Internships

International Research Opportunities for Undergraduates

Conduct research on world food production as a summer intern in international crop research laboratories.

For over a half century, the scientific and humanitarian achievements of Dr. Norman Borlaug (Nobel Peace Prize winner and Medal Of Freedom Winner) has kept starvation at bay for millions of people in third world countries. (Norman Borlaug Heritage Foundation)

The Borlaug Summer Internship Program is intended to provide undergraduate students exciting research, community or field experiences in an international setting – experiencing first hand some of the many factors and issues involved in international development and food production. Internships will be offered to undergraduate students at Iowa State University who have demonstrated superior academic ability and who have course work, professional or personal experience, and career interests related to international food production. The Borlaug Summer Internship Program is administered through the Global Agriculture Programs Office in the College of Agriculture at Iowa State University. Application deadline is January 20. For more details and application information contact: Shelley Taylor, Agriculture Study Abroad Program, College of Agriculture, 111 Curtiss Hall, Iowa State University, Ames, IA 50011 (Tel: 515-294-5393; Email: shtaylor@iastate.edu) http://www.ag.iastate.edu/global/

The Borlaug Summer Internship includes:
• Room and board for eight weeks at host institute
• Summer stipend of $750
• Roundtrip airfare from Des Moines to internship location
• Bench fees of $500 for host professor/institute
• Independent study opportunities

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