

OPA Ohio State Fair Internship

July 8 – August 9, 2024

Position Description: The Ohio Poultry Association (OPA) Ohio State Fair Intern will focus on supporting the OPA's programming at the Ohio State Fair by:

- Serving as one of the key staff for OPA's Hatching Unit. Duties include, but are not limited to, setting eggs, transporting eggs and chicks, staffing, communicating with the general public and daily management of the Hatching Unit during the fair.
- Attending OPA sponsored events at the fair as needed and offering photography and social media support.
- Supporting the OPA Food Booth with setting up prior to the fair, management, supply procurement, and tear down following the fair.
- Provide daily support for OPA staff members during the Ohio State Fair.

Schedule: 40-hour average work week. Some weekends may be required in addition to attending the full Ohio State Fair (July 24 - August 4).

Pay: \$17 per hour. Mileage will be provided for OPA approved travel.

Requirements: Applicants should be majoring in agricultural communications, communications, animal sciences or a related program. Knowledge of poultry and modern agriculture is preferred, but not required. Applicants must have reliable transportation and be available for the full 5-week internship.

To be considered for this internship, please submit a resume by **March 1, 2024**, to:
Mandi Shirley at mshirley@ohiopoultry.org