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Job Search Strategies for ETX Majors!

When: Wednesday, April 13th
Time: 4:30 - 6:00
Where: Foster Room (1138 Meyer Hall)

Here is an opportunity to brush up on your skills in searching for that next job (or your first job!). Excellent class for graduating seniors. Open to all ETOX majors. Pizza and refreshments for participants!

Picnic Day ETOX Exhibition and Volunteering

When: Saturday, April 16th
Time: 10:30 am to 3:30 pm
Where: Meyer

Spring Internship and Career Fair

When: Wednesday, April 20th
Time: 10 am - 12 pm
Where: ARC Pavilion

Meet with over 140 companies!

California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) Career Fair

When: Wednesday, May 18th
Time: 8:30 am - 3:30 pm
Where: CDFA, 2800 Gateway Oaks Drive, Sacramento 95833

Get information on how to get a state job! This workshop provides guests with a short tutorial on how to navigate the CalCareer website and how to apply for state exams and jobs. Each division will host a listening session to showcase what they do for the consumers of California, as well as to provide insight on current and future job opportunities. Additionally, each division will have a booth set up in the lobby equipped with handouts, fact sheets, and staff to answer division-specific questions.

Jobs and Internships
Aggie Job Link

This section of the newsletter includes the Aggie Job Link ID numbers that you can use to search for job or internship positions. If you do not already have an account, go to [Aggie Job Link](http://aggiejoblink.ucdavis.edu), hit the “register” button, and sign up to customize your profile.

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Environmental Science Internship

**Application Deadline: April 24th, 2016**  
**AJL#: 806840**  
**Location: Davis/Woodland, CA**

The Yolo County Division of Integrated Waste Management (DIWM) is engaged in various unique and innovative research projects in the area of solid waste and recycling such as anaerobic and aerobic bioreactors, organic waste digestion, aerobic composting, biocover and biofilter for methane and VOC control, and leachate/septic waste treatment system.

Industrial Hygienist/Exposure Assessor

**Application Deadline: April 25th, 2016**  
**AJL#: 798615**

Cardno® ChemRisk, a scientific consulting firm, provides state-of-the-art toxicology, industrial hygiene, epidemiology, and risk assessment services to organizations that confront public health, occupational health, and environmental challenges. We specialize in solving problems of national importance; often related to major regulatory initiatives or mass torts involving occupational exposures.

Environmental Health Specialist

**Application Deadline: April 29th, 2016**  
**AJL#: 809678**
Location: Santa Cruz, CA

Inspect and investigate environmental health conditions to enforce Federal, State, County and local environmental health and safety laws, ordinances and regulations; obtain compliance or corrective action; educate the public concerning environmental health and safety; and do other work as required.

Renewable Energy Program Associate

Application Deadline: July 7th, 2016
AJL#: 806048
Location: Oakland, CA

The Renewable Energy program’s objective is to accelerate the transition to a clean, renewable energy future along pathways that concurrently realize health, environmental, equity and resilience co-benefits. The Renewable Energy Program Associate will play a central role in expanding PSE Healthy Energy’s work in this field.

Urban Gardening Internship

Application available all year round
Location: Worldbeat Cultural Center- San Diego, CA

WorldBeat Center’s Outdoor Classroom is dedicated to teaching children in urban environments how to create a natural habitat, even in limited spaces such as their own apartments.
http://www.internships.com/agriculture/URBAN-GARDENING-INTERNSHIP-I3788334

Jewish Urban Farming Fellowship

AJL # 793805
Upcoming Internship:
Summer: June 9 – August 26, 2016
Fall: September 4 – November 22, 2016
Location: Urban Adamah – Berkeley, CA

Jewish Urban Farming Fellowship offers a three-month residential training program for young adults (ages 21–31) that combines urban organic farming, social justice training and progressive Jewish learning and living within the setting of an intentional community.
http://www.goodfoodjobs.com/jobs/68195/jewish-urban-farming-fellowship.html

Invasive Plant Management Intern

Location: Carmichael, CA
The invasive plant management intern assists the American River Parkway Foundation staff in the management and control of specified invasive plant species along the American River Parkway.

http://www.internships.com/environmental/Invasive-Plant-Management-Intern

Financial Support

Prestigious Scholarships

Each scholarship provides funding that students can use after completing their bachelor’s degree, with applications being accepted from students who will graduate in 2015-16. Applications are available to the following scholarships:

- Fulbright Scholars
- George J. Mitchell Scholarship
- Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowship

Please email Prestigious Scholarship Advisor, Scott Palmer (scpalmer@ucdavis.edu), with your availability and specific program(s) you are interested in to have an appointment scheduled.
For more Information: http://financialaid.ucdavis.edu/scholarships/Prestigious.html

Emil M. Mrak Student Loan Program

The Emil M. Mrak Student Loan Program provides subsidized loans for eligible CAES students with financial need. For more information and access to the application, please visit financialaid.ucdavis.edu/loans/specific/mrak.html.

Benjamin Gilman Study Abroad Scholarship

The Gilman Scholarship is sponsored by the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs at the U.S. Department of State and provides funding to enable students of limited financial means to study or intern abroad worldwide. The program provides awards of up to $5,000 for undergraduate students to study abroad for up to one year.

