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Being a fourth generation Produce Farmer has led me to want to pursue a career in Agriculture. I have seen the challenges farmers are faced with and want to pursue a career that can help me to make a difference in the lives of farmers.

EXPERIENCE

JUNE 2014 – PRESENT

FARM MANAGER'S ASSISTANT, ALBEMARLE BEACH FARMS

I keep sprayer and plant records using Google Docs, do computer-work, seed the greenhouse, run forklifts, manage the sweet corn line, and run errands as needed. I am currently working on my Private Pesticide Applicator's license.

MARCH 2019 – PRESENT

LAB TECH ASSISTANT

I worked under Mr. Ben Winslow and Dr. Ron Heiniger at the Tidewater Research Station. I would count and sort seed, run errands, and help with the paperwork. In August of 2019 I started working at the Variety Testing Center in Raleigh under Mr. Ron Heiniger performing the same tasks.

MAY 2019-JULY 2019

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INTERN

I worked under Dr. Christine Bradish at Avoca LLC as an intern for the research and development sector of the Clary Sage Processing plant. I was part of a group that would hand harvest the plant, dry the plant, extract the seeds, clean the seeds.

EDUCATION

AUGUST 2015 – MAY 2019

NORTHEAST REGIONAL SCHOOL OF BIOTECHNOLOGY AND AGRISCIENCE

I earned my high school diploma while participating in FFA with a GPA of 4.3939.

JANUARY 2016 – MAY 2019

MARTIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

I graduated with my Associates in Science Degree from Martin Community College in May 2019.

AUGUST 2019 – PRESENT

NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY

I am currently a first-year junior at NCSU pursuing a degree in Agriculture Science

SKILLS

- Agriculture Background
- Computer Literate
- Organized record-keeper
- Proactive

ACTIVITIES

I have earned my Chapter Degree in FFA, as well as competed in the Tool ID, Agronomy Team, and Vet Science CDE. I was awarded with the "Rising Sun Award" and the "Seed has Sprouted" award in high school within my FFA Chapter. I was also part of my Highschool's National Honor Society and volunteered at our annual American Red Cross Blood Drive. I am now on the Western Riding Team at NCSU as a Level B Rider.

REFERENCES

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