

Department of Animal Science Advising Center

ANS & ANM Spring Newsletter #5

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. They are experts in scheduling, resolving class conflicts, and giving good advice.

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

You can email us at asac@ucdavis.edu or call us at 530-754-7915.

For more information about Animal Science Advising, be sure to visit our website at animalscience.ucdavis.edu/asac, like our Facebook page: [UCD Animal Science Advising Center](https://www.facebook.com/UCDAnimalScienceAdvisingCenter), and follow our Instagram: [UCDASAC](https://www.instagram.com/UCDASAC)!

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A. Announcements / Upcoming Events

1. Specific Listservs for Aquatic, Avian, and Poultry Specializations

- If you are specializing in one of these areas, please let us know by emailing asac@ucdavis.edu.
- We can then add you to the appropriate listserv and you can receive information pertaining to your specialization.

2. ASAC Closed Mondays 11am-12pm

- During Spring 2018 we will be closed on Mondays from 11am to 12pm to hold our weekly staff meetings.

3. Summer 2018 Course: ANS 198 – Zoo Biology and Research

- This course will be offered Summer Session 2.
- The CRN is 70491.
- A flyer with more information is attached.

4. ANS Students: Fall Lab Courses

- **DO NOT WAIT FOR SPRING TO TAKE YOUR LAB COURSE!** There are very limited seats available in Spring Laboratory Courses (ANS 137, MCB 120&120L, and MCB 160L). All Animal Science major students must take a laboratory course.
- Fall Registration appointments will be available Monday, May 7, 2018.
- Fall registration begins **Monday, May 14, 2018**.
- Fall Lab Courses include:
 - ANS 132 (198): Microbiology of Animal Systems Laboratory; CRN: 11655
 - ANS 135: Production Animal Laboratory
 - ANS 136: Techniques and Practices of Fish Culture
 - ANG 111: Molecular Biology Laboratory Techniques
- If you have any questions about the Laboratory Course Requirement, please contact asac@ucdavis.edu.

5. HPA Event: Global and National Experiences: May 8, 2018

- The Pre-Health Ambassador Network (PHAN) is hosting a "Global and National Experiences" workshop on **Tuesday, May 8, 2018 from 6:10-7pm in Geidt 1003**.
- This event will include a panel with representatives of a variety of programs that offer exciting experiences both in and out of the country. Some of these programs are paid experiences.
- A flyer with more information is attached.

6. Kaplan GRE Workshop: May 9, 2018

- HPA is hosting a GRE Workshop with Kaplan Test Prep on **Wednesday, May 9, 2018 at 1pm** in the Health Professions Advising Center (HPAC).
- More information is available here: <https://goo.gl/1fRqzE>.

7. Young Cattlemen's Association Meeting: May 10, 2018

- The next YCA meeting will be **Thursday, May 10, 2018 at 6:15pm** at the UC Davis Beef Barn.
- There will be a BBQ, guest speakers, and the 2018-2019 Officer Team elections.
- If you would like to attend, please RSVP to their Facebook event here: <https://goo.gl/dKrSaQ>.
- If you have any questions, please contact davisyoungcattlemens@gmail.com.

8. Exploring Health Careers Symposium: May 12, 2018

- HPA, Sigma Mu delta, and Kappa Gamma Delta are hosting the Exploring Health Careers Symposium on **Saturday, May 12, 2018 at 6pm** in the LS Courtyard.
- More information is available here: <https://goo.gl/jF2cno>.

9. WFCB Career Panel: Is Graduate School Right for You?

- This panel is hosted by Wildlife, Fish and Conservation Biology.
- It will be held on **Wednesday, May 16, 2018, 4:10-5:15pm** in 3001 PES (Plant & Environmental Sciences Building).
- Please RSVP to the google form here: <https://goo.gl/forms/30cKXbdhVtqQnKIQ2>.
- A flyer with more information is attached.

B. Internships / Jobs

1. Aggie Ambassador Officer Applications Due TODAY

- A full description with more information is attached.
- Application Link: <https://goo.gl/forms/q5oSLZJG3Ooiumwj2>.

2. Summer 2018 Internships!

- Many internships are available over summer.
- A flyer with more information is attached.

