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Summer Job / Internship

Purpose:	Assist with wheat and oat breeding at the University of Illinois.
Job description:	Duties include a. helping to maintain and harvest research plots b. data collection in research plots and on grain samples and c. preparation of seed for fall planting. Approximately two-thirds of this work takes place outdoors. This position is full-time (40 hrs/wk) for the entire summer (mid-May to mid-August) with potential for overtime during harvest (approximately June 15 th – July). The regular pay rate is \$12.00/hour and overtime pay is \$18.00/hour. Students may also earn internship credit through this position.
What students will learn:	Students will learn a. how to recognize different agronomic and disease resistance traits in wheat and oat, b. the purpose of and technical details involved in different stages of crop breeding programs, and c. how to work with other staff and interns as part of a team.
Location:	University of Illinois South Farm - Crop Sciences Research and Education Center, Urbana, Illinois. Employees/interns are to report to work each day at the Agronomy Seed House on W. Hazelwood Dr. (http://g.co/maps/3hkpn) by 8:30am.
Requirements:	Undergraduate student or recent graduate. Desire to perform hands-on work.
To apply:	To apply fill out this application form https://forms.gle/LM5PvJqiF5cWgdAH7 . For more information visit our website: https://smallgrains.web.illinois.edu/wp/ or email: Jessica Rutkoski jrut@illinois.edu