



## NCHA College Internship Program (NCIP) Application

Student/Intern's name \_\_\_\_\_ NCHA # \_\_\_\_\_

School Currently Enrolled \_\_\_\_\_

Number of intern credits enrolled for this opportunity \_\_\_\_\_

Internship Start date \_\_\_\_\_ / Finish date \_\_\_\_\_

### Internship Advisor Information:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### Cooperator Information: (Trainer/Facility)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Applicant please check here to indicate that you have read and understand the rules of this program.

**Applicants signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

NCHA Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Return to Julie Davis at [jdavis@nchacutting.com](mailto:jdavis@nchacutting.com)

NCHA College Internship Program (NCIP) – purpose is to allow students enrolled in a agricultural/equine program the opportunity to learn about the industry without jeopardizing their current show eligibility.

- The student/intern must be enrolled in an agricultural/equine program and must be **earning** credit to participate in our program. There is no minimum credit hours required, however they must be paid credit hours.
- A student/intern may apply **one time** per school per school requirements. Example: They can apply once at a Junior College and once at University.
- The application has a **start and end date** which should coincide with the semester/summer internship that they are earning credit for. The student/intern must reapply if choosing to do two consecutive internships following the rules set forth regarding 1 internship per school.
- There is no cap on salary/stipend paid to the student/intern during the internship.
- The student/intern may show **client's horses** in the 2000LR and/or YOUTH classes ONLY if they are eligible under NCHA rules. Student/Intern must still comply with current owner and eligibility rules.
- The student/intern may show **their own horses** in classes they are eligible for under current NCHA Rules. Student/Intern must still comply with current owner and eligibility rules.
- A student/intern may obtain the application for this program from the NCHA office. The application must include the student/interns name, NCHA member number, school currently enrolled in, the number of intern credits for this opportunity, the start and end date, the name, address and telephone contact information of the Internship Advisor and the name, address and telephone contact information for the Cooperator (trainer, facility owner)
- The application must also be signed by the student/intern (applicant), the School advisor/contact and the Cooperator (trainer, facility owner).

**Notice: If you do not comply with current owner and eligibility rules while in the program you risk losing your amateur and/or non pro status.**