

Sustainable Agriculture Internship Program

Assistant at the Center for Environmental Farming Systems (CEFS) Summer 2012:

This position of the Sustainable Agriculture Internship Program Assistant (PA) is to assist in carrying out activities associated with the Sustainable Agriculture Internship summer program located at the Center for Environmental Farming Systems (CEFS) in Goldsboro, NC from approximately May 28-August 3, 2012. The PA will provide an important point of contact for the 14 course participants that will live on site near the Small Farm Unit at CEFS. It is essential that the PA possess a positive attitude, ability to work and communicate with a diversity of people and is able to provide a safe environment for building community and cohesion among intern participants. It is expected that the PA will live on-site with the interns or nearby in the Goldsboro community and have a driver's license to drive students among the related internship activities. The PA position is under the shared supervision of the CEFS Assistant Director of Educational Programs and the CEFS Extension and Outreach Coordinator. Coordination of interns and internship activities during the 8 week program (June 4-July 27, 2012) may include coordinating living conditions for interns, driving interns to internship field or community visits, assisting with setting up related activities or discussions with faculty, field or community visits and providing information about Goldsboro events and town services for interns all related to the success of the CEFS Sustainable Agriculture Summer Internship Program.

Required skills: Being a strong communicator, highly organized, motivated, and ability to work with a wide variety of audiences is a must. Position will require a valid driver's license and the ability to operate a 15 passenger van. Ability to prioritize tasks is necessary, while considering input from the multiple teaching team of faculty and staff at CEFS is required. Interest in sustainable agriculture.

Preferred skills: B.S. degree (minimum) from a related field of agronomy, agroecology, horticulture, ecology, soil science, agriculture extension/education, or animal science OR equivalent job experience. Background in sustainable agriculture helpful. Familiarity of Goldsboro and Wayne County community food systems projects are a plus. Previous experience working with college age youth or community organizations a plus.

This is a part time hourly position typically ranging about 20 hours per week. Salary will be based on \$300/week for 10 weeks and includes housing in Goldsboro, NC.

To apply to this position please visit: <https://jobs.ncsu.edu/postings/3308>

If you have any questions about the position please email Lisa Forehand
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Please forward this email to anyone you think may be interested. Thank you.

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