3. Summer 2018 Internship: Neonatal Calf Research, UC Davis SVM

- This internship opportunity is a **paid** summer position lasting approximately four weeks.
- It will be held at the Yosemite Dairy in Hilmar, CA.
- The research study is investigating the effects of oral colostral immunoglobulin supplementation in calves with diarrhea.
- They are looking for reliable people with open schedules during the month of June and early July.
- Experience with calves is preferred but not required.
- If you would like to apply, please send your resume and a brief cover letter to Maire Rayburn at mcrayburn@ucdavis.edu. Please use the subject line "2018 Research Position – *your name*".
- A flyer with more information is attached.

4. Pre-Health Ambassador Network Application

- PHAN serves to help first-year pre-health students by providing support and hosting workshops and networking events throughout the year.
- Ambassadors will be trained by the Health Professions Advising (HPA) office during regularly scheduled training days and meetings.
- The application is due **Monday, May 14, 2018 at 11:59pm**.
- A flyer with more information is attached.
- The application is available here: <https://hpa.ucdavis.edu/prehealthprograms/phan.html>.

5. Job Opportunity: Animal Care Student Assistant II, Psychology Research Animal Facility

- The full description and application are available on Aggie Job Link, Job # 838525.
- Application Deadline: **Tuesday, May 8, 2018.**
- The start date is negotiable.
- This position is located on campus.

6. Center for Student Involvement Open Positions 2018-2019

- There are two main positions open: Registered Student Organization Grant Student Manager and CFC Board Member.
- More information about the RSO Grant Student Manager position is here: <https://goo.gl/5CDLwQ>.
- More information about the CFC Board Member position is here: <https://goo.gl/L92E9D>.

7. Summer/Fall 2018 Volunteer Opportunity: Knights Landing One Health Center

- There are two volunteer categories with open positions: Health Education Volunteers and Clinical Volunteers.
- To qualify for these positions you must be a registered UC Davis Student and make a minimum 2-quarter commitment.
- A full list of descriptions/requirements for each position can be found here: <https://goo.gl/4Lw3eC>.

8. Job Opportunity: Assistant Manager, Brandt Company, Inc.

- This position is located in Brawley, CA (Imperial Valley).
- A full position description is attached.
- If you have any questions or would like to apply, please contact Jonathon Beckett at beckettconsulting@gmail.com or call Scotty Chapman at 760-348-2295.

9. Job Opportunities: Guide Dogs for the Blind

- Guide Dogs for the Blind has several positions open, including: Apprentice Instructor, Canine Welfare Training Technician, and Canine Welfare Neonatal Technician.
- Full descriptions of these positions and more information are attached.
- If you have any questions, please visit www.guidedogs.com/careers or contact recruiting@guidedogs.com.

10. Volunteer Opportunity: Outdoor Education with Cache Creek Conservancy

- Volunteer tasks include: leading outdoor education activities with visiting students, setting up and taking down activity stations, and serving the community and the environment.
- Training will be provided.
- A flyer with more information is attached.

C. Scholarships | Fellowships

1. Office of Educational Opportunity and Enrichment Services Summer Research Fellowship

- Application Deadline: **Monday, May 7, 2018**
- Award Amount: \$2,700 stipend to support a 10-week summer research project
- More information is available here: <https://goo.gl/fbRhbj>.

2. National Collegiate Cancer Foundation Scholarship

- Application Deadline: **Tuesday, May 15, 2018**
- Award Amount: \$1,000
- More information is available here: <http://collegiatecancer.org/scholarships/>.

3. American Agri-Women Daughters of American Agriculture Scholarships

- Application Deadline: **Friday, June 1, 2018**
- Award Amount: \$1,000
- More information is available here: <https://americanagriwomen.org/scholarships/>.

4. Julia Carrington Foundation Scholarship

- Application Deadline: Friday, June 1, 2018
- Award Amount: \$10,000
- More information is available here: <https://www.carringtonscholarship.com>.

5. A list of additional scholarships is attached.

Have an outstanding weekend!

Grace Dell'Olio
Animal Science Advising Center

Course for Summer Session II 2018

Zoo Biology and Research

CRN: 70491 (ANS 198)

3 units

Course Description: This course will provide you with an introduction to the workings of the modern zoo. Topics addressed will include: history of zoos, zoo staffing structure, and aspects of animal care (e.g., housing, social management, enrichment) & research (e.g., genetics, health, nutrition, behavior, cognition, and guest perceptions). During the course, you will have the opportunity to visit Sacramento Zoo to develop a research proposal for a project based on a specific exhibit at Sacramento Zoo.

