

Crop Scouting Internship

Scouting interns support the crop management activities of the Pest Pros crop consultants. Activities involve insect, disease, weed and crop nutritional problem assessment and management. Crop scouts work in teams of two in conjunction with a crop consultant to make crop management decisions. Grower fields are visited on a once per week or biweekly basis. A field report is generated by the scouts and forwarded to the consultant for grower contact. All crop management decisions are made between the consultant and the grower.

All scout interns attend a one day in class training session to learn about the pest, crop nutrition and cultural issues likely to be encountered. In field training “on the go” ensues during the entire growing season as pest and other problems develop.

Crop scouting activities include but are not limited to:

1. Field monitoring for insects, disease, weeds and other nutritional or cultural problems.
2. Scouting report generation using Field Recon software.
3. Reporting observations to the supervising crop consultant.
4. Submitting crop samples with symptoms to the crop consultant.
5. Tissue sampling and sample preparation and handling.
6. Nematode or other disease sampling . Sample log-in and preparation.
7. Scout vehicle care and maintenance.
8. Facility care and maintenance.
9. Special projects related to each internship.

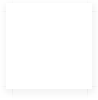
Crops serviced in order of acreage volume:

Potato	70%
Carrot	10%
Corn	10%
Soybeans	3%
Beans & Peas	3%
Alfalfa	2%
Onions	1%
Sweet Potatoes	1%

The scout schedule runs from late May through August with activities Monday through Friday. Week end work is not scheduled but may be required subject to bad weather. Work hours are approximately 7 am – 5 pm with a need for flexibility to adjust for seasonal needs. Use of a personal vehicle, while not required may be necessary on a limited basis. In such cases a mileage re-imbusement at the federal allowable rate is paid.



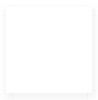
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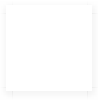
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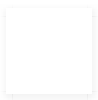
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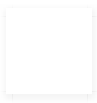
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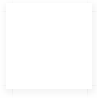
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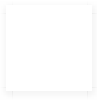
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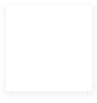
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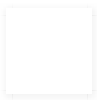
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Mauston Tire Truck Photo.JPG



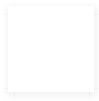
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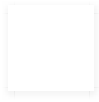
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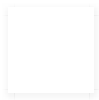
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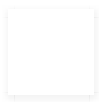
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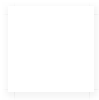
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