



JOB TITLE: Summer Internship – Agronomy Internship

Locations of hiring: Cass City, Michigan & Three Rivers, Michigan

Are you passionate about plant & soil science? Are you excited to help farmers grow healthy crop and yields exceptional results with their production? Do you do your best at whatever the challenge? Do you have an insatiable appetite to learn? Are you confident that you can work with a team and learn new systems quickly? Walther Farms may be a good fit for you for your summer internship! Our Agronomy internship program provide you a deeper dive into production agronomy, and apply your agronomic knowledge to develop your decision making skills, and a fun summer learning and working alongside master farmers!

Majors of Study for Walther Farms Agronomy Internship Program:

Crop & Soil Sciences

Walther Farms is a premier supplier of the potato industry. We have great pride in our ability to consistently exceed customer expectations in the areas of Yield, Costs, Service, and Quality. This is accomplished by having an organization filled with the *best talent* in the industry embedded in a **world class culture** driven to provide excellence in everything we do.

Walther Farms is a 3rd generation family owned business headquartered in the Southwest region of Michigan. Beginning in the 1940's, our company expanded from a few vegetable acres of backyard hobby farming, to what has now become over 12,000 acres of commercial and seed potatoes grown throughout the United States for the potato chip and fresh table stock markets.

What will you learn and do during an Agronomy Internship with Walther Farms:

- Potential exposure to commercial planting production depending on production timeline
- Become an integral part of the field operation by supporting pivot readiness and operation
- Operate latest technology such as flying drone 2 days a week to capture crop aerial data
- Hands on learning alongside Agronomist scouting for pest and pathogens 2 days a week
- Pulling weekly petiole samples
- Manage data collection of test plots alongside with Field Managers and Agronomist
- Manage yield digs assisting Agronomist projection of yields
- Opportunity to participate in the production agronomy decision making process, participate in weekly plane and fertilizer recommendations

Schedule & Pay:

During your internship, you will be working 5-6 days a week through the growing season with valuable exposure to the whole plant cycle of potato production. Walther Farms Agronomy Internship pays \$12/hour and a \$500/month stipend is provided for housing.

Apply by submitting your resume at www.waltherfarms.com – **Career** page. **Contact us** at careers@waltherfarms.com should you have any questions. We look forward to hearing from you!