Field Trips to Sacramento Zoo

Time/Location:

Lecture: Tue & Wed 11:00 am – 12:40 pm (Meyer 1131)

Discussion: Thur 11:00 am – 12:40 pm (Meyer 1131)

Co-instructor: YeunShin Lee

May count for Companion and Captive ANS Specialization



GLOBAL & NATIONAL EXPERIENCES

MAY 8TH

GIEDT 1003

6:10 P.M.

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HEALTH PROFESSIONS ADVISING



PHAN

Pre-Health Ambassador Network

Is Grad School For Me?

Career Panel in the WFCB Seminar Series.

Wednesday May 16th 4:10 pm – 5:15 pm
3001 PES



- We are thrilled to have five panelist who will have 5 minutes each to introduce themselves, followed by 35 minutes for Q&A as it relates to why, how, when, and where to enter graduate school. We will finish up with 10 minutes of networking.
- The five Ph.D candidates are Alexandra McInturf (animal behavior), Vicky Morgan (pop bio), Jackie Aliperti (ecology), Christian John (ecology) and Claudio Manuel Monteza (animal behavior).
- Come join the conversation.



SUMMER 2010 Annual Internship Opportunities

Looking for an internship this summer?

GOAT KIDDING AND KID RAISING

Entry level Goat Kidding and Kid Raising internships available for Summer Session 1. A minimum of 3 shifts per week to complete the 5 hrs/week requirement feeding the kids, processing newborn kids, and assisting with facility upkeep. Contact Rachel Conway- riconway@ucdavis.edu

GOAT MILKING

Goat milking internship will be available for returning students with prior experience at the facility for Summer Session 2. A minimum of two shifts per week. Contact Rachel Conway- riconway@ucdavis.edu

SWINE BARN / FARROWING

A minimum of 5 hours/week/unit carrying out duties related to farrowing management, care, and health of sows and piglets. Students are required to submit a cover letter and resume explaining previous animal related experience. Contact Aaron Prinz- agprinz@ucdavis.edu

DAIRY CALF MANAGEMENT

A minimum of 4 shifts each week. 6 hours/week feeding and caring for young calves. 9-10:30 AM and 4-5:30 PM available every day of the week. Contact Doug Gisi- ddgisi@ucdavis.edu



CREES BROTHERS FARM: NIGERIAN DWARF DAIRY GOAT

Learn how to care for Nigerian Dwarf dairy goats at the Crees Brothers Farm located within Davis. Anyone can apply, no matter what level of goat experience. Contact Laura Crees- lauracrees@yahoo.com or creesbrothersfarm@gmail.com

SACRAMENTO SPCA: ANIMAL SHELTER SERVICES

Work as an animal care, animal behavior, or clinic intern. Some animal care experience is helpful. Animal behavior interns should have educational or practical experience in the field of animal behavior. 8 to 12 week programs, one to two days per week with 3 to 6 hour shifts. Contact the Animal Science Advising Center for more information.

SACRAMENTO ZOO KEEPER AID VOLUNTEER

The Sacramento Zoo offers volunteer experience. Volunteers work alongside zoo keepers in cleaning the animals' exhibits and dens, preparing diets, doing dishes, making enrichment and feeding the animals in five animal care areas. Contact the Volunteer Coordinator- (916) 808-7444 or visit the Sac Zoo Volunteer webpage.



Evaluation of the effects of oral colostral IgG supplementation in neonatal dairy calves with diarrhea

Start Date: approximately 2nd or 3rd week of June

****I know this is finals week for undergraduates, but do not worry, you will not be expected to work during finals week

Duration: approximately 4 weeks

Where: Yosemite Dairy in Hilmar, California

Summary of study and student responsibilities:

This study will be carried out in Hilmar California at Yosemite Dairy. Students will be housed in a hotel in Hilmar and will be responsible for mixing calf treatments in bottles and assisting farm hands in feeding enrolled calves their treatments. This will be fast paced work and attention to detail will be essential in ensuring the right calves receive their designated treatments. In addition, between feedings students will be surveying the connected farms in order to enroll calves that turn up with diarrhea. Each day, students will likely make a full 8 hours of work.

