

TALON INTERNSHIP

- On Ranch Learning Opportunity -

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-Deadline Dec. 1, 2021-

Cam Cooper's legacy lives on through Talon Youth Education Learning Program. The Talon Internship is an opportunity for youth to learn firsthand about managing and operating day-to-day life on a ranch, and, in turn, participating host Angus breeders have a hand in mentoring the next generation.

- Selection of the Host Breeder and the Student Intern is January 2021.
- Applications can be found at: <https://www.angus.org/Foundation/WhatWeDo/Youth/TalonYouth>
- Internship dates range from Summer or Fall of 2022.

This paid internship offers students real world ranch experience. Internship duties, depending on the host breeder's program, may include tasks that range from helping prepare show cattle, AI-ing, preg checking, veterinary tasks, as well as feeding, fence maintenance, irrigation and more. Interns may also have the opportunity to participate in other Angus and beef cattle educational events and activities off the farm such as conferences and field days.

This Internship is offered through the generosity of the Angus/Talon Youth Education Learning Program Endowment Fund managed by Angus Foundation. Scan the QR code to learn more about Cam Cooper's story .



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Student Application

SECTION I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Birthdate _____ Gender _____

Member Code _____ Are you a licensed driver? _____
(If not a member, leave blank)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Describe any physical/medical limitations that might limit your abilities to perform farm or ranch work? _____

Are you applying for Summer, Fall or Either? _____

What date would you be available to start internship? _____

What date would you prefer to return home? _____

SECTION II. EDUCATION

High School _____ Graduation Date _____

City and State _____

Jr. College _____ Years of attendance _____

City and State _____ Major _____

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Technical School _____ Years of attendance _____

City and State _____ Area of study _____

Where do you currently attend school? _____

Attach your most recent transcript to application.

Please submit a most recent official transcript with your application.
SECTION III. WORK EXPERIENCE

Please attach a current resume. Resume cannot exceed 2 pages.

Please include three (3) references including their contact information, phone number, email etc.

Of the below tasks please circle your experience and or knowledge level, with 1 having little to no experience and 5 being very experienced.

Cattle Fitting	1	2	3	4	5	Heat Detection	1	2	3	4	5
Cattle Showing	1	2	3	4	5	Artificial Insemination	1	2	3	4	5
Ear Tagging & Tattooing	1	2	3	4	5	Pregnancy Checking	1	2	3	4	5
Practical Veterinary Tasks	1	2	3	4	5	Tractor Operation	1	2	3	4	5
Fence Maintenance	1	2	3	4	5	Truck Driving (Standard, trailer, etc.)	1	2	3	4	5
Irrigation	1	2	3	4	5	Hay Work (Cut, rake, bale, stack, etc.)	1	2	3	4	5
Nutrition	1	2	3	4	5	Crop Production	1	2	3	4	5
Marketing	1	2	3	4	5	Record Keeping	1	2	3	4	5
Meat Packing	1	2	3	4	5	Computer Work	1	2	3	4	5
Certified Angus Beef [®]	1	2	3	4	5	Sale Preparation/Execution	1	2	3	4	5
Foot Scoring	1	2	3	4	5	Maternal Plus	1	2	3	4	5
AngusLink SM	1	2	3	4	5	Precision Agriculture	1	2	3	4	5
Commodity Marketing	1	2	3	4	5	Freezer Beef	1	2	3	4	5

From the items above please describe your experiences in areas where you have significant experience or knowledge.

What other skills and abilities do you have that might be applicable in a farm or ranch setting that are not listed above?

What areas are you most interested in learning about and gaining experience in executing including items from the previous list or items not listed (i.e., horsemanship, welding, mechanics, etc.)

What are your expectations from this internship? What skills, and experiences do you wish to have? How do you see this internship impacting your future?

SECTION IV. OTHER INFORMATION

Briefly describe your involvement in local, regional, state or national levels in the Angus breed or beef cattle industry or other agriculture sectors.

Briefly describe your involvement in 4-H, FFA, college activities or other current activities you're involved in.

What are your future goals in the livestock industry?

SECTION V. HOUSING

Intern will be responsible for housing, utilities, transportation, food and other expenses incurred in their internship. Transportation to and from the host Angus breeder's site will be the responsibility of the intern. (Some hosts may provide their intern housing and some related expenses.)

What are your housing expectations for the summer? _____

Would you be comfortable living with a host family or would you desire your own apartment while serving as an intern? _____

SECTION VI. OTHER

Do you intend to pursue getting course credit for your internship at your college? _____

Have you worked in an internship before? If so, please describe. _____

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____