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Western Cape Dept of Agriculture | APFYD Matric Internships 2024

Description

Are you a recent matriculant with a passion for agriculture and a desire to kickstart your career in this dynamic field? The Western Cape Department of Agriculture invites enthusiastic individuals to apply for our Matric Internship program under the Agricultural Policy, Research, and Food Security (APFYD) division. This internship offers a unique opportunity to gain valuable hands-on experience, develop skills, and contribute to the agricultural sector's growth.

Responsibilities

- Learning and Development: Participate in a structured learning program designed to provide you with a comprehensive understanding of agricultural policies, research methodologies, and food security initiatives.
- Research Support: Assist in conducting research activities, collecting data, and analyzing information to support evidence-based decision-making in agriculture.
- Policy Implementation: Contribute to the implementation of agricultural policies and programs aimed at enhancing sustainability and food security in the Western Cape.
- Stakeholder Engagement: Collaborate with various stakeholders, including farmers, industry experts, and government officials, to gain insights into the agriculture sector's challenges and opportunities.
- Administrative Support: Provide administrative assistance to the APFYD team, which may include document preparation, data entry, and coordination of meetings and workshops.
- **Professional Development:** Actively participate in training sessions and workshops to enhance your skills and knowledge in the agriculture field.

Qualifications

- Minimum educational requirement: Matric (Grade 12) certificate.
- Passion for agriculture and a genuine interest in contributing to the sector's growth.
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
- Attention to detail and a proactive attitude.
- Ability to work both independently and as part of a team.
- Proficiency in MS Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint).
- South African citizenship or permanent residency.

Job Benefits

- Hands-on experience in the agriculture sector.
- Mentorship from experienced professionals.
- Exposure to policy development and research in agriculture.
- Networking opportunities with industry experts.
- Stipend and allowances as per the department's policies.

Contacts

Interested candidates are invited to submit their applications, including a cover letter and curriculum vitae, to [jobzinusadotonline@gmail.com]. Please clearly

Hiring organization

Western Cape Dept of Agriculture

Employment Type

Intern

Duration of employment

3 Months

Industry

Govt

Job Location

Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa, 8000, Cape Town, Western Cape, South Africa

Working Hours

09

Date posted

September 19, 2024

Valid through

08.10.2025

indicate "Matric Internship – APFYD" in the subject line of your email/application.

The Western Cape Department of Agriculture is an equal opportunity employer. We encourage applications from candidates of all backgrounds and experiences.

Join us on this exciting journey to make a meaningful impact on the agricultural landscape of the Western Cape!