WEEK 2- APRIL 7, 2015

Open House is almost here! There will be a lot going on and make sure not to miss the Annual Tractor Pull on Saturday at 1pm. Have a great week!

-Alyssa
SCHOLARSHIPS

Ninja Essays

Are you a talented essay writer? Then take advantage of this unique chance to get rewarded for your work by the best essay writing service! NinjaEssays is all about supporting writers and helping them to get the motivation they need. The purpose of this essay writing contest is to inspire writers from all around the world to showcase their creative and critical thinking skills.

There are 10 essay topics and you could win up to $500!

See more at: http://www.ninjaessays.com/blog/essay-writing-contest/#sthash.RblH6aFM.dpuf

Due: April 27

Sunkist

This is a renewable $2,000 scholarship available for students whose immediate family has derived the majority of their income from agriculture. Eligibility requirements include financial need and a family or personal involvement in California or Arizona agriculture. It is open to students entering any phase of their undergraduate college career, at any school, and in any field of study. Please remember that the student and/or a member of the immediate family (parents/siblings/grandparents) must be, have been or currently be involved in California agriculture.

To apply you will need:
• Personal and financial information – including the most recent tax return (students under 21 must attach their parents’ tax returns);
• A written essay discussing personal and agricultural background;
• Transcripts of grades and college board test scores; and
• Two references from teachers, school administrators, employers or community organizers.

See more at: http://www.sunkist.com/about/bodine_scholarship.aspx
Due: April 30
Resource Conservation District of Monterey County is looking for a paid intern!

The desired intern will be:
o In their Junior/Senior year in Ag Systems Management, Soil, Crop/Horticulture major with coursework in soil science, irrigation water management, crop production
o Self-directed and have the ability to organize and prioritize their work
o Fluent in Spanish
o Have own transportation (pickup truck)
o Knowledgeable/Experienced with:
   Agricultural production
   MS Word, Excel, Outlook and PowerPoint

Duties will include:
o Soil and water sampling
o Field irrigation evaluation
o Water quality testing
o Flow measurements

This hands-on internship requires that the student be able to work under a variety of environmental conditions, including heat, standing and walking for prolonged periods of time, and perform physical labor. Good humor a plus.

Contact Information: Ben Burgoa, RCDMC Program Engineer, 831-424-1036, ext. 124; ben.burgoa@rcdmonterey.org
**Apio, Inc.**  
Job Description

**Job Title:** Production Manager  
**Department:** VA Operations  
**Reports To:** Rob Dunne  
**Days and Hours of work:** 5-6 day work week with mid to 2nd shift availability.

**POSITION SUMMARY:**  
The production manager position oversees all day to day plant management activities with an emphasis on producing cases efficiently, safely, and in a cost effective manner. Key responsibilities for this position include production planning, staff leadership and development, food safety compliance, and cost/efficiency management. To achieve targeted results, the production manager will be heavily responsible for the three main areas of production:

1. **Planning** – Ensuring the plant is properly equipped and staffed, with potential raw product availability and maintenance concerns communicated, to run a production schedule that maximizes process and bagger throughput capacity.
2. **Control** – Monitoring production schedules and addressing areas of need with the goal of promoting a safe, efficient, and cost effective work environment
3. **Supervision** – Managing and training supervisors to ensure headcount, quality, and output targets are standardized, with a plan for daily efficient execution

**ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:**

1. Provide leadership and direction to the plant supervisory team to promote a culture of training, accountability, and performance follow thru. Develop and implement action plans to understand and address areas of concern.
2. Working with the shift supervisory team, promote and manage the companies policies and goals through a culture of training, accountability, and performance follow thru.
3. Liaising interdepartmentally with procurement, quality assurance, maintenance and customer service, responsible for communicating and monitoring production processes with an emphasis on product standard, costs, and quality control.
4. Optimize and communicate best use of plant resources through capacity planning and continuous improvement initiatives.
5. Ensure that production department operations are in compliance with food and labor safety, quality assurance, OSHA, and company health policies.
6. Develop a foundation for business development that supports the R&D of new products and/or product lines.

**SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITY:**
Able to manage a plant with a headcount of 400+, including a supervisory staff that includes, supervisors, hourly supervisors, area foreman, and line leads

4) **PRINCIPAL CONTACTS INTERNALLY/EXTERNALLY:** Explain the major contacts both inside and outside the organization other than your manager and subordinates.

5) **KNOWLEDGE and SKILL REQUIREMENTS:**

   - Critical thinking and problem solving skills
   - Ability to communicate clearly with staff at all levels
   - Understanding of manufacturing processes and quality standards
   - Attention to detail
   - Adaptability
   - The ability to make effective, timely decisions under pressure
   - Ability to develop strategic plans for operational activity. Implement and manage operational plans.
   - Proactive
   - Goal oriented

**EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- BS degree is preferred.
- Excel/Data analysis experience

**LANGUAGE SKILLS:**

- Bilingual (English and Spanish) preferred
Job Title: Manager, Lettuce Auto Thinning Division
Status: Full time
Department: Field/office

About us:
Green Valley Farm Supply is an agricultural service company dedicated to meeting the needs of growers throughout the vegetable growing regions in California and Arizona. We are excited to announce a new partnership with Foothill Packing. Green Valley Farm Supply will operate automated thinning machines designed to accurately identify and thin vegetables to our customer’s desired spacings. This technology has been tested for the last two years and we are proud to help bring it to a commercial level.

I. Job Description Summary:
Manager will oversee foremen and drivers of autothinners division.

II. Qualifications:
A. Bachelor degree preferred
B. Strong verbal and communication skills with the ability to develop strong, successful relationships with customers.
C. Excellent customer service skills
D. Proficient in the English Language (written and verbal)
E. Strong organizational skills
F. Proficient in Spanish (helpful).
G. Strong Technical background

III. Duties and Responsibilities:
A. Daily monitoring of various crops for timing of autothinnings.
B. Written reports evaluating fields.
C. Analyze and interpret reports and make adjustments as necessary.
D. Working with owners to budget expansion.

IV. Benefits:
A. Competitive Salary
B. Medical Insurance
C. Retirement Plan
D. Paid vacation
E. Vehicle and phone provided
Student Opportunities

Job Title:
Seasonal Agricultural Engineer

Job ID:
9883

Location:
California

How to Apply
Please complete the entire online application along with any prescreening questions that pertain to this opportunity. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

About Us - Winery
Over eighty years ago, with humble beginnings, brothers Ernest and Julio Gallo began E. & J. Gallo Winery. Today, we are the world's largest family-owned winery. We distribute wines in more than 90 countries and are the largest exporter of California wine. E. & J. Gallo Winery employs a creative and talented team of more than 5,000 people.

We truly believe that the contributions of our employees are what make our Winery a dominant force in the ever-growing wine industry. If you want to work with great people and enjoy a career in a dynamic industry expected to double in the next 10 years, see what opportunities await you at E. & J. Gallo Winery!

**BRAE NEWS & EVENTS**

**APRIL**

3. Friday  
Making the Most of the  
Spring Career Fair  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

6. Monday  
Networking for Introverts  
& the Shy  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 224

6. Monday  
Perfecting Your Pitch  
1:30 - 3:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

6. Monday  
Unlocking Interview Success  
3:10 - 4:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

6. Monday  
Start Smart Salary  
Negotiating for Women: Part I  
9:30 - 7:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

7. Tuesday  
Unlocking Interview Success  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

7. Tuesday  
Making the Most of the  
Spring Career Fair  
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

7. Tuesday  
Making the Most of the  
Start-Up Career Fair  
6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

8. Wednesday  
Spring Career Fair  
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
Bldg. 43, REC Ctr.

9. Thursday  
Spring Career Fair  
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
Bldg. 43, REC Ctr.

13. Monday  
Making the Most of the  
Start-Up Career Fair  
11:10 - 2:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

13. Monday  
Start Smart Salary  
Negotiating for Women: Part II  
5:30 - 7:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

12. Tuesday  
Graduate School Search,  
Apply & Fund  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

13. Wednesday  
Water Careers: Emerging  
Opportunities  
11:10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Bldg. 65, UU, Rm. 220