Eligibility Criteria for the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship:
- Must be enrolled as an undergraduate at UC Davis
- Must be a United States citizen
- Must be receiving a Federal Pell Grant at the time of application or at the time the study abroad program takes place
- Must participate in a study or intern abroad program of at least four weeks and no more than one year in length (students studying in multiple countries must spend at least 28 days in one country)
- Must be receiving academic credit
- Must not be studying in a country under a U.S. State Department Travel Warning or Cuba
Students planning to study abroad in Summer 2016 (through the normal application period), Fall 2016, or the entire 2016-17 academic year will be able to apply starting in January 2016.

Interested students are encouraged to visit with UC Davis Study Abroad to find and select an eligible program. For application advising and essay review, please contact Scott Palmer from the Undergraduate and Prestigious Scholarships Office.

Additional information including application timelines, selection criteria, application tips, and webinars can be obtained at the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship website. Please visit here to begin an application.

**Blum Center Summer Fellows Award: Poverty Alleviation Through Action (PATA)**

The Blum Center for Developing Economies, in a joint initiative with the College of Letters & Sciences, the College of Engineering, and the College of Agricultural & Environmental Sciences, is offering a limited number of grants ($70,000 in grants) for undergraduate students. Poverty Alleviation Through Action (PATA) is a grants program administered by the UC Davis Blum Center for Developing Economies (website: blumcenter.ucdavis.edu). The PATA grants program offers partial funding to pursue fieldwork on poverty alleviation and/or inequality, preferentially but not exclusively, in a developing country.

Visit blumcenter.ucdavis.edu to download the Poverty Alleviation Through Action (PATA) application. **Application deadline: February 29, 2016, 5:00PM (PST)**

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**Helpful Resources**

**Advising Services**

**Environmental Toxicology Advising**

Both ETX peer advisors, Lu Zhang and Leeza Segal, are here to answer any questions you may have about four-year plans, major requirements, important forms, and more! Come stop into the Peer Advising room (4204 Meyer Hall) during our advising hours or shoot us an email.

**Winter Quarter 2016 - Peer Advising Hours**

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College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences (CAES) Advising

The Dean’s Office Advisors are here to help you with navigating college requirements such as General Education Requirements (GEs) and the English Composition Requirement. Students may schedule an appointment with a Dean’s Office academic counselor between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 p.m., and between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Drop-in appointments are available with academic peer advisers during most hours. Current students can schedule an appointment using the online Messaging & Appointment System.

*** Seniors *** Complete a Preliminary Degree Certification - submit form to the College of Agricultural & Environmental Sciences Dean’s Office.

Internship and Career Center Advising (ICC)

The UC Davis Internship & Career Center (ICC) offers general counseling on all ICC resources and help with the online job database Aggie Job Link, group-advising sessions on interviewing, resume writing, job searching and more! Event Schedule

Stop by between class for a quick one-on-one advising session with a peer adviser in your particular field of study. Some of the services student advisors offer include:

- Advising related to Agriculture & Environmental Science careers
- Aggie Job Link help and Job or Internship searches
- General ICC Services
- Interview Practice and Mock Interview (@AJL) help
- Preparing for career fairs
- Resume & Cover Letter coaching
- Transcript Notation questions

Need more help? See an ICC’s CAES Program Advisor. Drop-in Mon - Fri, 10am-4pm, 2nd Floor South Hall. Program Advisors can provide in-depth career exploration and referrals, internship and job search strategies beyond Aggie Job Link, and information on transcript notation. They can also critique your resume and cover letter.

To schedule an appointment, call reception at 530-752-2855 (option 7) or email iccaes@ucdavis.edu
Quick Questions can also be addressed to: iccaes@ucdavis.edu
Read more at http://iccweb.ucdavis.edu/AES/index.htm
Health Professions Advising

The office of Health Professions Advising serves all UCD undergraduates, graduate students and alumni pursuing any health profession or allied health field. Pre-Health or Pre-Med students should definitely contact this group!
Email: healthprofessionsadvising@ucdavis.edu
Location: 1011 Sciences Lab Building
Website: http://hpa.ucdavis.edu/

Tutoring and Workshops at the Student Academic Success Center (SASC)

Reference the General Study Skills workshop schedule and information about tutoring and various other services offered by the Student Academic Success Center during fall quarter. A complete set of workshop schedules are available at http://success.ucdavis.edu/academic/index.html and http://success.ucdavis.edu/international/index.html

SASC workshops are free and students are not required to register.
Questions? Contact Arnette Bates at 530-752-9301 or call the service desk at 752-2013.

Getting Transcript Notation for Internships

The Internship & Career Center offers Transcript Notation to students who work at an approved and supervised internship for at least 40 hours per quarter. With just a bit of online paperwork, you can have your internship title, location and quarter taken noted on your official UC Davis transcript.

Instructions on how to file TN online: http://iccweb.ucdavis.edu/pdf/2011AJLStudentTN.pdf
Want academic credits instead? See http://iccweb.ucdavis.edu/students/AcademicCredit.htm

Hello ETX Students,

Need some support getting through Biology, Chemistry, Math, Physics, STATS, and more?

The Student Academic Success Center offers both Drop-in Tutoring and Math and Science Workshops every week.

Links for more information...

Drop-in Tutoring
http://success.ucdavis.edu/academic/dropin.html

Math and Science Workshops
http://success.ucdavis.edu/academic/workshops-math-sci.html
Academic Assistance and Tutoring – General Information
http://success.ucdavis.edu/academic/index.html