Paid Internship Opportunity

Work as an IPM Scout for a large hop farm and hop breeding company in the Yakima Valley, WA

Job Description: Scout hop fields for both beneficial and pest insects in hops. Take accurate insect counts using a hand lens or dissecting microscope in a laboratory setting. Take detailed notes on findings in the field, including mildew infection rates. Operate a handheld GPS unit to georeference scouting locations. Safely operate a 4-wheeler on farm roads and within hop fields. Assist with various aspects of research and development in hops.

Experience Description: IPM scouts will typically work from 5 am until 4 or 5 in the afternoon Monday through Friday. Saturday work will often be required depending on workloads.

You would also have the opportunity to tour and interact with other hop ranches, agronomists, researchers, hop breeders, and hop processing facilities and experts. As well as numerous opportunities to meet and interact with craft brewers of all sizes from across the nation.

Additionally, Interns will have the opportunity to brew in our pilot brewery, which would often be related to hop breeding research but also for fun and to learn more about the brewing process. Interns will be exposed to the hop breeding process from start to finish as well as commercial hop production.

Pay: Base pay is $13+/hr. All attempts will be made to help interns find housing, expect to pay $400/m for housing and anticipate living with roommates.

Apply: Please visit http://www.selecthops.com/employment/ and apply under the job openings: 2017 QA Intern position. Also, please send an email to Andrew@perraultfarms.com sharing your name and that you are interested in the Perrault Farm's internship. If you are also interested in the QA Internship, please mention that you are interested in either position.

More Information on the Farm:

https://ychhops.com/who-we-are/growers/perrault-farms

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=heXGvPUDTJw