13. Wednesday  
Change of Major Workshop  
3:10 - 4:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

13. Wednesday  
Pizza & Personality: Discovering  
Your Career Interests  
6:10 - 7:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 22, Rm. 218

14. Tuesday  
Portfolio: Your Digital  
Portfolio to Land Amazing Jobs  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

14. Tuesday  
Unlocking Interview Success  
5:00 - 6:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

15. Wednesday  
Startup Career Fair  
10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 7, AFI.

15. Wednesday  
Change of Major Workshop  
4:10 - 5:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

16. Thursday  
Start Your Career with U.S.I  
Jobs & Internships in Federal  
Government  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

16. Thursday  
Your Major: Career Discovery  
Workshop  
1:00 - 2:15 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

21. Tuesday  
Meetup: Careers in Beer  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

21. Tuesday  
Portfolio: Your Digital  
Portfolio to Land Amazing Jobs  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

20. Wednesday  
Pizza & Personality:  
Myers-Briggs Typology  
Indicator  
6:10 - 7:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 22, Rm. 218

21. Thursday  
LinkedIn for Beginners  
1:10 - 2:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 35, Rm. 2170

27. Wednesday  
Pizza & Personality:  
StrengthsQuest  
6:10 - 7:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 22, Rm. 218

**MAY**

5. Tuesday  
Write a Compelling Personal  
Statement  
5:10 - 6:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

7. Thursday  
Establishing Your Professional  
Brand  
2:10 - 3:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

7. Thursday  
So You’d Like a Career in  
Social Justice?  
6:10 - 7:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 180, Rm. 107

12. Tuesday  
Graduate School Search,  
Apply & Fund  
11:10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

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Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

15. Saturday  
Make Yourself Marketable:  
What You Should Be Doing  
Now to Get Hired Later  
2:10 - 3:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

15. Saturday  
StrengthsQuest: Using  
Strengths in Your Quest for  
Career  
5:10 - 6:00 p.m.  
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**RESUME WORKSHOPS**

**Wednesday, April 4**  
Branding Your Business Resume  
2:10 - 3:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Thursday, April 5**  
Resume Clinic: Bring your resume for feedback  
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Friday, April 6**  
Resume Workshop for Engineering  
 Majors  
11:10 - 12:20 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Friday, April 7**  
Resume Workshop for CAFES Majors  
10:10 - 11:00 a.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Friday, April 8**  
Resume Workshop for CLA Students  
2:10 - 3:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 10, Rm. 111

**Thursday, April 9**  
Resume Workshop for Freshmen  
11:10 - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Friday, May 1**  
Resume Workshop for COSAM  
Students  
11:10 - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Tuesday, May 2**  
Resume Workshop for COSAM  
Students  
11:10 - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Tuesday, May 3**  
CAED Resume Workshop  
11:10 - 12:00 p.m.  
Bldg. 124, Rm. 117

**Employer Networking Sessions**  
in quarter 180’s coming!  
Go to careerservices.calpoly.edu  
and click on Upcoming Events.
BRAE NEWS & EVENTS

CAFES Senior Project Workshop
With Katherine O’Clair - CAFES Librarian

Everything you need to know about Library Research for your Senior Project!

Who? Open to all CAFES students. No reservation needed!

When? Thursday, April 16th, 2015 11:10am - noon

Where? Kennedy Library Room 216B (35-216B)
Fremont Hall Spring 2015 Dates and Events

Educational Themes by Week
Week 1- Cultural Inclusion
Week 2- Community Safety
Week 3- Career Prep
Week 4- Community Service
Week 5- Academics
Week 6 – Alcohol Education
Week 7 – Cultural Inclusion
Week 8- Independent Living
Week 9- Transitions
Week 10- Mental Health

Upcoming Events
Monday, April 27 5:00 PM Academic Honors Barbecue
Saturday, May 3 10:00pm Polywood
TBD- Mr. Fremont Pageant Competition

Social Media Outlets
Facebook: Cal Poly- Fremont Hall
Instagram: FremontCalPoly

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ALTERNATIVE FUEL PROJECT PHOTOS
# April Calendar

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For more events check out the Department Calendar: https://connect.calpoly.edu/home/amaccarl@calpoly.edu/BRAE%20Department%20Events.html