



ADVERT: 2019/2020 TO 2020/2021 GRADUATE INTERNS

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development presents opportunities for the unemployed graduates. Successful applicants will be appointed as interns for twenty-four (24) months as from 01 April 2019 to 31 March 2021 and will undergo on-the-job development training in technical, professional and public service skills relevant for them to enter the formal job market.

Appointed interns will be remunerated by means of a monthly stipend depending on the level of qualification as per advert as well as Department of Public Service Developmental programmes in the Public Service.

Specific requirements:

Applicants must be South African citizens residing in KwaZulu-Natal, unemployed, between the ages of 18-35 years and must be entering the internship programme in government for the first time.

Knowledge, skills and competencies required: (National Diploma/Degree) in the following fields:

QUALIFICATION	NUMBER	PLACEMENT / DISTRICTS	REF. NO
BSc. Agricultural Science : (Extension & Advisory Services)	03	Cedara, UMgungundlovu and UGu District	HR5/2/4/4/1
BSc. Agric (Food Security)	01	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/2
BSc: Horticulture	01	Harry Gwala District	HR5/2/4/4/3
BSc: Microbiology	01	Cedara (Mushroom)	HR5/2/4/4/4
BSc : Agric Agronomy	01	Kokstad Research Station	HR5/2/4/4/5
BSc/ BTech: Agricultural /Civil Engineering (Engineers)	03	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/6
ND Agric/ Civil Engineering (Technician)	01	UMgungundlovu or UMzinyathi District	HR5/2/4/4/7
ND: Vet : Technologist	01	UMgungundlovu (Allerton)	HR5/2/4/4/8
ND: Information Technology	01	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/9
ND/ BCom: Supply Chain Management	04	Cedara, Hilton & Richards bay	HR5/2/4/4/10
ND Office Management	03	UThukela, UGu and Zululand	HR5/2/4/4/11
BA: Social Worker/Industrial/ Applied Psychology	01	Cedara : Employees Health and Wellness	HR5/2/4/4/12
Degree: Criminology/Investigation	02	Internal Control & Risk Management	HR5/2/4/4/13
TOTAL	20		

Criteria: Preference will be given to applicants from the previously disadvantaged groups and those who are living with disability. Candidates within specified areas are encouraged to apply.

DIRECTIONS TO APPLICANTS: Applications must be submitted on the prescribed form Z83 obtained from any Public Service Department. All applications must be accompanied by an application letter, certified copies of Matric certificate, Academic qualifications including statement of results, CV, certified copy of Identity Document and an affidavit indicating a place of residence.

NOTE TO CANDIDATES: Failure to comply with the above directive will result in the disqualification of your application. If you do not hear from the Department within three (3) months after the closing date of this advert, kindly regard your application as unsuccessful.

NB: Graduate interns who have already participated in the internship programme should not apply, as it is a once-off opportunity.

Application must be posted to The Acting Head of Department, Private Bag X9059, Pietermaritzburg, 3200 or be hand-delivered at **Cedara Offices:** Upper Ground Floor, Main Building.

Physical Address: R103 Cedara off-ramp. Department of Agriculture and Rural Development.

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