

## Department of Animal Science Advising Center Spring Newsletter #9

Hello Everyone, I hope all of your classes are going well. We are experts in scheduling, resolving class conflicts, and are full of good advice. If you find yourself having trouble figuring out your schedule, are not sure what classes to take, or need general advice, come on in and meet with a Peer Advisor.

The Animal Science Advising Center is open M-F 9am-12pm and 1-4pm in 1202 Meyer Hall.

You can also email us at [asac@ucdavis.edu](mailto:asac@ucdavis.edu) or call 530-754-7915.

For more information about Animal Science Advising, be sure to visit our website at [animalscience.ucdavis.edu/asac](http://animalscience.ucdavis.edu/asac), and like our Facebook page: [UCD Animal Science Advising Center!](#)

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### A. Announcements / Upcoming Events

#### 1. **Animal Science Advising Center Announcements!**

- **Prerequisite checker information:** If you are registering for a course that you do not have the prerequisite for, you may petition to take the course. You may fill out the petition when you register for the course on schedule builder. When filling out the petition please include information as to why you think you should be allowed to be in the course. This can include prior experience in the subject matter and prior classes taken, or prerequisite courses in-progress or planned for summer sessions.

#### 2. **Animal Science Spring Awards Barbeque!**

- The Animal Science Department Spring Awards Barbeque will be held **Tuesday, June 6, 2017 at 5:30pm at the Putah Creek Lodge.**
- Please see the attached flyer for more information.

#### 3. **Hire Me Academy**

- On **June 20 and 21, 2017** the Internship and Career Center will be hosting Hire Me Academy. This academy is for graduating seniors to help them get a job. Topics include resume writing, interview practice, and how to launch an effective job search.
- For more information, please see the attached handout.

#### 4. **National Cattlemen's Beef Association Stockmanship and Stewardship**

- UC Davis will be hosting a National Cattlemen's Beef Association Stockmanship and Stewardship Program **June 23 and 24 at the Cole Facility**. Registration is 25 for students. On Friday, there will be demonstrations by Curt Pate and Ron Gill in the arena, a hosted social hour, a prime rib dinner, music by Jim Green and the Simpson Creek Band. On Saturday, there will be a continental breakfast, box lunch and 3 breakout sessions.
- To register, please visit: <http://www.stockmanshipandstewardship.org/attend/davis-ca>.

## 5. 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Animal Science Horse Barn Production Sale

- The Animal Science Horse Barn Production Sale will take place on **June 24<sup>th</sup>**. A preview of horses to be auctioned will begin at 3pm. A steak dinner will be served at 4:30pm and the Auction will be held at 6pm.
- For more information please visit: <http://animalscience.ucdavis.edu/events/horse-barn-production-sale/index.html>.

## 6. Pre-Vet Boot Camp

- Health Professions Advising will be having a Pre-Vet Bootcamp **July 10-14, 2017**. The Boot Camp will be 2-4pm every day and will be held in the MU Garrison. Topics include a Mock MMI, application preparation, suturing, and more.
- The event is free to attend. For more information, please email [healthprofessionsadvising@ucdavis.edu](mailto:healthprofessionsadvising@ucdavis.edu).

## 7. Department of Animal Science Graduation Photo!

- The graduation photo will be taken before Commencement at **12:30pm on Sunday, June 18, 2017**.
- Please see the attached handout out for more details.

## B. Internships / Job

### 1. Summer Internship Opportunities

- There are several internships available this summer. Please see the attached handout for internships available this summer on and off campus!

### 2. Real-time PCR Research and Diagnostics Core Facility

- The Real-time PCR Research and Diagnostics Core Facility is looking for volunteers to help with veterinary diagnostics weekdays from 9am-12pm.
- The position requires data entry, basic record keeping, filing, and scanning/faxing. Also, helping with reagent preparation, dishes, organization, and minor clean up. There will be the opportunity for Qiagen extractions and qPCR analysis.
- Please submit availability along with a resume to Samantha Barnum ([smmapes@ucdavis.edu](mailto:smmapes@ucdavis.edu)) if interested.

### 3. California State Fair Job Opportunity

- Job opportunities working in the Baby Barn and Milking Parlor at the California State Fair are available from **July 14-July 31, 2017**. The work schedule will be 8am-8pm (Tue, Fri, Sat & Sun)

and 10am-8pm (Mon, Wed & Thurs). Payment will be provided at the end of the fair. Free entry and parking are provided along with badges.

- Please see the attached handout for more information.

#### 4. Center for Equine Health Position

- The Center for Equine Health has a live-in position available. Students are required to work two night shifts per week in exchange for rent-free accommodations. The shifts are usually 4:30pm to 8am. Tasks include assisting in foaling and performing evening treatments of sick or injured horses.
- If interested in the position, please contact Kim Ney at (530)752-6433. For more information please see the attached handout.

#### 5. McNair Scholars Program

- The UC Davis McNair Scholars Program is a two-year program funded by TRIO and the U.S. Department of Education. It is designed to encourage students from groups often underrepresented in graduate programs to pursue doctoral degrees. About 20 UC Davis undergraduates and incoming transfer students are selected each year to participate in activities throughout the academic year and summer. Program benefits include: workshops and seminars, faculty research mentors, pre-graduate school advising, GRE preparation, networking and a summer research internship.
- **Applications are due June 30, 2017.** For more information, please see the attached handouts.

### C.Scholarships and Grants

#### 1. Southwestern Equine Scholarship

- Southwestern Equine has two scholarships available to students each totaling \$500. Students will need to submit an application and proof of enrollment in an equine-related major.
- **The application is due September 1, 2017.** For more information and the application please see the attached handout.

#### 2. The Ashley Soule Conroy Foundation Scholarship

- Applicants must be planning to participate in a full-time study abroad program for at least 1 semester. Additionally, applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 and have financial need.
- The award amount is \$4,000. The **application is due July 1, 2017.** To apply for the scholarship please visit: <http://www.ashleysfoundation.org/mission.html>.

#### 3. California 4-H Scholarship

- Applicants must currently be enrolled in full-time study, be enrolled in the California 4-H Youth Development Program at the time of their high school graduation, and be between the ages of 16 and 25 as of April 30, 2017.
- The award amount is \$1,000. **The deadline to apply is August 6, 2017.**
- To apply for the scholarship please visit: [http://4h.ucanr.edu/Resources/Members/Scholarships - Awards/Scholarships/](http://4h.ucanr.edu/Resources/Members/Scholarships_-_Awards/Scholarships/).

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Hope you had a great week of classes!

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