

# Department of Animal Science Advising Center

## Spring Newsletter #3

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 Adviser. We are experts in scheduling, resolving class conflicts, and are full of good advice

The Animal Science Advising Center is open M-F 9am-12pm and 1-4pm in 1202 Meyer. 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 NEW website at <http://animalscience.ucdavis.edu/asac>, and like our Facebook page: [UCD Animal Science Advising Center!](#)

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### A. Announcements / Upcoming Events

#### **1. Important Announcement Regarding Staff Adviser Availability: Please Plan Ahead!**

- Pass times are always hectic in our advising office, but this quarter it is especially important that you plan ahead, especially if you would like to meet with a staff adviser!
- Pass times come out on May 2<sup>nd</sup>, however **Emma Martinez, Kathryn Jackson, and Kate Livingston will ALL be out of the office from May 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>** for an Advising Conference. As such, **they will NOT be available for ANY student appointments** during that time. Please plan accordingly, and schedule any appointments with the staff beforehand or be willing to meet after they return. We really appreciate your understanding and flexibility!
- While the staff advisers will be out of the office, our **peer advisers will be here and will be available for appointments!** They are a fantastic academic planning resource, and are often capable of performing the exact same tasks as a staff adviser (with the exception of signing formal petitions and APF). Please consider meeting with a peer adviser if you are unable to meet with the staff!
- To make appointments with peer or staff advisers, you can always send us an email with your availability to [asac@ucdavis.edu](mailto:asac@ucdavis.edu), or give us a call at 530-754-5915.

#### **2. 2016 Animal Science Department Scholarship Applications are Now Available!**

- The Animal Science Department Scholarships are now open! The deadline to apply for the awards is **Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 4pm** to the **Animal Science Advising Center (1202 Meyer Hall)**.
- Here is the link to the scholarship applications: <http://animalscience.ucdavis.edu/asac/scholarships>. Please read through the criteria before applying.

- Here is a list of the awards:
  - Companion and Captive Animal Award - \$1000
    - This award is restricted to continuing Animal Science undergraduate students (**sorry, Animal Science and Management students are not eligible**) in the Companion and Captive Animals specialization. Students must have a **minimum GPA of 3.25** to apply for this particular award.
  - The James Delfino Family Memorial Award - \$1000. Two awards available!
  - The Ed DePeters Award - \$1000
  - The Ian Garnett Memorial Award - \$500
  - The Hino Misawa Award - \$1000
    - For Animal Science majors **only**.
  - The Lisa Nash Holmes Award in Animal Science - \$1000
    - This award is available to graduating seniors who are continuing on to professional or graduate school in the following year, in addition to continuing undergraduates and graduate students.
  - The Oskar Lang Laboratory Animal Science Award - \$1000
  - The Gary P. Moberg Memorial Award - \$500
  - The Ed F. Olivera Sr. Memorial Award - \$1000
  - The Frank G. Rue Memorial Award – Two awards, amounts TBA
- If you have any questions, please contact Emma Martinez at [eadmartinez@ucdavis.edu](mailto:eadmartinez@ucdavis.edu).

### 3. Important Dates for Spring 2016

- Some key important dates to keep in mind:
- **Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup>: Summer Session Pass Time appointments available.**
- **Friday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>: 20<sup>th</sup> Day of Instruction**
  - Last day to drop classes with a 20-day drop deadline
- **Monday, April 25<sup>th</sup>: Summer Session Pass Times begin.**
- **Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup>: 25<sup>th</sup> Day of Instruction**
  - Last day to opt for P/NP grading. (**Please note that you CANNOT opt any major courses P/NP, all major requirements and specialization courses must be taken for a letter grade.**)
  - Last day to change variable units (pertinent to ANS 92/192, 99/199, 98/198).

### 4. ICC “Hire Me!” Academy Workshop Series

- The Internship and Career Center will be offering a workshop series to help graduating students gain valuable information, skills, and opportunities needed to land a career position.
- A list of their workshops and other ICC Events for this month is given below:
  - Prepare for the Fair: **Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup> from 12:10-1:00pm** in 114 South Hall
  - Spring Internship and Career Fair: **Wednesday, April 20<sup>th</sup> from 10:00am-2:00pm**
  - Find a Job: **Tuesday, April 26 from 1:10-2:00 pm** in 229 South Hall.
  - Resume Basics: **Wednesday, April 27<sup>th</sup> from 12:10-1:00 pm** in 229 South Hall
- To see even more events planned for later in the quarter, and to learn more about each workshop, please visit <http://icc.ucdavis.edu/hire-me-academy.htm>.

