

Internship Opportunity at Gillenwater Farms

Gillenwater Farms is a 5th generation family farm located in Crawfordsville, IN, just a 30 minute drive south of campus. We raise beef cattle and vegetables for sale at our local markets. We are expanding our operation and looking for students to assist us as we work to improve efficiency and capacity as well as expand our customer reach.

Requirements: Driver's license, passion for food production and local marketing, ability to complete manual labor

Duties include: overseeing farm's website and social media pages; assisting with marketing and outreach planning; assisting in our retail markets; transplanting, tending to, and harvesting vegetables and flowers; assisting with the care of livestock; feeding livestock; general farm maintenance; light carpentry work; assisting with business planning; etc.

Special projects: We are growing at Gillenwater farms and we are working on plans for long-term growth and outreach. Depending on the interests of each intern, we would like to design a specific project that for us to work on throughout the summer that takes knowledge gained at Purdue and applies it in order to help our farm reach its long term goals.

Compensation: \$8/hr with housing provided

Time Requirement: 10 weeks, 20-30hrs per week.

Start date: May 17, 2021, but we can be flexible if needed

Email resume and cover letter to Jordan Gillenwater at gillenwaterjordan@gmail.com. You may call with any questions at 765.401.0539. Please submit your resume before March 15, 2021.