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Internships within Agriculture & Natural Resources¹

An internship is a monitored work experience that has intentional learning outcomes and goals for students. Many AGNR students engage in internship experiences during their time at UMD.

- Eighty-six percent (86%) of 2019 graduates reported having at least one internship during their time at UMD.
- Forty-four percent (44%) of those who participated in internships reported having at least one paid internship.
- Fifty-eight percent (58%) of those who participated in internships reported having at least one internship for academic credit.
- The average reported internship income was \$13.90 per hour

For general information about internships including tips on how to search and find internships as well as how to excel and maximize your internship experience, visit internships.umd.edu.

Search Sites

There are a variety of websites that students can use to find internships and other opportunities. Below are some resources for AGNR students. *Please note this is not an exhaustive list.*

UMD Resources

- [Careers4Terps](#) to see a full list of opportunities posted in Careers4Terps for AGNR students, visit go.umd.edu/AGNRJobBoard
- AGNR Undergraduate Blog <https://go.umd.edu/agnrblog>
- Departmental Blogs such as [ENSP](#), [ENST](#), [PLSC Jobs and Internship Listings](#), and your departmental email listservs and distribution. Check your email regularly to ensure you do not miss out on internship opportunities.
- [Office of Sustainability Internships](#)

General Agriculture

- AgCareers – <http://agcareers.com>
- AgHires – <http://ag hires.com>

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Environmental Science

- Environmental Science – <http://www.environmentalscience.org/>
- Environmental Career – <http://www.environmentalcareer.com/jobs/>
- Environmental Career Opportunities – <http://www.ecojobs.com>

Conservation and Wildlife

- Conservation Job Board – <http://www.conservationjobboard.com>
- Society for Conservation Biology – <http://careers.conbio.org/>
- The Wildlife Society – <http://careers.wildlife.org/>
- Student Conservation Association - <https://www.thesca.org/>
- Texas A&M Wildlife Job Board <https://wfscjobs.tamu.edu/job-board/>

Food & Nutrition

- Careers In Food – <https://www.careersinfood.com/>
- Food Industry Careers – <http://www.foodindustry careers.com/>
- Institute of Food Technologist – <http://www.ift.org/careercenter.aspx>
- Science Meets Food – <http://sciencemeetsfood.org/category/career-development/>
- Joint Institute for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (JIFSAN) - <https://jifsan.umd.edu/research/internship-program>

Plant Science and Landscape Architecture

- Jobs in Horticulture – <http://www.hortjobs.com/>
- Hire Horticulture – <http://www.hirehorticulture.com/>
- Agricultural Crossing – <http://www.agriculturalcrossing.com/>
- Land 8 – <http://land8.com/jobs>

Sustainability

- Good Food Jobs – <https://www.goodfoodjobs.com/>
- Sustainable Food Jobs – <https://sustainablefoodjobs.wordpress.com/>
- Sustainable DC – sustainabledc.org (sign up for newsletter to be informed about opportunities to volunteer as well as internships and jobs)

General

- LinkedIn - <https://www.linkedin.com/>
- Indeed - <https://www.indeed.com/>
- Internships.com <https://www.internships.com/>
- Simply Hired - <https://www.simplyhired.com/>
- Idealist - <https://www.idealists.org/> (non-profit)

Government

- Federal Government Jobs [USAJobs.gov](https://www.usajobs.gov) (Departments and agencies of interest can include: USDA ([various agencies](#)), FDA, EPA, FERC, DOJ, DOE, NOAA, etc.)
- State of Maryland Jobs [Maryland.gov](https://www.maryland.gov)
- US Fish and Wildlife Opportunities - [sign up for their weekly emails](#).

Internship Organizations

Here are a few internship opportunities that students within AGNR have experienced by department. *Please note that this is not an exhaustive list of internships.*

ANSC

- Central Maryland Research and Education Center – Clarksville Facility (CMREC) - Clarksville Dairy
- College Park Animal Hospital
- Greenwood Wildlife Rehabilitation Center
- Maryland Equine Center
- National Aquarium
- National Institutes of Health Center for Veterinary Medicine
- National Institutes of Health Center for Veterinary Medicine
- Owl Moon Raptor Rescue
- Patuxent Wildlife Research Center
- Prince George's SPCA
- Second Chance Wildlife Center
- Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute
- Smithsonian National Zoo
- UMD Birthing Center -- MD State Fair

