Dr. Bernie Zandstra’s Lab in the Department of Horticulture is hiring 2 student positions to help with harvesting activities for the fall of 2012. Students will gain scientific experience while working in diverse cropping systems. Primary responsibilities of the students will be to assist in harvesting and maintaining field plots. Students are able to take home and eat some of the many delicious things that they will be harvesting. Some of these crops include raspberries, tomatoes, green peppers, banana peppers, carrots, onions, celery, squash, and pumpkins.

Students need to have large time blocks that can be devoted to working in the field (4+ hrs) and preference will be given to those students who are able to work for entire days. Students will need to be comfortable with working outside in various weather conditions, lifting 50 lb. boxes, and working around pesticides. These positions are temporary but students who work this fall will have preference for working in the lab next growing season.

Students interested in applying to these positions should contact Jarrod Morrice (morricej@msu.edu). In your e-mail, please attach your resume and what times you will be available during the week (do not send your student schedule). These positions will be open until filled or until the end of the 2012 harvesting season.