

# Aggie 'Neck News

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## Club News

*If you want to join a club, attend an interest meeting!*

**Ag Council:** 1st & 3rd Wed, 5pm, KH 152

**Ag Mech:** 2nd Wed, 5pm, Ag Shop

**Ag Vocators:** Tues, 7am, KH 152

**Agribusiness:** 1st & 3rd Wed, 6pm, KH 308

**Agronomy:** 2nd & 4th Tue, 5pm, KH 226

**Alpha Gamma Rho:** Mon, 5:30pm, AGR House

**Alpha Gamma Sigma:** Mon, 6pm, AGS House

**Alpha Zeta:** 1st & 3rd Wed, 5:30pm, KH 152

**CFFA/ PAS/ AG Ed:** 1st & 3rd Tue, 5pm, KH 152

**Collegiate Farm Bureau:** 2nd & 4th Tue, 6pm, KH 152

**Equestrian Club:** Wed, 6pm, Keeney Room (Rec Center)

**Forestry Club:** 2nd & 4th Thurs, 3pm, KH 201

**Hoof-n-Horn:** 3rd Thurs, 6:30pm, Livestock Center

**Horticulture:** 2nd & 4th Mon, 5pm, KH 226

**Sigma Alpha:** Mon, 5:30pm, KH 152

## Upcoming Events

3/2: Kim Clayton-Bush Benefit

3/5: All Major Career Fair

3/8: Bull Test Sale

3/19: Ag Internship mtg

3/20: Ag Internship mtg

3/22: Ag Open House

3/23: Equestrian Experience

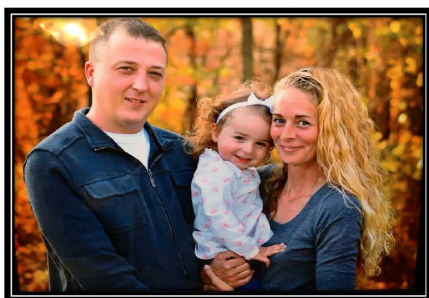
3/23: HnH Jackpot Show

3/26: Ag Internship mtg

4/10: Stuff the Bus

### BOOB-A-PALOOZA II 2019 "WE GOT THIS"

Benefit for **KIM CLAYTON – BUSH**



FREE WILL  
DONATION AT THE  
DOOR

INCLUDES MEAL

and

BAND

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8 PM TO 10 PM

**SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2019**

American Legion 221 E Washington, Macomb, IL

Doors open at 4:00 pm

Silent Auction 4:00pm – 6:30pm Live Auction 6:00 pm

**RAFFLES** – 1 for \$5 or 5 for \$20

930/935 Mossberg 12g Auto Loading Shotgun

43" Samsung HD Smart Television

50/50 Drawing

**TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR**

Follow us on FACEBOOK @ BOOB-A-PALOOZA II

**Contributions** – should be made to **Kim Bush Benefit** and mailed to:  
MidAmerica National Bank, 130 N Side Square, Macomb, IL 61455

Questions or to purchase Raffle Tickets

Kathi Clayton Chaplain 309-337-2867, Stacy Clark 309-333-4731,  
Angie Eagan 309-331-5081, Lisa Fentem 309-333-0128 Tracy VanBrooker 309-331-4192.

# ALL MAJOR CAREER & INTERNSHIP FAIR

## Union Grand Ballroom March 5th, 2019

12:00pm - 3:00pm



WIU School of Graduate Studies will be hosting their *Graduate Expo* directly outside the fair.

Career and internship opportunities available as well as free professional head shots!

### PROFESSIONAL ATTIRE REQUIRED

# WCFA conference

Friday, March 1, 2019

8:00 am - 5:00 pm

at  
Richland Community College  
Decatur, Illinois

womenchangingthefaceofagriculture.com



THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2019

## WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE Conference

# THE 2019 EQUESTRIAN EXPERIENCE

Come support the WIU  
Equestrian Club

## MARCH 23RD

10 am to 3 pm

LIVESTOCK CENTER  
2201 WIGWAM HOLLOW ROAD,  
MACOMB

Bring the whole family out for a fun day full of food, games, crafts, raffle baskets, vendors, petting zoo, and horse rides!

## Ag Internship Summer 2019



Expand networks and gain professional agricultural experience in the operation and management of agricultural businesses, public agencies, or private agencies. Earn college credit as you enhance your preparation for a career in agriculture.

