



NYAAE

2022 Teach Ag Ambassador College Internship Program

The goals of the Agricultural Education Outreach (AEO) Program is to better serve the New York State economy by preparing individuals for career opportunities in the food and fiber system and related allied fields through the fulfillment of the NY Vision for Agricultural Education. The AEO Program is seeking candidates for the Teach Ag Ambassador Internship Program. For additional information or questions, please contact Mr. Terry Hughes at Thughes@cornell.edu

Requirements: Currently enrolled in college with an interest to become an Agriculture Educator.

Term: Successful candidates will be offered the opportunity to complete the Ambassador Internship throughout the 2022 spring semester and early summer. During the time of the internship, the Ambassador must be able to work remotely, have access to a personal computer and transportation.

Compensation: The Internship grants will range from \$500-1000 depending on the scope and duration of the final approved project. When on site at the State FFA Convention or other pre-approved events housing will be provided. Mileage reimbursements will be determined and approved per project for each internship.

Required Components: (all Ambassadors will complete required activities)

- Attend all training sessions
- Complete Internship Program Agreement Form
- Complete a minimum of 5 shadowing days at exemplary Ag Teacher/Programs/Schools
- Present a Teach Ag program at each school they are shadowing
- Assist at NYSFFA Sub States Competitions (Saturday, March 19; snow date March 26)
- Assist at the Teach Ag Booth at the State FFA Convention (May 11-14, 2022 in Syracuse, NY)
- Contribute to Teach Ag promotion through social media postings

Application Materials: Please send a resume and cover letter indicating how this internship supports your career goals via e-mail to thughes@cornell.edu by February 28, 2022.

Please put "Teach Ag Ambassador Internship" as the subject line.

In addition please submit a short essay addressing the following situation.

If you were given a chance to make a "Teach Ag" presentation to a group of high schools students. How would you promote Agriculture Education as a career?