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Please share this with interested students.  
Thank you.

**From:** Fink, Wendy [<mailto:WFink@APLU.ORG>]  
**Sent:** Friday, January 28, 2011 9:23 AM  
**To:** Fink, Wendy  
**Subject:** FW: National FFA Opportunity for Collegiate Agriculture Students

TO: APS and AASCARR Institutions  
FROM: Wendy Fink, Associate Director of Food, Agriculture, and Natural Resources

Knowing of your interest in undergraduate education of student in agriculture, I am forwarding the following leadership opportunity to you.

**From:** Tatman, Marty [<mailto:mtatman@ffa.org>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 27, 2011 10:36 AM  
**Cc:** Tatman, Marty  
**Subject:** National FFA Opportunity for Collegiate Agriculture Students

Greetings from National FFA and Indianapolis!

We have an excellent program for your college students who are interested in international agriculture. Our **International Collegiate Agricultural Leadership (I-CAL)** program is specifically designed for college students who are interested in learning more about international grain marketing, trade, and global agriculture. While part of the program, students will be able to experience all aspects of the agriculture industry; through industry tours, farm and ranch visits, and meetings with local and national leaders and industry experts. Over the course of the program, students are able to realize how American agriculture plays a role in the global marketplace, while acquiring a unique cultural experience. Each year we select the top twelve applicants to be a part of this program. Applicants must:

- Be pursuing an agriculture degree
- Be a member of at least one of the following organizations
  - o Ag Communicators of Tomorrow, Ag Future of America, AGR Fraternity, AGS Fraternity, Alpha Tau Alpha, Alpha Zeta, Block and Bridle, Collegiate 4-H, Collegiate FFA, FarmHouse Fraternity, MANRRS, National Agri-Marketing Association, NAADA, Postsecondary Ag Student Organization, PLANET, Sigma Alpha

Pervious I-CAL locations have included Spain, Morocco, Egypt, China, Vietnam, Malaysia and Taiwan. The 2011 program will head to a new location – South America! Tentative dates for the 2011 program are May 15-28, 2011 (depending on international airfare). Selected students are required to pay a small programming fee to be a part of the program; that fee ranges from \$1,400-\$2,000 (depending on international airfare).

**Applications must be postmarked by February 15, 2011** and can be found at [www.ffa.org/collegiate](http://www.ffa.org/collegiate). I have attached the application and a FAQ sheet as well. Please pass this information on to any of your students who might be interested in this program.

Please do not hesitate to call or email me if you have any questions at all.

Thank you for your time.

Marty Tatman

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