### Mandatory Informational Meetings

You will need to plan to attend **One (1)** session:

**Tuesday, March 19 - 12:00 pm or**  
**Wednesday, March 20 - 3:00 pm or**  
**Tuesday, March 26 - 7:00 am**

All meetings will be in Knoblauch 306

The purpose of this meeting is to explain the requirements and protocol. You will need to have earned 54 hours by the end of Spring 2019 and have a 2.25 cumulative and major GPA to apply.

Bring your internship manual!  
<http://www.wiu.edu/cbt/agriculture/internships/>

Faculty Supervisor:  
Dr. Graciela Andrango  
gc-andrango@wiu.edu  
309-298-4688



We are excited to introduce the newest venture of the WIU School of Agriculture, Leatherneck Country Meats. This student centered offering allows for the purchase of high quality pork from the WIU farm. Bundles of 25 pounds, 70 pounds, or a whole hog can be purchased. Contact Jana Knupp at [jm-knupp@wiu.edu](mailto:jm-knupp@wiu.edu) for more information.

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**HOOF N HORN JACKPOT SHOW**  
 IBA POINTS SHOW

MARCH 23, 2019

CHECK-IN  
 FRIDAY, MARCH 22: 6:30-8:30 P.M.  
 SATURDAY, MARCH 23: 6:00-9:00 A.M.

Showmanship- 10:00 A.M.  
 HEIFERS- 12:00 P.M.  
 FOLLOWED BY STEERS

- GENERAL RULES:
1. Steer & Heifer show is open to anyone.
  2. All Heifers must have health papers meeting Illinois requirements.
  3. Generators are encouraged.
  4. Entries accepted at show only. \$35 per head.
  5. WIU Hoof N' Horn is not responsible for any accidents or lost/damaged/stolen property.
  6. Registration papers are required for all purebred classes.
  7. Minimum of 3 head per class.
  8. Minimum of 5 head per breed.
  9. All calves must be born in 2018.
  10. Showmanship: Mini-Jackpot with a \$5 entry fee. Three age groups, with a Champion & Reserve Champion in each division.
  11. Fit Show- WEATHER PERMITTING.

CLASSES:  
 Angus, Chianina, Gelbvieh, Hereford, Shorthorn, ShorthornPlus, Simmental (Purebred & Percentage), Maine-Anjou, Melanotainer, AOB, Crossbred & Market Heifers

**\$500 GRANDS**

**\$250 RESERVE GRANDS**

ROSEVILLE, IL FAIRGROUNDS

Directions: turn off Route 67 at the first Roseville turnoff. Turn right (if coming from the South) on Washington St. The fairgrounds are located behind the park. Look for signs along Route 67.

For more information:  
 Blake Hennenfent 309.351.6347  
 Katie Miller 309.714.1778  
 Kip Wallace 731.415.3685

**JUDGE HANK LEVAN**



**47th Annual Bull Test Sale**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 8th 6:30 P.M.**

**WIU Livestock Center Macomb, IL**

**41 Yearling Bulls**

- Angus
- Simmental
- % Simmental

For Further Information, Contact:  
 Keela Trennepohl, PhD  
[km-trennepohl@wiu.edu](mailto:km-trennepohl@wiu.edu)  
 805-440-8421

[http://www.wiu.edu/cbt/agriculture/bull\\_test/](http://www.wiu.edu/cbt/agriculture/bull_test/)



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# Knights of Columbus **LENTEN CATFISH FRY**



**WHEN:** 4:30pm - 6:30pm, Fridays During Lent  
(March 8th - April 19th)

**WHERE:** St. Paul's Gym  
322 W. Washington St., Macomb, IL

## **\$10 CATFISH DINNER**

Choice of Fried Whole Catfish, Pollock or Tuna Casserole  
Two Sides, Drink & Dessert

## **\$5 KIDS MEAL** (All ages may order)

Choice of Grilled Cheese or Pizza, One Side, Drink & Dessert

## **FREE PIZZA**

With the Purchase of a Catfish Dinner for Children 10 & Under

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## Alpha Zeta

# Jeopardy Night

**March 7<sup>th</sup> at 6 P.M**

**Knoblauch Hall, Room 152**

Teams up to 5 people! \$10 entry fee per team. Drop payment off in the Ag Office (AZ mailbox) by March 4 OR pay at the door! If there are any questions please contact Jonathan McConville by email (jm-mcconville@wiu.edu).