Please email Maire Rayburn with a resume and brief cover letter at mcrayburn@ucdavis.edu. If students would please place in the subject line "2018 Research Position - your name".

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PRE-HEALTH AMBASSADOR NETWORK

Health Professions Advising (HPA) provides pre-health advising to all students and alumni. PHAN serves to help first-year pre-health students by providing support and hosting workshops and networking events throughout the year. Ambassadors will be trained by the HPA office during regularly scheduled training days and meetings.

APPLICATIONS OPEN
INFO SESSION 1
INFO SESSION 2
APPLICATIONS DUE
INTERVIEWS
WELCOME SOCIAL
ORIENTATION
TRAINING

4/23
5/2 @6:10 in HPAC
5/8 @6:10 in HPAC
5/14 @11:59pm
Week 8 TBD
5/28 @5PM
9/29
9/30

Pre-Health Ambassadors have the potential to become peer advisors within HPA.

APPLY AT:

<https://hpa.ucdavis.edu/prehealthprograms/phan.html>



CUSTOM CATTLE FEEDING • BIG BALES

Office (760) 344-3430 • Fax (760) 344-8523 • Feedlot (760) 348-2295
299 WEST MAIN STREET • P. O. BOX 118 • BRAWLEY, CALIFORNIA 92227

Job Description – Assistant Feed Yard Manager

Responsibilities will include:

- Assist the Manager in the day to day operations of the feedlot.
- Manage, develop and help lead various departments at the feedlot.
- Ensure that all required records and reporting are developed and maintained to comply with all environmental, safety, and regulatory issues (OSHA/Safety Procedures-Programs/RWQB/ARB/BIT Program).
- Develop written systems for various parts of the feedlot operation.
- Assist in setting up new programs at the feedlot for the Onsite Composting Operation.
- Assist in managing Cattle Programs that currently exist at the feedlot.
- Work with other employees in the development and improvement of existing and future feedlot operations.

Other:

- Good communication/leadership skills
- Fluency in Spanish and/or the ability to learn Spanish in a timely manner
- Ability to wear “Multiple Hats”
- Willingness to live in the Imperial Valley of California
- Knowledge of Computer and Computer Systems
- Industry Experience is desired
- Will require working a flexible schedule of up to 6 day a week

INTERESTED IN A CAREER AT GUIDE DOGS FOR THE BLIND?



Guide Dogs
for the Blind



Guide Dogs for the Blind (GDB) is the largest Guide Dog school in North America. We are headquartered in San Rafael, CA and are seeking full-time Canine Welfare Neonatal Technicians (CWNT) in our Neonatal Department. Our CWNTs work with our youngest population, caring for puppies from birth to 8-10 weeks of age as well as program dogs being boarded at our facilities for reasons other than formal training. GDB's mission is to empower lives by creating exceptional partnerships between people, dogs and communities. We have a core set of values and behaviors focusing on our mission, integrity, kindness and respect, teamwork and collaboration, and empowerment. Our CWNTs are an integral part of our mission and give our puppies the best chance of a successful future.

A CWNT provides care to dogs that are being kenneled at our facilities for reasons other than formal training. Requiring solid teamwork and communication skills, the work entails:

- Feeding, bathing and medicating puppies and dogs
- Maintaining a clean kennel and enriched environment and adhering to strict biosecurity protocols
- Assisting with breeding and whelping; providing care to newborn puppies
- Data entry and reception duties related to dogs coming into or leaving our kennel facilities.

The Neonatal Department is staffed 24/7 year-round, so this role involves working day, at least one overnight and weekend shifts.

This role requires strong communication skills, both verbal and written, ability to work in a fast paced environment and keen attention to detail, including good observation and record keeping skills. Enjoy working in a team focused environment and a culture where feedback and open communication is encouraged. This is a physical job and requires reaching, bending, stooping and walking.

This is a full-time, non-exempt position and eligible for benefits including:

- Health, dental & Vision insurance
- 403(b) retirement savings plan with employer match
- Paid vacation, holiday and sick leave
- On-Site Wellness Programs: cross training, yoga, massage, workout room, physical therapy
- Dog friendly work environment after initial period

Apply at [guidedogs.com/careers](https://www.guidedogs.com/careers) or send your resume to recruiting@guidedogs.com



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Apprentice Instructor

Under the guidance of a Mentor Guide Dog Mobility Instructor (GDMI), Apprentice GDMI's are responsible for training "class ready" guide dogs and for instructing clients in the use of those dogs, resulting in safe and effective guide dog teams. The Apprentice progresses through three – four years of theoretical and practical course work and skills assessments.

