowa

Bachelor of Science Degree: May 2019

Major: Agricultural & Life Sciences Education: Communications Option

Minors: Entrepreneurial Studies, Animal Science

Work Experience

EFC Systems, Inc., Ames, Iowa

Precision Business Planning Specialist Intern

April 2016-Present

- Inputting official state crop budgets into Excel sheets
- Processing growers' machine, as-applied, and yield data
- Creating financial scenarios based on field profitability
- Assisting with various types of social media campaigns

Ag Stock Photos

Photo Contributor

June 2017-Present

- Capture photos of agriculture-related subjects; strong livestock and technology emphasis
- Editing photos with Lightroom software
- Submitting photos online for commercial and industry use

Iowa State University Department of Animal Science, Ames, Iowa

Peer Mentor

January 2016-Present

- Guiding first-year college students through personal transitions to college
- Holding weekly meetings with personal peer mentor group as positive role model
- Communicating, answering questions, and meeting individually with mentees
- Participating in university-sanctioned leadership trainings

University of Minnesota Extension, Mankato, Minnesota

Blue Earth County 4-H Intern

May 2017-August 2017

- Coordinated and taught community agriculture education lessons to children
- Organized official 4-H Clothing, Food, and General Project judging events
- Oversaw and tabulated results of herdsmanship contest and livestock interview judging
- Promoted, facilitated, and photo-documented regional children's safety camp

Tietz's Premium Poultry, Decorah, Iowa

Owner/Operator

May 2012-July 2015

- Completed management responsibilities for personal poultry entrepreneurship
- Fed and monitored 75-150 live birds
- Kept accurate records of feed, finances, and product sales
- Marketed finished product via social media

Collegiate Activities and Recognition

FFA American Degree Recipient	October 2017
Collegiate Poultry Judging Team	September 2017-Present
Editor of Animal Science Undergraduate Newsletter	August 2016-Present
College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Council	January 2017-Present
Social & Service Committee Chairperson	
Corn Growers Association	August 2016-Present
College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Council Representative	
Beginning Farmers Network	August 2016-Present
Publicity Director	
Beginning Farmers Conference Committee Member	
National Agri-Marketing Association (NAMA) Team & Club	August 2016-Present
Agricultural Communicators of Tomorrow	November 2015-Present
Agricultural Community Encourages Success Learning Community	August 2015-May 2016
Block & Bridle	August 2015-Present
Poultry Interest Group- Secretary & Committee Chairperson	
Little North American Showmanship Competition- Poultry Superintendent	

Volunteer Work

-Decorah High School FFA Chapter	December 2015-Present
-Assisted high school FFA students in preparing for career development events	
-Block and Bridle Hunger Fight	October 2015, October 2016, October 2017
-Packaged meals for people in need, assisted with social media presence of hunger fight	
-Iowa State Animal Science Department	June-July 2016
-Assisted new students in registering for academic classes, answered student questions	
-Iowa State University Teaching Farms 50th Anniversary Gathering	September 2015
-Safely transported guests around the farm, presented facts about farm history	

References

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