**\*\*For more employment opportunities, please check the bulletin board by the Ag Office (Knobby 145)\*\***

# Employment Opportunities



## Summer Internship / Research Crew

CRD Advisors LLC is a privately owned, contract corn research testing and corn breeding company, located NE of Springfield, IL.

CRD Advisors LLC is currently seeking applicants for summer positions and internships in the Research Department. These positions will provide a unique opportunity to learn about the agriculture industry from a research and breeding company. The internship will provide a basic understanding of the corn breeding and research industry. Major duties will include working in the corn breeding nursery developing new parent inbred lines and assisting with corn hybrid yield trial plot observations.

Summer Research Crew positions can last up to three months and include activities like hand pollinating in nursery blocks, plot maintenance, stand counting of yield trials at home and away locations, and field notes. Plan to work 20-40 hours per week during June and August, 30-40+ hours per week in July and some weekends. The start and end dates vary based on weather, type of position and location.

Individuals interested in any of these positions must meet the following job requirements to obtain summer employment or internships:

- Willingness to work 40 or more hours per week, including some weekends.
- Ability to work around corn, and other crops, pollen, and dust.
- Ability to walk and stand for long periods of time.
- Willingness to work outdoors, in a variety of conditions.
- Must be self-motivated and possess a positive attitude.

For more information and an application please contact:

Nathan Bergschneider  
Eastern Location Manager  
CRD Advisors, LLC  
4275 Camp Butler Rd  
Springfield, IL 62707  
217-415-0220  
[nbergschneider@gmail.com](mailto:nbergschneider@gmail.com)  
[www.crd-advisors.com](http://www.crd-advisors.com)

## DES MOINES COUNTY SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

3625 Flint Ridge Drive  
Burlington IA 52601  
319-753-6221 Ext. 3



The Des Moines County Soil & Water Conservation District is accepting applications for a summer internship position.

**Position Title:** Conservation Internship

**Employment Term:** 480 hours (approximately 12 weeks)

**Education/Qualification:** Must be enrolled in college or a recent graduate majoring in a field of study related to agriculture, conservation, engineering, construction trades, GIS, communications, public relations or urban planning.

**Opening Date:** January 14, 2019

**Closing Date:** February 8, 2019

**Wage:** \$12/hr. No holidays, vacation or benefits included.

### Description of Duties:

- Conduct Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) field reviews
- Organize/plan a special project
- Assist with conservation practices survey and layout
- Soil health promotion activities
- Other duties may be required and assigned as deemed appropriate by the Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioners

**Skills & Abilities:** The employee must be able to drive and have a valid driver's license. Knowledge of plants, soils and map reading is beneficial. Must have the ability to work outdoors in all types of weather conditions. Ability to walk through tough terrain and carry equipment.

**Contact: Send resumes via email to:**  
[jamie.stewart@ia.nacdnet.net](mailto:jamie.stewart@ia.nacdnet.net)

## Rising STAR Partner Internship Program



### PROGRAM

To maintain our standard of excellence, we are continually looking for quality candidates to add to our team. Our Rising STAR Partner internship program is a rare opportunity which allows you to take the skills and knowledge gained through your college education, plus the extensive sales, agronomy, and business skills training from our Seed Academy and apply them in a practical setting to grow your own seed business. Our Rising STAR Partner Internship program will provide in-depth training, support and business planning assistance to help college students build their own LG Seeds dealership. This is a great opportunity, with excellent income potential, for students returning to their home farm after graduation.

Members of the LG Seeds Rising STAR Partner Intern Team will gain the tools and information needed to run a successful professional seed dealership. From training in digital agriculture, sales, agronomy, building your dealership brand through marketing and more, our Rising STAR Partner Interns will learn how to rapidly develop successful dealership while learning the skills to continue the growth. Rising STAR Partner Interns who meet objectives during the internship will have the opportunity to be their own boss as they build their successful seed business.

### RESPONSIBILITY AREAS INCLUDE:

- Marketing/Sales
- Advantage Acre
- Agronomics
- Training
- Administrative

### QUALIFICATIONS

- Background in farming preferred
- Pursuing agriculture related degree with Junior or Senior standing (or in 2<sup>nd</sup> year of Associates degree)
- Highly self-motivated with strong work ethic
- Desire to start their own seed business
- Excellent written and oral communications
- Possesses effective organization and time management skills
- Ability to complete responsibilities without supervision
- Professional attitude with great leadership qualities
- Ability to lift at least 50 lbs.
- Valid driver license & meet MVR guidelines
- Dependable personal vehicle

### COMPENSATION

- \$15.87 per hour for the months of June, July, and August
- Additional opportunities for compensation may be available during the school year.

