Summer Plant Breeding Internship – Central IN

Company Description:
AgReliant Genetics, LLC is the fastest growing independent seed company and currently the 3rd largest corn seed company in the United States. Our goal is to offer the best seed products to our customers through superior research, breeding and production techniques. Headquartered in Westfield, Indiana, AgReliant Genetics is owned by two of the largest independent seed companies in the world. German based KWS and French based Groupe Limagrain bring over 200 years of combined seed experience to AgReliant Genetics. AgReliant markets under the brands AgriGold, Great Lakes Hybrids, LG, Pride, Producers, Eureka and Wensman seed companies.

Job Description:
AgReliant has internships for summer 2016 in all 3 programs in Lebanon, IN. Other locations advertise separately (see website below):
- Conventional breeding – utilizing Double Haploid technology & Genomic Selection
- Native trait discovery – marker assisted selection for disease and stress resistance
- Transgenic conversion – adding valuable agronomic traits to proprietary genetics

Students interested in agricultural research careers are encouraged to apply. Areas of particular interest include Plant Breeding and Genetics or Plant Pathology. Duties and responsibilities include assisting with planting, note taking, pollinating corn nursery, etc. We’ll provide training. You’ll also be exposed to our on-site molecular marker lab used in our research.

A few overnight trips are included. Hours will be at least M-F 8:00-5:00 plus part of most Saturdays during peak season (early July to early August). A strong work ethic, attention to detail, and professionalism are required.

This is an excellent opportunity to gain firsthand experience and training in many facets of crop research. All interns benefit from frequent discussions with research associates and PhD leads. Special projects for credit may be possible following discussions with your advisor.

Job Location: Lebanon, IN

Apply on-line at www.AgReliantGenetics.com (Careers Center tab > Internships > Research)