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ISU Daily Articles

Promoting agriculture is a side goal to what we all do, but Eta collegiate members have recently landed the opportunity do so through publication in the Iowa State Daily. Brother Andrew Lauver, "2061", has landed a job as an agricultural opinion columnist where, with the help of other Eta actives, he will submit 600-800 word pieces weekly on current events in agriculture. It is more important than ever that we provide a stong voice for agriculture on campus. Below is a link to the first of Brother Lauver's articles, and you may follow future articles through www. iowastatedaily.com.

Article Link:

"Who is Going to Feed Your
World?"



Posting Jobs

On Tuesday, October 16, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences students will attend the Ag Fall Career Day. This is an important day for Eta actives, offering networking, internship, and full-time job opportunities. Per an alumni feedback idea for the newsletter, an additional networking opportunity could be held through the posting of job opportunities by Eta alumni. At this time, we encourage any postings via email response, but are looking to create a dual-sided posting page for Eta actives and alumni to share and professionally network.

Did You Know?

The following companies will have already visited as dinner guests, this semester, before Ag Fall Career Day.

Dow AgroSciences
Land O'Lakes
Farmers Cooperative
Syngenta
Monsanto
Pioneer
ConAgra

AgriLogic

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Eta Chapter's Schedule of Events Saturday, October 27, 2012 201 Gray Avenue

Since the game time has not been posted prior to the sending of this newsletter, a generic scenerio of what to expect for the schedule of events is as follows:

* With a 3:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. Kick-off, the Homecoming Meal and Presentation will be from 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

* With a 11:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m. Kick-off, the Homecoming Meal and Presentation will start 30 minutes after the conclusion of the football game.

Please look for a more detailed Homecoming schedule in the upcoming October newsletter.

Please check our website

www.isuagr.org

for further updates.

Entrepreneurship Scholarship

Winner of the 2012 Murray Wise Associates Agriculture Entrepreneurship Scholarship, Brother Colin Hurd, "2069", plans to build upon his business idea, "TrackTill", which is aimed at solving the issue of soil compaction. Hurd created an attachment to a planter that would reduce this compaction, thus increasing the overall yield in the fields, and is currently working towards a patent. You may read the ISU Daily's article on his story here: http://www.iowastatedaily.com/news/article_edb65f08-06a0-11e2-a316-0019bb2963f4.html



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