



Native Youth in Food and Agriculture

Summer Leadership Summit

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July 17-26, 2016
Fayetteville AR



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School of Law
Indigenous Food & Agriculture Initiative



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Application Instructions

Thank you for your interest in attending the 2016 Native Youth in Agriculture Summer Summit! The review committee members look forward to receiving your application and learning more about your interest in food and agriculture. The Student Application is for all **first-time students** attending the Summit, and is open to students from ages 15 to 18 (including recently graduated high school seniors). If you are a returning student, please fill out the Summit Fellow application. If you are a college-aged student and have leadership experience and food and agriculture experience you might consider applying for a Student Leader position. You should submit your entire completed application to Emerald Hames on the Initiative staff using the contact information below:

- To send via email: ehames@uark.edu;
- Fax: 479-575-3320
- To send via regular mail: UA School of Law, Indigenous Food & Agriculture Initiative c/o Emerald Hames, 1045 W. Maple St., Fayetteville, AR 72701

Review Process

The new student application deadline is April 11, 2016. Materials must be emailed, faxed, or postmarked by 11:59 p.m. CST that day to be considered by the admissions committee. The committee will review applications, and students will be notified of their application status, by the end of April. Late applicants will be placed on a waiting list to be reviewed on a rolling basis after the first round of new students have been admitted.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Tribal Affiliation(s) _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____ E-mail address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Texting Yes/ No

Date of Birth _____ Gender _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Preferred method of contact (home/cell phone, email, mail, etc): _____

Facebook Yes/No Twitter @ _____ Instagram @ _____

II. STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

Check all that apply

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| _____ FFA Member | _____ 4-H Member | _____ Cattle |
| _____ Horse | _____ Sheep | _____ Community Service |
| _____ Crops/Grains | _____ Poultry | _____ Art |
| _____ Sports | _____ Music | _____ Traditional Foods |
| _____ Nutrition | _____ Culinary Arts | _____ Traditional Medicinal Plants |
| _____ Student Government | _____ Community Garden | _____ Other (please specify) |

III. STUDENT INTERESTS

What are you passionate about? List or summarize your interests.

IV. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

1. Résumé that includes evidence of academic achievement (G.P.A);
2. Statement of Interest:
 - 1-2 page typed, double-spaced statement that:
 - Explains your interest in participating in the Summit;
 - Discusses your involvement in food and agriculture activities at home, in your Tribe, your community, at your school, or elsewhere; and
 - Includes any membership and involvement in FFA, 4-H, or other food and agriculture organization