Position: Undergraduate Research Aides

MSU Potato Outreach Program

SALARY
LEVEL $10.00 / hour

DESIRED START DATE August 28, 2017
APPROXIMATE HOURS PER WEEK Up to 20 hours/week

DESCRIPTION

The MSU Potato Outreach Program is seeking 2-3 undergraduate research aides to assist with fall harvesting operations, grading, and data collection. Daily activities will revolve around collecting data on potato yields and quality. The position will also provide undergraduates hands-on research experience learning about commercial potato production and on-farm research in Michigan.

City/State/County
Lansing/Michigan/USA

POSITION TYPE
Part Time

DESIRED MAJOR(S)
All Majors

DESIRED CLASS LEVEL(S)
All undergraduate students

JOB FUNCTION
Agriculture/Natural Resources/Environment

DURATION
Fall Semester (with the possibility of extension)

Essential qualifications include:
- Punctuality: must develop a weekly schedule with the supervisor and be on time
- Willing to perform a wide array of tasks safely and efficiently
- Attention to detail and organizational skills
- Positive attitude and respectful towards co-workers/supervisors
- Physical capabilities: ability to lift up to 50 lbs

Desirable but non-essential qualifications include:
- Agricultural background (particularly cropping systems)
- Familiarity with agricultural research and data collection

If interested, please email cover letter and resume to calogero@msu.edu