Canine Welfare Training Technician

A Canine Welfare/Training Technician is part of the Training Department and provides physical and psychological care to young adult dogs training to become Guide Dogs kenneled at our facilities. CWTTs feed, bathe, provide enrichment and work on assigned behaviors. They also medicate dogs under veterinary care. They maintain a clean kennel environment following GDB protocols. This position requires solid teamwork and excellent communications skills. Computer skills require the ability to use Outlook, some Word and data entry. A CWTT can provide a path to the Apprentice Program.

Canine Welfare Neonatal Technician

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Apply at [guidedogs.com/careers](https://www.guidedogs.com/careers) or send your resume to recruiting@guidedogs.com

Guide Dogs for the Blind is more than an industry-leading guide dog school; we are a passionate community that serves the visually impaired. With exceptional client services and a robust network of trainers, puppy raisers, donors and volunteers, we prepare highly qualified guide dogs to serve and empower individuals who are blind or have low vision. All of our services are provided free of charge; we receive no government funding.



Cache Creek Conservancy

Inspire the Next Generation of Environmental Stewards



Join the Cache Creek Conservancy's efforts to provide opportunities for students to get outside and explore the wonders of the natural world.

Volunteer Tasks

- Lead outdoor education activities with visiting students
- Set up and take down activity stations
- Have Fun!



Why Volunteer?

- Service to the community and the environment
- Gain knowledge in lesson planning and application
- Spend time outdoors
- Personal gratification as you support nature and introduce it to curious children
- There is nothing like that "ah ha" moment on a youngster's face

Training will be provided

No previous education experience needed, just enthusiasm to share your love for the outdoors and inspire the next generation!

More Information

For more information on the dates and lengths of the field trips happening this Spring and how you can sign up to volunteer with the Cache Creek Conservancy's education program, please contact

Mikayla Peterson, Outreach and Watershed Education Specialist, at
(530) 661-1070 or mpeterson@cachecreekconservancy.org



Cache Creek Nature Preserve
34199 County Road 20
Woodland, CA 95695

Cache Creek Conservancy | (530) 661-1070 | www.cacheconserv.org

Additional Scholarships

1. Summer Research Fellowship: Innovation Institute for Food and Health

- Award amount: \$3,500 research stipend and \$500 travel grant.
- A flyer with more information is attached.
- More information is available at <http://urc.ucdavis.edu/programs/IIFH.html>.
- If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Annaliese Franz at akfranz@ucdavis.edu.

2. Scholarships in Floriculture and Horticulture: American Floral Endowment

- The application deadline for all scholarships is **Tuesday, May 1, 2018**.
- More information is available on their website here: <http://endowment.org/scholarships/>.

3. Bill and Jane Fischer Vegetation Management Scholarship

- Award Amount: Multiple awards of \$1,000
- Application Deadline: Postmarked by **Friday, May 18, 2018**.
- The application with more information is attached.
- An online application is available here:
http://ucanr.edu/Development_services/Awards_and_scholarships/Fischer_Online_Application/.

4. Knowles A. Ryerson Award in Agriculture

- Award Amount: Two \$2,500 awards, one each at Berkeley and Davis; Multiple other awards available.
- Application Deadline: Postmarked by **Friday, May 18, 2018**.
- Student must be a foreign undergraduate student in the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, in any curriculum.
- The award is to be made on the basis of high scholarship, outstanding character, and promise of leadership.
- If you have any questions, please contact apambrose@ucanr.edu.
- A flyer with more information is attached.

5. PepsiCo Cesar Chavez Latino Scholarship

- Application deadline: **Friday, May 25, 2018**.
- Award amount: \$5,000
- Minimum 3.0 GPA
- Ten scholarships will be awarded.
- More information is available here: <https://goo.gl/pWifie>.

6. National Poultry & Food Distributors Association (NPFDA) Scholarship

- Application deadline: **Thursday, May 31, 2018**.
- Award amount: \$4,000
- A flyer with more information is attached.

7. US Sweet Potato Council – Logo Design Scholarship

- Application & Submission Deadline: **Friday, July 13, 2018**
- Award amount: \$2,000
- The application is attached and includes submission instructions.

