

Apply for Angus Summer Internships

by Jena McRell, digital editor

Each summer, the American Angus Association invites college students to gain real-world knowledge and hands-on skills by serving as interns for the nation's largest beef breed organization. The 10-week, paid internship programs offer three students the chance to gain experience in the beef cattle industry.

The member-driven organization provides internship opportunities through the Events and Education Department, communications and public relations, and the *Angus Journal* editorial team. Application details are outlined below, and all materials must be received by Feb. 6, 2017.

A summer intern joining the Association's **Events and Education Department** can expect to play a significant role in planning and executing youth events hosted by the National Junior Angus Association (NJAA). The selected intern will assist with preparations, communications and correspondence for junior shows and events.

Applicants should consider themselves a self-starter, detail-oriented and an outgoing individual who has the ability to work well

with others. Livestock and event planning experience is a plus, but not required. Travel to the 2017 National Junior Angus Show (NJAS), Leaders Engaged in Angus Development (LEAD) Conference, and other shows and events is expected.

To apply, send a cover letter, résumé and references to Chelsey Smith, events and education assistant director, American Angus Association, 3201 Frederick Ave., Saint Joseph, MO 64506, or email csmith@angus.org.

College students with a passion for agricultural communications would make an excellent addition to the Angus Media team, which offers two internships.

The **communications intern** will experience all facets of communications for the American Angus Association, from print stories to television scripts, and photography to graphic design.

Applicants should have strong writing and design skills, in addition to having completed coursework in news and feature writing, editing and design. Experience in photography, video and social media is an asset in this fast-paced internship.

To apply, send a cover letter, résumé, references and writing samples to Jena

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Working closely with the communications intern on the Angus Media team, the **Angus Journal internship** offers a college junior or senior the opportunity to be part of its editorial team for the summer. The writing-intensive internship offers the selected intern an opportunity to participate in producing various publications, including the *Angus Journal*, the *Angus Journal Digital*, the *Angus Beef Bulletin*, the *Angus Beef Bulletin EXTRA*, the *Angus Journal Daily*, editorial websites, and social media efforts.

The internship will be flexible enough to tailor to the strengths and needs of the intern, but many duties can be expected. Experience in news and feature writing, editing and photography are strongly suggested.

To apply, send a cover letter, résumé and writing samples to Shauna Hermel, *Angus Journal* editor, 3201 Frederick Ave., Saint Joseph, MO 64506. For more information, contact Hermel at 816-383-5270 or shermel@angus.media.

