On-Campus Events

2016 CAFNR Australia study abroad information session
Monday, May 4
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
ASRC S119

Meet Your Meat

Collegiate Cattlewomen will be providing information about the beef industry and selling steak sandwiches. A live beef animal will be showcased during the event as well. This event is intended to create a safe environment for learning and asking questions. So please come and join us even if you aren't interested in lunch! April 29, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Lowry Mall

Think you can’t afford to study abroad? Think again!
Learn all about funding your study abroad experience at the Financing Study Abroad workshop series:

Programs, financial aid and scholarships, 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 28 in the Student Center Leadership Auditorium and 2 p.m. Friday, May 1 in 1209A&B Student Center

Learn how to compare and contrast programs to make a well-informed financial choice, then how you can utilize your MU financial aid, both loans and scholarships, to help pay for your study abroad experience. You will also learn more about how to search and apply for study abroad scholarships, including tips on writing a competitive essay.

Fundraising and creative financing, 2 p.m. Thursday, April 30 in 2205A&B Student Center

Student loans and scholarships aren’t the only choices in funding your study abroad program. This session will teach you how to put together successful fundraising efforts to pay some of your study abroad program costs, including how to use online crowdfunding platforms.

Representatives from the International Center, Office of Student Financial Aid, Fellowships Office and Office of Service Learning will present.

PROGRAMS, FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS:
Tuesday, April 28
2–3:30 p.m.
2501 MU Student Center (Leadership Auditorium)

Friday, May 1
2–3:30 p.m.
1209A&B MU Student Center

FUNDRAISING & CREATIVE FINANCING:
Thursday, April 30
2–3 p.m.
2205A&B MU Student Center
We are currently looking for reliable students to help care for the horses out at the farm during this summer and the upcoming fall semester. In conjunction with our teaching mission, the MU Equine Teaching Facility developed this program to provide opportunities for students to interact with our horse herd and learn about day-to-day care of our horses. The MU Horse Farm Volunteer program & Equine Practicum course is available during the Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to gain experience in horse care and general maintenance, or for students to get their “horse fix” while hanging out with friends. Volunteer work can be used as a reference on future resumes and applications as equine experience. All are welcome and no experience is required. Feeders are always scheduled in groups, so there is never only one person at the barn. Besides taking care of daily feeding, turn-out, and grooming, volunteers are notified of veterinary and farrier appointments and are encouraged to attend.

**Summer applications are due by May 8th, 2015!** Summer Volunteers will be able to participate twice a week Farm Days. During these times we will work on a few farm projects, as well as train our 2015 foals to lead and routine health care for the entire herd. This will include foaling out a few mares at the beginning of the summer. Additionally, we’ll start taking sales photos for this coming fall. Students have the option of earning AS 3085 – Equine Practicum credit during the summer, but if they continue through the fall semester they will be required to enroll in AS 3085 if they have not already done so. Check out the application for more information about how this works.

**Fall applications are due by June 15th, 2015!** Fall Volunteers will additionally have the opportunity to help set up and assist with our South Farm Showcase in September and our MU Online Horse Auction in November. We have developed the Equine Practicum class so that you can receive graded credit for your time at the MU Equine Teaching Facility. All new feeders are required to participate in this AS 3085 class. All returning volunteers have the option of participating in this class. Check out the application for more information about how this works.

APPLICATIONS are attached to this e-mail. These PDF files go into more detail regarding expectations. The form is in a fill-able PDF so you need to type in the PDF, “Save As” your name (i.e. MarciCrosby or TylerStratman), and send it back to me via e-mail at CrosbyM@missouri.edu! I will send you an e-mail response once I have received your application.

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**Swine Science Online**

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**GET A BOOST WITH UNIVERSITY-LEVEL SPECIFIC COURSES!**

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- North Carolina State University
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- University of Missouri

More information at: [http://usporkcenter.org/default.aspx](http://usporkcenter.org/default.aspx)
or contact cbranderhorst@usportkccenter.org with any questions.

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**Pharmaceutical Use in Cattle**

*an online course with Elaine Blythe, PharmD*

The course will equip persons involved in the management, administration, distribution or sale of pharmaceuticals used in cattle to maximize therapeutic outcomes, prevent drug-related problems and protect the wholesomeness of the food supply chain. Graduate and undergraduate students throughout the country can easily access this web-based course to gain up-to-date information and training in veterinary labeled drugs, animal disease states, regulatory issues and public health topics. This 3-credit hour online course is ideal for students majoring in: animal science, dairy science, feedyard/ranch management, agricultural education, meat science, veterinary technology, and pre-veterinary medicine. Students are welcome to take the course on an individual basis and transfer the elective credit back to their home school.

Registration for the summer 2015 course begins immediately and closes the first week of class. The course begins June 2nd, 2015 and ends July 7th, 2015. The course is offered every spring, summer and fall semesters. For information on course objectives, dates, syllabus, tuition or registration instructions visit [http://wtamu.edu/academics/veterinary-pharmacy.aspx](http://wtamu.edu/academics/veterinary-pharmacy.aspx)
Circle A Angus Ranch – Internship

Wage/Salary: $85/day, plus lodging

*Job Description: Primarily cow-calf operation. Intern will be given the opportunity to observe, learn and assist with all aspects.

