



## **AGRICULTURE FIELD INTERN**

[Wilders](#) is looking for a leader to join our team this summer as an Agriculture Field Intern! Are you a team player, task-oriented and appreciate all things agriculture? Do you have the will to win, consider yourself adaptable to changing circumstances, and the determination to get the job done? If this describes you, then a Wilders internship is a great opportunity to learn and develop your skills in the agriculture industry.

The Agriculture Field Intern will assist the farm crew in all aspects of routine animal care and general farm tasks to ensure the welfare/well-being of the animals. Tasks include but are not limited to feeding animals, animal husbandry tasks, welfare checks of animals, and facility maintenance.

During your summer with Wilders, you will work alongside some of the brightest minds in Agriculture, and you'll have the opportunity to experience our unique culture, grow your social and professional network, and interact with our Leadership Team. Not to mention work for one of the Triangle's Best Places to Work! Read more about our internship program [HERE](#).

This is a 12-week summer internship, beginning in May 2023 and wrapping up in August. All candidates must be able to work full-time hours on the farm located in Turkey, NC for the entirety of the internship to be considered.

### **Job Responsibilities**

- Feed livestock
- Clean and disinfect livestock pens, cages, yards
- Examine animals to detect symptoms of illnesses or injuries
- Maintain farm by building fences, corrals, and other livestock infrastructures
- Rotate livestock from pasture to pasture for grazing
- Prepare, plant, weed, harvest, and inspect produce
- Operate farm machinery and tools, as needed

### **Physical Requirements**

The physical demands described are representative of those that must be met by a Agriculture Field Intern to successfully perform the essential functions of this job.

- Regularly required to sit and/or stand during a regular work shift of at least eight hours per day
- Ability to work long periods of time outdoors in all weather conditions
- Occasionally required to stoop, bend, walk crouch, and climb
- Ability to lift and carry, on a frequent basis, at least 50-90 pounds

- Exposure to dust, dirt, grease, and noise
- Frequently walk on uneven surfaces including natural ground and slopes in varying weather conditions

### Qualifications

- Currently pursuing a degree in General Agriculture, Livestock or Poultry Management, or related field
- Interest in the fast-paced world of agriculture
- Must pass pre-employment drug screen and background check
- Highly motivated, challenge-driven, and entrepreneurial
- Strong ability to demonstrate leadership and interpersonal skills
- Excellent written and verbal communication
- Willingness to work in a team environment

### Why Work for Us?

At Wilders, we are passionate about operating our business with a focus on safety, accountability, and efficiency. We could not achieve our goals without dedicated people on our team and without our Vision which is: To Impact and Develop People. Our Core Values are the beliefs we hold which guide us as we perform our work and conduct ourselves.



Our Core Values are built on the foundation of Faith and Family. Our Faith in God guides us; to believe the best in each other, value family, and love our community.

### Perks

- Casual Dress Code: Replace your loafers and pumps with flats or sneakers. Our dress code is relaxed and approachable.
- Company Outings: We've never been able to get into the "all work and no play" concept. We'll frequently cut out early and go do something fun. Many of our larger events are pre-planned and already on the calendar.
- Community Volunteer Opportunities: One of RiverWild's core values is "Live Compassionately". We take time throughout the year to get connected with and come alongside our local community.
- Wilders Discount: Employees receive a 25% discount on all meat and produce products from Wilders Farm.

### Apply Today!

If this sounds like a position and culture you'd enjoy and excel in, please complete the application form [HERE](#). Don't forget to upload your resume and cover letter! If you have any questions about the internship opportunity send us an email at [jobs@theriverwildteam.com](mailto:jobs@theriverwildteam.com) with "Agriculture Internship- YOUR LAST NAME" in the subject line. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.