

The William H. Miner Agricultural Research Institute

Carrying on William Miner's vision of science and technology in the service of agriculture and the environment.

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INTERNSHIP IN DAIRY FARM MANAGEMENT

This internship is a 12-month position in dairy science or animal science. The goal of this program is to improve technical skills and knowledge of dairy farm management. The valuable on-farm experience and dairy management skills acquired through this internship makes it an ideal transition between college and a career in the dairy industry.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's or Associate degree in dairy or animal science or related field.
- Ability to work with others under supervision of the Dairy Farm Manager and Herdsperson.
- Interest in hands-on experience in dairy farm management and herdsperson training.
- Eagerness to learn and ability to work hard and cooperate with others. The intern works closely with the herdsperson and farm manager, as well as other farm staff: feeders, calf manager, milkers and crops staff. The intern also works alongside undergraduate college students participating in semester-long programs throughout the year.

Responsibilities:

- Ability to perform a variety of tasks in dairy management including: assisting with calving, fresh cow care, vaccination, and diagnosing and treating sick animals.
- Use management software including DairyComp 305 and AI 24 to help with heat detection and reproductive management.
- Work with veterinarian and nutritionist and learn about labor management on the farm.
- Attend learning and networking opportunities both on and off-site as interest and schedule allows.
- Embrace and represent the values of Miner Institute and the "Spirit of Heart's Delight Farm"

Compensation:

- Annual Stipend
- Housing provided
- Meals when cafeteria is in session
- Health and Life Insurance based on eligibility stated in the employee handbook

Miner Institute is an equal opportunity employer. In accordance with federal and state law, all applicants will be considered without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, marital status, national origin, disability, military status, domestic violence victim status, predisposing genetic characteristics, sexual orientation or any other basis protected by law.

Interested candidates should send a resume and a cover letter explaining why you are interested in the position to: Wanda Emerich, Dairy Outreach Coordinator emerich@whminer.com

Miner Institute is located on the beautiful Adirondack Coast in Northern New York. The Adirondack Coast stretches across the western shores of Lake Champlain in the shadow of New York's Adirondack Mountains. The region is home to world-class bass fishing, incredible natural attractions and diverse outdoor activities such as sea kayaking, sailing, hiking, and cross-country skiing.



More information about the region is available at goadirondack.com.