### HOW TO APPLY

- Go to: <http://agreliantgenetics.com/careers/>, Select "View Current Job Openings", Type "Rising STAR" in search box, Click on job name then Select "Apply for this job on-line" then complete requested information and attach resume.

1122 East 169th Street | Westfield, Indiana 46074 | (800) 752.6847 | [lgseeds.com](http://lgseeds.com)

# CAREER OPPORTUNITY

## FARM ASSISTANT

A Western Illinois crop operation is seeking a full time employee for a year-round farm assistant position. The position has a flexible start date and salary dependent on experience.

### Responsibilities

Farm Assistant will perform a variety of tasks including, but not limited to: operating and maintenance of large machinery, drying and storage of grain, applying fertilizer and chemicals, mowing, and hauling grain.

### Required Qualifications

A valid driver's license and ability to perform labor-intensive tasks are necessary.

### Preferred Experience

Knowledge of agriculture and a commercial driver's license are preferred.

Please submit resume and/or questions to Mark Hawk at [mhawkfarm@gmail.com](mailto:mhawkfarm@gmail.com).



## 2019 Internship Program

### Our Company

Great Lakes Grain & Transportation was founded with a better vision for our food production system. We promote regenerative agricultural practices that protect the land, provide clean and safe food ingredients, and create economic opportunities for American farmers. We use technology to do things faster, smarter, and with a smaller environmental impact. And we're built to succeed, with the capital resources and experience to reach our goals.

Our core business is safely transporting the highest quality certified organic grains. We work in partnership with our suppliers to offer innovative forward pricing contracts and merchandising opportunities throughout the year. We currently have logistics operations in Michigan and Iowa, with ambitious growth plans for 2019.

### Job Description

This is an 8 week internship for current college students interested in gaining real world agribusiness experience. We kick things off in June with a multi-day orientation program where you'll learn the basics of the grain trade (including conventional grains), an overview of the specialty crop markets, and everything you'll need to know about Great Lakes operations. For the remainder of the program you will work primarily from one of our regional sites, or from home. Tasks will include:

- Market research projects, typically involving visits to the local FSA
- Serve as a brand ambassador, communicating the Great Lakes value proposition to organic & conventional growers. This may be done by visiting farms, attending industry events such as conferences or other ag events such as the state or country fair, or meeting with other related businesses.
- Develop contacts for potential grain origination.

### Qualifications

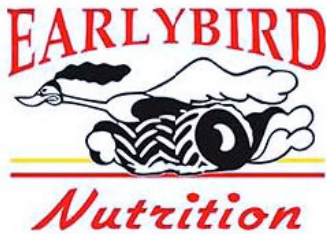
- Must be enrolled at an accredited university in an ag science, agribusiness, or general finance curriculum, with at least one year completed.
- Must have an exceptionally outgoing personality. This position often involves meeting new people and talking about ag. You have to be passionate about it!
- Farm experience strongly preferred. The ideal intern will have been a 4H member and spent considerable time on the farm before college. In fact, this internship offers the flexibility to continue working on a family farm operation throughout the summer and we encourage our interns to do so.

### Location & Compensation

The three day paid orientation will be held in Chicago. The remainder of the program will be completed either from your home territory, one of our facilities in Michigan, Illinois, or Iowa

Compensation is based on an hourly rate plus additional bonus incentives for high performers. Travel expenses (such as the Chicago orientation program) are 100% covered by the company.

Please email us at [careers@GreatLakesGT.com](mailto:careers@GreatLakesGT.com) to be considered for this position



## JOB OPENINGS

We are looking for hardworking, reliable individual/s to join our growing business team.

Positions open are as follows:

**Full Time Bag Delivery truck driver** – Must have or have capability of gaining a Class A CDL license, lift with no with restraints, motivated, reliable person that is able take instruction and follow directions. Capability of operating a fork lift, and hand truck are a plus.

**Full Time Warehouse Manager** – Must be a reliable, responsible person with good organizational skills. Job will pertain to warehouse upkeep, stocking, helping load orders for customers, as well as assisting the Mill manager. Person must have capability of lifting with no restraints, operating a fork lift and hand truck are a plus. Must be able to work as a team and take instructions.