8. DNMC Dairy Summit Essay Contest

- Dairy Nutrition and Management Consulting, LLC (DNMC) is holding an essay contest for the Dairy Summit 2018.
- Award Amount: \$750
- Submission Deadline: **Saturday, September 1, 2018**.
- A flyer with more information is attached.

US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL 2018 LOGO DESIGN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship

One \$2,000.00 scholarship will be offered to a student selected from applicants from Auburn University, Louisiana State University, Mississippi State University, North Carolina State University, and University of California, Davis.

If the scholarship committee feels no student fulfills the requirements, scholarship may not be given.

Awards

The US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL Scholarship will be paid to the university's Financial Aid Office of the recipient's university. Upon receiving the payment, we will ask the Financial Aid Officer to verify registration of the Scholarship awardee.

Scholarship Program Objectives

The purpose of the program is to develop and design the logo and associated style guide for the US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL.

The US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL is an advocate for the economic well-being of the US Sweet Potato producer. The sweet potato producers and the entire US sweet potato industry benefit directly and indirectly from the activities of the Council that supports them in implementing reasonably priced promotion activities, monitoring federal issue affecting the growers' ability to produce efficiently, advocating key congressional representatives and staff on federal issues important to growers, and providing a forum for bringing together, on a national level, growers and issues of diverse regions.

1. The Council seeks to have a unique logo, unlike any of the state associations, commissions or councils.
2. Designs should be presented in single color, two-color and full color versions with the palettes and typography identified accordingly.
3. The design needs to be applicable across various applications – print, electronic, merchandise, etc.
4. Selected design becomes the property of the US Sweet Potato Council however, may be used in student/professional portfolio. A letter of support and authorization will be provided by the Council.

Eligibility Requirements

Age, gender, race, religion, national origin or financial needs are not conditions of eligibility for the award.

Application procedures for students

1. All applications require design submission as noted above.
2. Write a Style Guide for logo use – 1-color, 2-color and full color use of the logo in various applications.
3. Write a statement of your design rationale.
4. Provide a letter of recommendation from the department head and/or a faculty member.
5. The US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL office must receive all applications by **July 13, 2018**.

Special Notes

1. If an awardee withdraws from school, the unused balance of the award must be returned to the US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL.
2. Scholarship recipient is asked, if possible, to attend the US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL Convention.

Selection Process

1. A US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL scholarship will be awarded to a student attending one of the listed universities – Auburn University, Louisiana State University, Mississippi State University, North Carolina State University and University of California.
2. The award of these Scholarships will be based on the following:
 - a) Design
 - b) Style Guide
 - c) Statement – your rationale for the design submitted.
 - d) Financial needs will not be a consideration for this award.
3. The Scholarship Committee will select the recipient(s).

Selection Submissions:

 - a) Design 60%
 - b) Clarity of expression, spelling and grammar 20%
 - c) Persuasiveness 10%
 - d) Originality of thought 10%

The evaluation will be according to the personal opinion of the council's panel of judges.

Notification

The awarded applicant and the University will be notified of the recipient.

A written acceptance from the successful recipient must be sent to the US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL office before the scholarship funds will be released for use by the recipient.

QUESTIONS RELATED TO THE APPLICATION PROCESS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO:

MS. KAY RENTZEL, US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
Phone: (717) 329-8421 or e-mail to ksrentzel@aol.com

US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Application Deadline, July 13, 2018

Personal Information

Name_____

Home Address_____

City/State/Zip_____

Phone_____Email_____

School Information

University Name_____

Address_____

City/State/Zip_____

Enrolled in course of study_____junior_____senior_____

Department Head_____Phone_____

Required Supplemental Information

1. All applications require design submission as noted in announcement.
2. Write a Style Guide for logo use.
3. Write a statement of your design rationale.
4. Provide a letter of recommendation from the department head and/or a faculty member.
5. The US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL office must receive all applications by **July 13, 2018**.

I certify that all information provided with this application is true and correct

Signature_____ **Date**_____

Your application must be completed in full and be MAILED TO THE ADDRESS BELOW AND BE RECEIVED BY JULY 13, 2018.

