



# agriculture & rural development

Department:  
agriculture  
& rural development  
**PROVINCE OF KWAZULU-NATAL**

The Department of Agriculture & Rural Development presents opportunities for the unemployed graduates. Successful applicants will be appointed as graduate interns for twenty four (24) months as from 01 April 2020 to 31 March 2022 and will undergo on-the-job development training in technical, professional and public service skills relevant for them to enter the formal job market.

The programme offered is fully structured and the Department will pay successful interns a monthly stipend as per DPSA Directive on Youth Developmental Programme in the Public Service.

**Specific requirements:**

Applicants must be a South African citizens residing in KwaZulu Natal, unemployed between the ages of 18-35 years, prepare to enter into contractual agreement with the Department, and must be entering the internship programme in the government for the first time.

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

QUALIFICATION	NUMBER OF INTERNS	PLACEMENT	REF. NO
BSc. Agriculture : Horticulture	04	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/1
BSc: Agriculture : Crop Protection	04	Cedara & Umzinyathi	HR5/2/4/4/2
BSc: Agric: Grassland or Pasture Science	03	Kokstad Research Station	HR5/2/4/4/3
BSc: Agriculture: Animal/ Livestock	03	Kokstad Research Station	HR5/2/4/4/4
BSc/BTech: Agricultural / Civil Engineering	05	Cedara & Zululand (Vryheid)	HR5/2/4/4/5
BSc : Agricultural Economics	15	Umgungundlovu, Harry Gwala, Ugu, Uthukela, ILembe, Ethekwini, Amajuba, UMzinyathi, Umkhanyakude, King Cetshwayo Cedara (x2)	HR5/2/4/4/6
ND Agriculture Engineering / Civil Engineering	16	King Cetshwayo ( Eshowe)	HR5/2/4/4/7
ND Agricultural Development Technician	14	Umgungundlovu, Ugu, Ethekwini, ILembe, Harry Gwala, Uthukela, Amajuba, UMzinyathi, Zululand, Umkhanyakude & King Cetshwayo District Municipalities.	HR5/2/4/4/8
ND:Veterinary Public Health Professional / Practitioner	05	Zululand(Vryheid) and Hilton	HR5/2/4/4/9
ND: Vet : (Animal Health) Technician	13	UGu (4) Umkhanyakude(2) King Cetshwayo(3),Umgungundlovu (2)	HR5/2/4/4/10
ND: Vet : Technologist	06	Allerton Laboratory	HR5/2/4/4/11
BCom/ND: Financial Accounting	06	Cedara and Richardsbay	HR5/2/4/4/12
BCom/ND: Management Accounting	05	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/13
Degree/ND : Production Management /Operations Management, Management Services or Public Administration	10	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/14
ND: Internal Auditing	04	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/15
ND: Risk Management	01	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/16
ND : Human Resource Management/ Development	08	Cedara, Hilton & Richardsbay	HR5/2/4/4/17
ND: ICT : Technical Support	04	Richards bay	HR5/2/4/4/18
ND: ICT : Project applications	03	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/19
ND: ICT : Application Support	03	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/20
ND: ICT : System Support	03	Cedara	HR5/2/4/4/21
ND: Librarian	04	Cedara & Owen Sitole College of Agriculture	HR5/2/4/4/22
ND: Office Management	05	King Cetshwayo, Umkhanyakude, Ethekwini	HR5/2/4/4/23

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

**Directions to applicants:** The application should be submitted in the completed Z83 form obtainable from any Government department signed and dated, indicating the correct reference number for the field you applied for and must also include certified copies (not older than 3 months) of the following documents:

- South African Identity Document
- Matric or Senior Certificate and Degree or Diploma certificate
- Full academic record indicating individual modules or courses
- Those who have studied at Private Higher Institution should also provide Credit certificate indicating the number of credits, the qualification has.

In addition to the above applicants should attach

- Curriculum Vitae
- Affidavit indicating proof of residence
- Application letter

**Note to Candidates:** Failure to comply with the above directive will result to the disqualification of your application. If you do not hear from the Department three (3) months after the closing date of this advert. Kindly regard your application as unsuccessful.

Interested applicants should forward their applications to the following address: The Head of Department, Department of Agriculture & Rural Development, Private Bag X 9059, Pietermaritzburg, 3200 or hand delivered at the following address:

**Cedara Offices:** Human Resource Registry: Upper Ground Floor: Main Building

**Physical Address:** R103 Cedara off ramp  
Department of Agriculture & Rural Development.

**NB: Graduate Interns who have already participated in the internship programme at any Department or Municipality should not apply. Internship is a once off opportunity.**

**Closing Date: 31 December 2019**

**Enquiries must be directed to: Ms. MP Mhanti Tel: 033 355 9557 Cell 076 935 6835 or Ms. NT Khumalo: 033 355 9388**