2020 Borlaug Ruan International Internship Application

Student Information

Email Address *
The email address provided must be a personal and NOT a school email address

Your Answer

First Name *

Your Answer

Last Name *

Date

Cell Phone Number *

Your Answer

Home City *

Your Answer

Home State *

Your Answer
Gender *

- Female
- Male
- Transgender
- Prefer to self describe

Ethnicity *
Please select all that apply. Information collected is only used for statistical purposes.

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Hispanic or Latino
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White
- Prefer not to disclose

Date of Birth *
Format: Month/Day/Year

Date

Please list allergies to medications, plants, animals, insects stings, etc. If none, please write in "none."

Your Answer
School Information

School Name *
Your Answer

School City *
Your Answer

School State *
Your Answer

Current GPA *
Your Answer

Year in School - As of Fall 2019
- Junior in High School
- Senior in High School
- Freshman in College

If in College - Degree/Major
Your Answer
Organizations or Clubs of which student was/is a member: *
Select all that apply.

☐ FFA
☐ 4-H
☐ MANRRS
☐ Science Fair
☐ HOBY
☐ Model UN
☐ TAG/ELP
☐ RYL
☐ Student Government
☐ Mock Trial
☐ Other
☐ None

Foreign Language Skills *
Please indicate any foreign language skills and level of fluency. If none please specify 'none'.

Your Answer
Please specify which youth program(s) you have participated in:
Check all that apply. Participation in the Global Youth Institute is a requirement for eligibility to apply for the Borlaug-Ruan Internship

☐ A State Youth Institute
☐ The Global Youth Institute
☐ USDA Wallace-Carver Fellowship
☐ Other

If applicable, select the Youth Institute in which you participated:

☐ Alabama Youth Institute at Tuskegee University
☐ Arkansas Youth Institute at the University of Arkansas
☐ Colorado Youth Institute at Colorado State University
☐ Florida Youth Institute at the University of Florida
☐ Indiana Youth Institute at Purdue University
☐ Iowa Youth Institute at Iowa State University
☐ Kansas Youth Institute at Kansas State University
☐ Maryland Youth Institute at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore
☐ Michigan Youth Institute at Michigan State University
☐ Minnesota Youth Institute at the university of Minnesota Twin Cities
☐ Mississippi Youth Institute at Mississippi State University
☐ Missouri Youth Institute at the University of Missouri-Columbia
☐ Nebraska Youth Institute at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln
☐ New Jersey Youth Institute at Rutgers University
☐ New Youth Institute at Cornell University
North Carolina Youth Institute at North Carolina State University
Northern Great Plains Youth Institute at the University of Minnesota Crookston
Ohio Youth Institute at The Ohio State University
Pennsylvania Youth Institute at Penn State University
South Dakota Youth Institute at South Dakota State University
Texas Youth Institute at Texas A&M University
Wisconsin Youth Institute at the University of Wisconsin-Madison

What year did you participate in the Global Youth Institute? *

Your Answer

Have you applied for the Borlaug-Ruan Internship in the past? *

☐ Yes
☐ No

If yes to the question above, which year? *
Mark N/A if you answered no to the previous question.

Your Answer
Areas of Interest *
Please select your top 3 areas of interest

☐ Plant Health & Crop Production
☐ Human Health and Nutrition
☐ Animal Health and Livestock Systems
☐ Aquaculture
☐ Insects
☐ Engineering
☐ Sustainable Agriculture and Environmental Conservation
☐ Economic and Social Development

Is one area of interest a top preference? If so, why?
Please limit response to 50 words or less.

Your Answer
First Reference - First Name *
Please provide the first name of your first reference. One reference must be a teacher. The other reference can be a teacher, coach or mentor. Neither reference can be a relative or family member. The due date for references to return their forms is December 30.

Your Answer

First Reference - Last Name
Please provide the last name of your first reference. One reference must be a teacher. The other reference can be a teacher, coach or mentor. Neither reference can be a relative or family member. The due date for references to return their forms is December 30.

Your Answer

First Reference - Title *
Please provide the title of your first reference. One reference must be a teacher. The other reference can be a teacher, coach or mentor. Neither reference can be a relative or family member. The due date for references to return their forms is December 30.

Your Answer

First Reference - Company *
Please provide the company name of your first reference. One reference must be a teacher. The other reference can be a teacher, coach or mentor. Neither reference can be a relative or family member. The due date for references to return their forms is December 30.

Your Answer

First Reference - Email Address *
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Your Answer
Second Reference - First Name *
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Full-Time Internship *

I understand this is a full-time internship (40 hours a week) and requires an 8-week minimum commitment. Specific dates will be determined with placements if selected. (Example: May 31 - August 10)

☐ Yes

Orientation *

If selected I understand I am responsible for securing my own transportation with a parent/guardian to attend the required orientation in Des Moines, Iowa, on May 2.

☐ Yes

Capstone at Global Youth Institute *

I understand the Internship requirements include a capstone presentation during the World Food Prize Global Youth Institute in Des Moines IA (Oct. 15-17, 2020)

☐ Yes

U.S. Citizen or U.S. Permanent Resident & Age Requirements *

Are you a U.S. Citizen or U.S. Permanent Resident in at least 11th grade, and will you be 17 years of age by the first week in June of next year?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Additional Information

Anything else we should know in regard to your application? (50 word maximum. Not required)

Your Answer
Cover Letter - PDF Only *
Your cover letter should include the following: 1) Why you would like to participate in the Borlaug-Ruan International Internship program. 2) Why you would be a good candidate. 3) If there is a particular country/region and research area of interest.

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Resume or Curriculum Vitae - PDF Only *

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Unofficial School Transcripts - PDF Only *
Applicants who are currently in their freshman year of college should submit their high school transcript

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Copy of Passport - PDF Only *
Option A) For student applicants who are U.S. Citizens: Please submit a clear photocopy of the signature and photo page of the student’s official U.S. passport which must be valid through December 2020 and have a least one blank visa page; OR submit an invoice verifying that the applicant’s U.S. passport application has been submitted to the U.S. Department of State prior to December 15 2019. OPTION B) For student applicants who are foreign nationals residing permanently in the U.S: Please submit photocopies of the signature and photo page of the student applicant’s foreign passport and U.S. permanent resident card both of which must be valid through December 2020 and have a least one blank visa page.

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Parent/Guardian Consent Form *
All applicants, regardless of age, must have a parent or legal guardian sign the consent form.

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