**Mail to: US SWEET POTATO COUNCIL
22 Triplett Court
Dillsburg, PA 17019**

Phone: (717) 329-8421 or e-mail to ksrentzel@aol.com



The 39th Year of the NPFDA Scholarship

The National Poultry and Food Distributors Association Scholarship Foundation has given almost \$240,000.00 to rising leaders in the 39 years it has been operating. Every year since 1979, NPFDA has awarded a select group of deserving students with a scholarship to help them complete their poultry or agriculture related degrees.

In the Past:

The NPFDA scholarship began when its leadership saw the need for outstanding "People Resources" in the agricultural industry. In 1986, the William Manson Family Memorial Scholarship and the Alfred Schwartz Memorial Scholarship Awards were established. In 1997, NPFDA named a third scholarship award the Albin S. Johnson Memorial Scholarship Award.

The yearly award has increased to \$4000 per student and the number of students to be awarded has increased to 5 (\$20,000 total in awards). The NPFDA scholarship committee chooses five exceptional students each year. Two students will be chosen from NPFDA Member Companies (employees or children of employees).

The funds for the 2018-2019 scholarships come from private cash donations and donations to NPFDA's annual silent auction. The silent auction is held each January during the Annual Convention in Atlanta at the Awards reception.

Information for Current Students:

Each applicant must:

- Be a college junior or senior during the upcoming school year
- Be enrolled as a full-time student
- Be pursuing a poultry or related agricultural degree, i.e. Agricultural Business, Poultry Science, Food Science, Animal Science, Food Marketing, Ag. Econ, and other related business and agricultural degrees.
- Provide his or her sealed official transcript. Must be the official Transcript and stamped for authentication.
- Provide a letter of recommendation from his or her Dean, Department Head, and/or advisor.
- Complete the application
- Provide a one-page letter describing his or her goals and aspirations

All applications and documents are due by 5/31/18. Only official transcripts will be considered after 5/31/18 due to the short timeframe between the end of the semester and the deadline.

In late spring, the scholarship committee will review all applicants. The scholarship winners are chosen based on their aspirations, extra-curricular activities, as well as their academic progress. Winners will be contacted via phone call in July. Everyone else will receive an email.

Interested Students may [Apply Here](#). You can open your account and return to it anytime. You may upload supporting documents and fill out the application and essay on line.

NPFDA Scholarship Foundation, Inc
2014 Osbourne Rd
Saint Marys, GA 31558

Phone: (770) 535-9901

Fax: (770) 535-7385

All applicants need to [click here to access the application](https://fs27.formsite.com/nqphKp/form1/index.html) or if Hyperlink is not available, type the following into your browser: <https://fs27.formsite.com/nqphKp/form1/index.html>

The OEOES Summer Research Fellowship

The Office of Educational Opportunity and Enrichment Services is inviting applications for its first Summer Research Fellowship. Successful applicants will receive a stipend of \$2700 to support a research project to be carried out over 10 weeks during the summer, June 25-August 31.

Applications due by May 7th.



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Fellowship Expectations and Objectives

- Fellows will work with a faculty mentor who will oversee the project from design to completion, and meet at least weekly. If you do not already have a connection with a professor who could act as your mentor, we will help you reach out to possible mentors before the start of the program.
- Fellows will work on the project full-time, between 30 and 40 hours a week.
- Fellows will attend and participate in various events related to research and graduate school exploration.
- Fellows will meet as a group one a week.
- Fellows will present their work at a symposium at the end of the program.

Eligibility

- 3.0 GPA. If your GPA is less than 3.0, you will be asked to explain why this is not an accurate indicator of your academic potential.
- All fields and majors are invited to apply. However, priority will be given to applicants whose research explores the following topics: civic engagement, higher education, transfer and re-entry, student experience, underrepresented student populations.
- Must be a current undergraduate student during the period of the fellowship.
- Must be available to work full-time during the duration of the program, June 25-August 31.

Application requirements

- Online application form
- Personal statement of up to 500 words describing your academic and personal background, research interests, graduate school goals and how participation in the program will support these goals. You will submit this at the end of the online form.
- One letter of rec due by May 7th. The letter should be emailed to clegalls@ucdavis.edu by the letter writer and should attest to your aptitude to carry out original research. It can be written by a professor, T.A., staff member, supervisor, mentor, etc.
- **Applications due by Monday, May 7th at 11:59 p.m.**

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For questions, email the program facilitator, Cloe Le Gall-Scoville, at clegalls@ucdavis.edu.