**Part Time Warehouse/Mill support** – Must be a reliable, responsible individual, able to operate a fork lift and hand truck are a plus. Ability to lift with no restraints, and take instructions well.

Please apply at Earlybird Nutrition - Roseville Mill  
300 East Broadway Street, Roseville, IL 61473  
309-705-3010



# COMMUNICATIONS INTERNSHIP

Sullivan Supply is searching for a high energy individual with experience with livestock shows to join our communications team for the summer.

Based in Dunlap, Iowa

May-August

Send Resume & Cover Letter to [luke@sullivansupply.com](mailto:luke@sullivansupply.com)

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## Summer Field Inspectors & Contract Coordinators

Positions available with teams in the Manito, Minier, and Beardstown areas.

Opportunity to work with an energetic team focused on bringing the best corn products to farmers for maximum sustainable yields.

### Requirements:

- Ability to work in all-weather conditions
- Ability to work flexible hours, including weekends
- Must be at least 18 years old
- Drug screen upon start date
- Reliable form of transportation
- Valid driver's license

### Desired Skills/Experience:

- Self-motivated individual
- Team player
- Adaptability
- Technology experience
- Safety oriented

### HOW TO APPLY

If you, or someone you know, is interested, email [madison.mohr@bayer.com](mailto:madison.mohr@bayer.com) or [illinois.illioopolis@monsanto.com](mailto:illinois.illioopolis@monsanto.com) or visit either of our site at Manito or Illioopolis for an application.

1106 South East Ave.  
Manito, IL 61546

4370 Mt. Pulaski Rd. N  
Illioopolis, IL 62539

Bayer successfully completed the acquisition of Monsanto in June 2018, bringing together Monsanto's leadership in seeds and plant traits with Bayer's leadership in chemical and biological crop protection. By joining forces, we will create even more extensive career opportunities for talent around the world. While we are now Bayer, we will continue to hire using separate career sites until we can integrate our career platforms. We invite you to explore the career opportunities available at the combined company by visiting [advancingtogether.com/careers](http://advancingtogether.com/careers).

WIU Agricultural Farm

**Job title:** Student Livestock Farm Workers - Summer

**Reports to:** WIU Farm Coordinator

**Job purpose:** Student Livestock Farm Workers will assist university farm staff in all areas of farm operation including livestock care, breeding and record keeping, building, grounds, and equipment operation & maintenance, as well as special projects. Student workers get opportunities to learn and become proficient at new skills and equipment. Student workers must complete chores on weekends and holidays.

**Duties:**

- Feed & water livestock
- Recognize when livestock are not healthy and bring to attention of farm staff
- Mowing and upkeep of farm grounds
- Monitoring all buildings, barns, and fences for repairs and safety
- Cleaning of livestock pens and activity centers
- Assist on special projects as directed by supervisors
- Drive trucks & tractors with trailers
- Safely operate push mowers, pull-behind mowers, string trimmers, and chainsaws
- Use of agricultural hand tools proficiently (Shovels, forks, rakes, brooms, hammers, drills, wrenches, etc.)
- Occasionally operate skid steer and loader tractor (under direct supervision of experienced staff operator)

**Qualifications:**

**Required:**

- Student Workers must be enrolled in summer class(es) at WIU or registered for classes in the upcoming fall semester.
- Valid Driver's License and satisfactory driving record
- Reliable
- Punctual
- Available to work on weekends and holidays (Students rotate and we try to work with your schedule)
- Fluent in English language
- Ability to lift 50lbs

**Desired:**

- Positive attitude
- Hard working
- Work as part of a team and/or on independent tasks
- Previous agricultural experience with livestock
- Ability to operate farm equipment

**Contact Information:** To schedule an interview, please submit a resume to Paul Blome, WIU Farm Coordinator via e-mail or submit a hard-copy in the WIU Ag office (Knoblauch room 145)

Thank you,

Paul Blome WIU Farm Coordinator

Instructor of Arboriculture & Urban Forestry

School of Agriculture

WIU Agricultural Field Laboratory Farm Livestock Center

Room 101

Western Illinois University

Macomb, IL 61455

O: 309-298-1160

C: 309-252-1075

E: PH-Blome@WIU.EDU



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## SUMMER FIELD HELP WANTED

The Bayer North America Field Testing Operations (NAFTO) Group in Monmouth, IL is now accepting summer field position applications for our upcoming season running May through August 2019. We have positions available for college students who would like a rewarding job experience where there will be a variety of agronomic research learning opportunities. Agricultural experience is not required for this opportunity.

