



Patrick O'Brien is from California's San Joaquin Valley where agriculture is big business. He chose <u>Colorado State University</u> to pursue a degree in Soil and Crop Sciences. He's interning with Servi-Tech in Burlington, Colorado where he will work alongside a crop specialist.

Illinois native **Nick Steppig** is majoring in Crop Sciences with a special focus on plant biotechnology/molecular biology at the <u>University of Illinois</u> at Urbana-Champaign. His 2014 internship is with Dow AgroSciences where he'll work as the Northern Crops Crop Protection intern in Davenport, Iowa. He's also interned with DuPont Crop Protection and DuPont Pioneer.





<u>Purdue University's</u> **Nolan Sampson** is pursuing his degree in Farm Management. His 2014 internship will be at AgriGold working in the northern region of Indiana. His internship will consist of marketing and sales, agronomy research, logistics and administrative.

Representing <u>Iowa State University</u> is **Jeffrey Barnes** who is pursuing two majors - Agronomy and Seed Science. He is interning with John Deere, based in Olathe, Kansas and will serve as a Marketing Intern learning the new products and developing presentations for the products.





Kurtis Clawson is from <u>Kansas State University</u> where he is pursuing a degree in Agricultural Economics and Agronomy. He'll be working for Monsanto as a Channel seed sales intern in southeast Kansas and southwest Missouri.

Addison Spolyar is studying at Michigan State University where she is majoring in Crop and Soil Sciences with a minor in Agricultural Business Management. Her internship, the second summer, is with Helena Chemical Company at their retail location in Conklin, MI. While she doesn't have farming in the family background, 4-H and FFA sparked her interest at an early age.







Kelsey Mussman, a Minnesota native is attending the <u>University</u> of <u>Minnesota</u> and majoring in Agriculture Education Leadership and Communications with a minor in Agronomy and Animal Science. She'll be working as an intern at Genesis Co-op as a second year intern.

<u>University of Missouri's</u> **Clarissa Brown** is majoring in Agriculture Education. Her internship will be with Syngenta Crop Protection, LLC for the second year in a row where she'll serve as a Developmental Sales Intern. She'll travel Missouri, Kansas, and Nebraska.





Brennan Costello is a <u>University of Nebraska</u> student majoring in Agribusiness and will be interning with Monsanto as a Field Sale Intern. He'll work with a local sales team on a variety of locally defined projects. He's also served as a National FFA officer.

Jodi Boe is a North Dakota State University student working on a double major in Crop and Weed Science and Ag Economics with a minor in Soil Science. She'll be interring for Bayer CropScience at the Northern Field Technology Station in Sabin, MN where she will assist scientists evaluate crop protection compounds that have recently been developed.





Jade Kampsen is majoring in Agriculture Education with a minor in Agronomy & Journalism at South Dakota State University. She'll be working at the Central Valley Cooperative at their Blooming Prairie, MN location as a sales and marketing intern.

Mikaela Breunig is studying Plant Pathology at the <u>University of Wisconsin-Madison</u>. She'll be interning at Monsanto in St. Louis as the Seed Physiology intern in the Quality Assurance department.

