

Job Title: Agronomy Intern – Tyree Ag

Department: Agronomy

Reports To/Approved by: Agronomy Department Staff

FLSA Status: Non-exempt Approved date: 2/2016

Summary: Tyree Ag is seeking Agronomy/Ag majors for a summer internship to learn our business principals and help implement company programs. As an independent ag retailer, Tyree Ag specializes in custom aerial and ground application services and precision ag services, as well as selling seed, crop protection products and fertilizer to crop and livestock producers throughout southcentral Kansas and northwest Oklahoma.

This intern will work to assist management in the overall agronomy operations of the company, and will be exposed to virtually all aspects of the ag retail business.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities include the following but are not limited to:

- Work one-on-one with Agronomy Staff by rotating through the different areas of the Agronomy Department.
 - Areas include but are not limited to:
 - Sales Agronomists
 - Precision Ag
 - Seed
 - Aerial & Ground Application
 - Operations
- High-Yield Test Plot Program Work with managers to evaluate test plot locations for Tyree Ag. Assist with planting the crop, taking pictures, placing signage, gathering data, and evaluating crops throughout the summer. Will help develop customer field days with growers and Company Reps.
- Assist with day to day operations of facility. This will entail pulling orders for delivery, loading trucks and planes, and loading customers.
- Innovation Plus Field Testing Program Meet with growers to determine test plot locations, placing signage on those locations, evaluating crops, gathering data, taking pictures, and assessing weed control.
- Work directly with seed treatment facility during the soybean planting season. Will learn the seed
 treatment business, to include repackaging bulk seed into pro boxes and mini bulks bags for delivery
 to customers.

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Education and Experience

- Currently a student pursuing an agriculture-related degree
- Agriculture experience or background a plus

Competencies - *To perform the job successfully, an individual should demonstrate the following competencies:*

- Ability to deliver clear, concise and effective verbal and written communications to a targeted audience
- Experience with computer skills i.e. Microsoft office software
- Good interpersonal skills
- Reacts well under pressure and treats others with respect, courtesy and consideration
- Problem-solving capabilities

Qualifications - To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

<u>Language Skills</u> - Ability to read, analyze and interpret documents. Ability to write reports and business correspondence, including email. Ability to effectively present information in one-on-one and small group situations to customers, supervisors, and other employees of the organization.

<u>Mathematical Skills</u> - Ability to apply concepts of basic math (add, subtract, divide, multiply) in all units of measure using whole numbers, common fractions, and decimals. Ability to compute rate, ration, and percentages.

<u>Reasoning Ability</u> - Ability to apply common sense understanding to carry out instructions furnished in written, oral, or diagram form. Ability to deal with problems involving several concrete variables in standardized situations.

<u>Computer Skills</u> - Must have basic computer software understanding; experience in Microsoft Office programs.

Other Skills, Abilities, and Qualifications -Strong and effective communication and organizational skills are essential. Must be able to multitask with several projects occurring at the same time; current state driver's license and satisfactory MVR (motor vehicle record); and ability to work outdoors for extended periods of time under all weather conditions.

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