*Job tasks could include:*

**Early season – May and June**

- Assist in staking and identifying discard plots at our ~25 corn and soybean yield trial locations across Western Illinois
- Utilize handheld computing devices (such as ipods/ipads) for in-season data collection at our field locations for corn and soybeans
- Assist with installation and maintenance of irrigation drip tape for disease trails
- Collect soil and/or plant samples and installation of soil probes and weather monitoring devices

**Mid-season – June, July, and early August**

- Monitoring previous 2018 yield trials for volunteer corn and soybean plants
- Rouging off type (hybrid) plants in inbred trials
- Collect plant tissue samples and ship to labs for analysis
- General plot maintenance and removing weeds in trials
- Assist in collecting a variety of opportunistic agronomic notes that may become present throughout the growing season
- Assist in collecting flowering data of soybeans

**Late season – August and September**

- Collect plant and corn ear height data from offsite locations
- Assist with soybean maturity and growth stage notes

Again, if you are interested in working please fill out the enclosed application and email it to [samantha.arnold@bayer.com](mailto:samantha.arnold@bayer.com) or mail it to the Monsanto Agronomy Center. **The deadline for application submission is April 1<sup>st</sup> 2019.** Our mailing address is as follows:

Monmouth Agronomy Center  
C/O Samantha Arnold  
1677 80<sup>th</sup> Street  
Monmouth, IL 61462

Employees will typically work 8:00am to 5:00pm weekly and some weekends will be required based on work load. Weather plays a huge part in determining schedule and work load. Chosen candidates will also be required to pass a drug test prior to their start date. If you have any questions or for more information, please call or text Samantha Arnold at 309-221-4461 or contact via e-mail at [samantha.arnold@bayer.com](mailto:samantha.arnold@bayer.com).



## SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

**\$15.00/HOUR PLUS MILEAGE**

**Now  
HIRING**

**Current Openings Include:**

-Field Inspectors to scout fields

-Contract Supervisors to manage crews

**No experience necessary. Training will be provided.**



**Apply now!**

Contact: Aaron Price (309) 532-2697 [aaron.price@bayer.com](mailto:aaron.price@bayer.com)

Larissa Kiefer (309) 319-1250 [larissa.kiefer@bayer.com](mailto:larissa.kiefer@bayer.com)

# Scholarship Opportunities

\*\*For more info, please check the bulletin board\*\*

**SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**



Accounting and Finance Scholarships - DEADLINE: March 9, 2019  
College of Business and Technology Scholarships - DEADLINE: March 26, 2019

**apply @ [wiu.academicworks.com](http://wiu.academicworks.com)**

## College Students: Looking for Tuition Money?




### Apply for WIRC-CAA Scholarships!

**Western Illinois Regional Council-Community Action Agency (WIRC-CAA) is accepting applications for a total of five \$2,000 scholarships.**

**Who is eligible to apply?**

- You must be enrolled in an Illinois community college, vocational school, college, or university.
- You must be a resident of Hancock, Henderson, McDonough, or Warren County.

**How do I apply?**

- Beginning February 18, 2019, download the application from [wirpc.org](http://wirpc.org), or get a paper copy from your high school guidance counselor, college financial aid office, or the WIRC office, 223 South Randolph Street, Macomb.
- Completed applications must be received at the WIRC office by **4:00 p.m. on March 29, 2019.**
- Applicants will be evaluated on the basis of financial eligibility, scholarship potential, commitment to civic affairs, career goals, and personal interviews.

**How can the scholarship funds be used?**

- Scholarship funds can be used for tuition and fees, textbooks, supplies, or campus room and board.

**What if I have questions?**

- For more information, prospective applicants should visit [wirpc.org](http://wirpc.org) or call (309) 837-2997 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Equal Opportunity Employer.

## Win a \$3,500 Scholarship

for those interested in a career in the grain and feed industries

Open to college Freshman, Sophomores and Juniors with a permanent Illinois residence

Deadline: March 1, 2019

[www.gfai.org](http://www.gfai.org) for details




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<https://ilpork.com/youth/scholarships>

**Mar 1 Deadline**



**School of Agriculture**

**WIU AGRICULTURE OPEN HOUSE**  
OCTOBER 5, 2018 & MARCH 22, 2019

[bitly.com/WIUOpenHouse18](http://bitly.com/WIUOpenHouse18)

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