*Qualifications: Ideally, we seek interns with the following qualifications:
1. Character: self-starter, integrity, a desire to learn and motivated to better abilities.
2. Do the right thing even when nobody is watching.
3. Take good directions and work well with others to be a part of a team.
4. Conscientious and take pride in their work. Mistakes will be made, we just want honesty so those mistakes can be corrected and be a learning point.
5. Some familiarity with handling beef cattle, the more advanced the better, but we’ll work with even novices who have the desire.
6. Some machinery experience operating is a plus but not necessary.
7. Reliable and accountable.

*Application Instructions: Please send a resume and letter to Mark Akin at mark@circlearanch.com.

Volunteers Needed for Captive Care of Salamanders

Multiple student volunteers are needed to assist in the handling and care of larval and juvenile ringed salamanders during late spring and early summer of 2015. Volunteers will learn to catch, measure and weigh larval salamanders as they begin to metamorphose from artificial ponds, as well as care for these animals as juveniles. Responsibilities will include feeding salamanders, ensuring clean and moist housing, and maintaining worm colonies. This opportunity will provide volunteers with hands-on experience in rearing captive animals, and may lead to future independent research projects for those interested. This position will require 4 hours a week, and allows for flexibility with the volunteer's schedule.

To apply or for more information please contact Arianne Messerman (afmxw7@mail.missouri.edu).

Volunteer Captive Animal Care Assistants Needed for Salamanders

2-3 student volunteers are needed to assist with the care of juvenile salamanders over the summer and into the fall semester. This is a great way to get hands on experience caring for captive animals, and could create opportunities for future independent research. Responsibilities will include feeding salamanders, ensuring clean and moist housing, and maintaining worm colonies. This position will require at most 4 hours a week, and has a great deal of flexibility as to when those hours are worked. There may be additional opportunities to become involved in ecological and behavioral research if desired.

To apply or for more information please contact Jacob Burkhart (jjbx3@mail.missouri.edu).
**Undergraduate Students needed for Part-time position.**

**General Description:**
Ability to handle rodents (mice and rats); rodent (mice and rat) hormone injections and matings; prepare media, fulfill laboratory chores; rat post-operative monitoring; adhere to strict sanitary precautions; occasional euthanasia of aged rodents; daily animal room checks including health monitoring, replace food and water in animal cages as needed; work occasional weekends and holidays

**Preferred Work Experience:** Previous rodent handling

**Education Requirements:** Undergraduate Student

**Pay rate:** $8.00/ per hour

**Shift:** Hours are flexible; Mon-Friday 11am-2pm, 2pm-6pm (during post-operative monitoring, hours vary based upon surgery time and animals ability to metabolize anesthesia); Occasional Sunday and Saturday 11-2pm

**Occasional Holidays** 11-2pm

**Additional Requirements:** Must have reliable transportation as the building is located off campus on Discovery Dr. Must be available to work during the summer when classes are not in session.

**To apply:** email Dr. Agca at agcay@missouri.edu.

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The National Swine Resource and Research Center (NSRRC) along with Dr. Prather’s lab are looking for reliable summer help to care for the swine herd. These hours are on weekends and the duties involved are feeding, cleaning, and heat checking swine in the transgenic herd. Previous swine experience is not required.

The NSRRC also has hours available to assist in the hand rearing of newborn piglets. These responsibilities include overnight shifts, weekends and a few day shifts to train newborn pigs to drink from a tray of milk and the daily observations necessary to maintain healthy animals through weaning. If you are interested and would like to know more details, please contact Melissa Samuel samuelm@missouri.edu.

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Assistant Farm Manager- Horse Power Ranch - Full-Time position

**Start Date:** May/June 2015

**Job Description:** Established and fast growing cattle company is seeking the right person to assist the manager in a full-time position. The position offers considerable variety and enjoyable working environment with new equipment. We are established near Lake of the Ozarks. Housing and salary will be determined according to experience. Submit a cover letter and resume to Sue Ann Herigon at ssaherigon@aol.com.

More information on hiremizzoutigers.com.

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Veterinary Technicians & Kennel Attendants needed for part time positions at Horton Animal Hospital Northeast email: patrick@hortonne.com or call 573-474-9508 and ask for Patrick
Dairy Club Meeting
May 7\textsuperscript{th} at 6:00 p.m.
in S147 ASRC

Classifieds

Looking to lease out my apartment – you would be taking on your own lease (not subleasing). I will be available as soon as August 1\textsuperscript{st}. It’s a small studio with one bathroom at the intersection of N College and Paris Road. Great management. $400/month. Gas and electric range from $40-90 depending on the season. Internet/cable provider available is Mediacom (not included in rent). No washer/drier or hookups. Off-street parking. Pet friendly with a deposit. Please email me at snagzd@mail.missouri.edu with any questions!