## B. Internships / Jobs

### 1. Corral Hollow Ranch Foreman Position Available

- Corral Hollow Ranch (located in Modesto, CA) is looking for a working foreman for their 1000 head cattle operation.
- Responsibilities in this position include implementing safety policies, developing wildlife population and habitats, aiding in the development and supervision of ranch personnel, and supporting the business of this cow/calf operation
- The entry deadline for this position is **May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016**.
- A full position description is attached to this email.
- Interested individuals should contact Arvid Carlson at [arvidscarlson@gmail.com](mailto:arvidscarlson@gmail.com)

## 2. University Career Positions Available with Beef Cattle

- **Beef Cattle Manager, Range Operations:**
  - This position, in cooperation with the personnel at the Sierra Foothill Research and Extension Center (SFREC, located about 70 miles from campus), is responsible for the management of the Animal Science Department's commercial beef cattle herd, and the research conducted using these animals. The manager also performs routine animal husbandry procedures, breeds cattle (both AI and bulls), monitors calving, monitors health and body condition, and helps develop and implement seasonal grazing plans.
  - Position available at [www.employment.ucdavis.edu](http://www.employment.ucdavis.edu), **Requisition # 03016199**
  - Applications are due by **May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016**
- **Beef Cattle Technician:**
  - This position shall serve as an assistant to the Animal Resources Manager at the Animal Science Beef Facilities and Feedmill, helping manage the UCD experimental beef feedlot (750 head capacity), registered beef cattle unit (100 cows at 3 locations), commercial cattle operation (450 cows at Sierra Foothills Research and Extension Center), 50 cattle at the Folsom Prison grazing location, 50 cattle at the Vacaville Prison grazing location, and feed milling facility (2,000 tons annual feed production) operated by the Department of Animal Science.
  - Position Available at [www.employment.ucdavis.edu](http://www.employment.ucdavis.edu), **Requisition # 03016188**
  - Applications are due by **April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2016**.

## 3. Kentucky Equine Management Internship

- From the Kentucky Equine Management Internship website:
 

“The Kentucky Equine Management Internship (KEMI) program is dedicated to improving the opportunities for college students wishing to pursue a career in the field of equine management. KEMI offers a comprehensive educational experience for students enrolled for academic credit through a sponsoring college or university, or for recent graduates of such institutions.”
- The deadline to apply for the upcoming Fall 2016 internship is **April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016!** The Fall 2016 Internship takes place June 20<sup>th</sup>-December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016.
- For more information and to find an application, please visit [www.kemi.org](http://www.kemi.org) or call 1-877-644-KEMI.

## C. Scholarships

### 1. Imperial County Farm Bureau

- Imperial County Farm Bureau is proud to offer scholarships to residents of Imperial County who have chosen a field of study that supports their goal of an agriculture-related career.

- Farm Bureau administers several scholarship funds from a number of sources. By submitting this application, you are applying to all of the scholarships administered by Imperial County Farm Bureau. Applicants must be enrolled in full-time units and have a minimum GPA of 2.50.
- Deadline: **April 22, 2016**
- Award Amount: \$250 to \$3,000
- More information: <http://www.icfb.net/scholarships.html>

## 2. Charles P. Lake – Rain for Rent Scholarship

- The Charles P. Lake - Rain for Rent Scholarship was established in the memory of the company's founder, a pioneer of the irrigation equipment rental industry.
- Applicants must have completed their freshman year of college and be currently enrolled for the next year of school, have a minimum GPA of 3.0, be a U.S. citizen, and their educational emphasis must be primarily Agricultural or Engineering in nature.
- Deadline: **April 30, 2016**
- Award Amount: \$1,500
- More information: <http://www.rainforrent.com/Careers/Students-and-Recent-Graduates/Charles-P-Lake-Rain-for-Rent-Scholarship/>

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*"If you don't know where you're going, any road will take you there."*

- George Harrison

I hope you all had a studious week, and are ready for a fantastic Picnic Day!

Kathleen Furtado  
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