AREC

- Food & Water Watch
- National Association of State Departments of Agriculture
- Smith, Gildea & Schmidt, LLC
- Sustainable Agriculture Lab Systems with USDA- BARC
- United States Department of Agriculture
- United States Department of State
- US Department of Justice
- US Department of Treasury

ENSP

- AECOM
- Anacostia Watershed Society
- Center for American Progress
- Chesapeake Bay Foundation
- Chesapeake Biological Laboratory
- Chesapeake Climate Action Network
- City Wildlife
- DC Department of Energy and Environment
- Environmental and Energy Study Institute
- EPA Chesapeake Bay Office

- Food & Water Watch
- Glen Helen Ecology Center
- ICF International
- Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary
- Maryland Department of Natural Resources
- Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission
- National Aquarium
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
- Patuxent Wildlife Research Center
- Solar Energy Industries Association
- Student Conservation Association (with US Fish and Wildlife Service)
- U.S. Department of Energy
- U.S. Department of Justice, Environment and Natural Resources Division
- UMD Office of Sustainability

ENST

- Amway
- Anacostia watershed society
- Bartlett Tree Experts
- Delaware Division of Fish and Wildlife
- Eclipse Resources
- Efficiency First
- FERC
- Fund for the Public Interest
- Geo-Technology Associates
- Heritage Conservancy
- Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary
- Maryland Institute for Applied Environmental Health
- Maryland-National Capital Park Planning Commission
- MD Department of Natural Resources Park Service
- Montgomery County Department of Environmental Protection
- National Aquarium
- National Park Service
- Science and Engineering Apprenticeship Program (SEAP)
- SESYNC
- Sierra Club Maryland Chapter
- Smithsonian Environmental Research Center
- Solar Electric Power Association
- South River Federation
- Student Conservation Association
- The Nature Conservancy
- UMD AgroEcology Lab
- United States Department of Agriculture
- USDA-Agricultural Research Service - Beltsville
- USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service
- United States Department of Energy
- UMD Office of Sustainability
- US. Environmental Protection Agency

NFSC

Dietetics

- Biometrics Nutrition and Fitness
- Empowered Eating
- Johns Hopkins Hospital
- Lifetime Fitness
- Mary's Center
- Meals on Wheels
- MedStar Montgomery Medical Center

- Montgomery County- Department of Human and Health Services- Latino Health Initiative
- National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute
- National Institutes of Health
- Nutritionix
- PG County Public Schools
- SNAP-Ed Connection
- United States Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Information Center
- USDA, Center for Nutrition Policy and Promotion
- United States Food and Drug Administration
- University Health Center
- University of Maryland Child and Family Development Laboratory
- University of Maryland Dining Services
- University of Maryland Health Center

Food Science

- Center for Food Safety and Security Systems
- Concord Foods
- Food and Drug Administration
- Honest Tea
- Itaberco, Inc
- JIFSAN
- Lancaster Foods, LLC
- Medifast Inc
- National Institute of Mental Health
- Nutrient Data Laboratory, Agricultural Research Service, USDA
- Prime Label Consultants
- The Class Produce Group
- Vanns Spices
- Whole Foods Market

Nutritional Science

- Cornell Summer Undergraduate Research Institution for the Study of Kidney Disease (SURISKD)
- Health Leads DC
- Healthy Montgomery Obesity Partnership
- JIFSAN/United States Food and Drug Administration
- Johns Hopkins University
- National Cancer Institute
- Scribe America
- USDA

PLSA

AGST

- 5-M Acres
- Maryland 4-H Center
- National Association of State Departments of Agriculture
- Southern Maryland Agricultural Development Commission
- Sun Nurseries
- Terp Farm
- Trent Hill Nursery
- United States Department of Agriculture

PLSC

- Denison Landscaping
- Ruppert landscape
- U.S. Dept. of Agriculture
- UMCES Chesapeake Biological Laboratory
- UMD Arboretum and Botanical Garden

LA

- Adkins Arboretum
- Campion Hruby Landscape Architects
- GreenHeart Garden Designs
- Maryland Educational Sustainable Activities (MESA) Lab

- UMD Dining Services - Terp Farm
- University of Maryland Office of Sustainability
- University of Maryland Plant Sciences Department

- Neighborhood Design Center
- Sustainable Life Designs
- The Landscape Management Group
- ValleyCrest Landscape Maintenance
- Walnut Hill Landscape Company