Lennard Ag Company is a family-owned, three-generations deep business that’s been producing and delivering quality vegetables and grain crops since 1947. Specializing in potatoes and corn we grow over 6000 acres. We combine strong industry traditions with cutting-edge agricultural practices, advanced technology, and the latest management practices. We look to share and pass on our knowledge of farming to others starting in the field.

Our Internship Program offers students the opportunity to practically apply the knowledge they’ve learned in the classroom. We have great internship opportunities for three college students at our locations in Howe, IN and Samaria, MI. These would be full-time paid summer internships working directly under our Senior Agronomist. Housing is provided.

All applicants should submit their resume to lori@lennardag.com by February 28, 2011. Please place “Agronomy Internship” in the subject line. Learn more about our organization at www.lennardag.com

Responsibilities:

Field Scouting:
Check potato plants in the field for insect, disease, and weed pressure

Soil Moisture Monitoring:
Check the soil moisture of the field at the different points and make recommendations as to the irrigation schedule

Sample Collection:
Collect Petiole and soil samples and participate in the result interpretations.

Quality Control:
Diagnostic tests, bruise testing, yield monitoring digs

Requirements:

- Must be currently enrolled in college and working towards a degree in agriculture or engineering
- Must be an undergraduate going into their Junior or Senior year of college
- Must be eager to learn, flexible & hard working