



HONESTY — PASSION — WILLINGNESS TO LEARN — QUEST FOR KNOWLEDGE — TEAMWORK — RESPECT

## FIELD OPERATIONS INTERNSHIP

### LORETTO, KY

#### ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Peterson Farms is a family operated row crop production farm based out of Loretto, KY. As a Field Operations Intern at Peterson Farms your primary responsibility will be to assist the Operations team in tasks related to land management and production practices primarily of corn, soybeans, wheat and maintaining the quality of a large scale row crop operation.

Responsibilities will include but are not limited to:

- Maintenance and repair of equipment and operating facilities
- Field equipment operation including use of on-board computing systems in equipment such as tractors, sprayers, combines, etc.
- Assisting in the movement/transport of necessary equipment from field to field
- Assisting Chief Agronomist/Crop Scout in scouting fields for insects, disease, and weeds, as well as taking stand counts and growth stages in various crops
- Various other on-farm duties as assigned

Through an Internship with Peterson Farms you can expect to use our core values to gain a better understanding of the logistics and skills necessary to maintain quality and efficiency in a large scale row-crop operation.

#### QUALIFICATIONS AND EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

High school diploma or equivalent is required. Must be able to obtain a DOT medical card required for operation of equipment. Possession of a CDL is a plus. Preferred candidates would also be a junior or senior pursuing a degree in Agronomy or Plant and Soil Science, Agricultural Economics, Ag Business, or other related fields, but it is not required.

#### PREFERRED SKILLS

Preferred candidates will have previous production agriculture experience whether it be through prior internships or on-farm experience. At minimum, candidates should have a basic knowledge of machinery operation. Good communication skills are a must. Most importantly, candidates need to have a drive to Learn!

#### Internship Period

Summer internships usually begin late April to early May and usually last until around mid-August. Also might be open to extending the internship to encompass the fall semester.

Please send resumes to [danielp@peterson-farms.com](mailto:danielp@peterson-farms.com).

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