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SUMMARY

Results-driven agricultural graduate with hands-on experience in farm management and crop production. Proven ability to optimize resources and enhance productivity through effective management practices and innovative solutions.

EXPERIENCE

Farm Assistant

Jun 2019 - Present

Green Acres Farm, Springfield, IL

- Increased crop yield by 20% through the implementation of precision irrigation techniques.
- Managed daily operations for a 150-acre farm, including planting, harvesting, and equipment maintenance.
- Developed a pest management plan that reduced pesticide use by 30%, resulting in cost savings of \$10,000 annually.

Agricultural Intern

Jan 2018 - May 2019

Sunny Fields Cooperative, Champaign, IL

- Assisted in the management of a 200-acre corn and soybean farm, focusing on soil health and crop rotation.
- Conducted data analysis on crop performance, contributing to a 15% increase in overall farm efficiency.
- Collaborated with a team to implement organic farming practices, improving market reach by 25%.

Research Assistant

Sep 2017 - Dec 2017

University of Illinois Agricultural Research, Champaign, IL

- Supported research on sustainable agriculture methods, leading to a publication in the Journal of Agriculture.
- Collected and analyzed data on crop yields, contributing to insights that informed local farming practices.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Science

May 2018

University of Illinois, Champaign, IL • GPA: 3.7

SKILLS

Technical Skills: Crop Management, Irrigation Systems, Pest Control, Soil Analysis

Tools & Frameworks: Farm Management Software, GIS Tools, Precision Agriculture Equipment