

Rijk Zwaan USA Internship Program

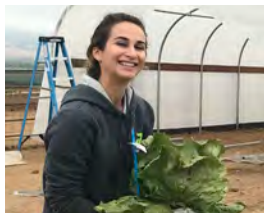
Sharing a healthy future





About Rijk Zwaan

Rijk Zwaan is an international vegetable breeding company based in The Netherlands with deep roots in people-oriented culture. Rijk Zwaan is right at the start of the food chain. We develop vegetable varieties and sell the seeds produced from them globally. We take great pride in contributing to the health and well-being of people all over the world. Rijk Zwaan currently employs over 3,000 people in over 30 countries. Our most important focus is the growth for our people: we give you every opportunity to use your own initiative and achieve your full potential. Working with colleagues to produce the best and tastiest vegetables. Reinforcing, helping and inspiring one another. We continuously strive to work together towards a healthy future.



"I had the opportunity to work on a consumer taste panel study. It was really interesting to learn how people perceive flavor and fruit quality."
- Emily

Rijk Zwaan in the United States



Rijk Zwaan USA is a wholly owned subsidiary of Rijk Zwaan. Headquartered in Salinas, California, Rijk Zwaan USA produces, develops and sells Rijk Zwaan vegetable seed in the United States. Incorporated in 2000, Rijk Zwaan USA has over 40 employees working hard to get the best genetics to the market. Traditionally strong in spinach, lettuce, melons and brassica crops, Rijk Zwaan USA is diversifying into new developing markets such as pickling cucumbers, greenhouse vegetables, and various other varieties specially designed with the consumer in mind.

Internship Program

Rijk Zwaan USA internship program is a paid internship offering students a chance to learn and participate in the continuously evolving vegetable seed industry and working with various teams to actively contribute to the world's food supply. The program is both professionally and academically beneficial, providing students with hands-on experience in their field of choice and great insight to the process of developing healthy vegetables with the consumer in mind.

Rijk Zwaan Internship Opportunities

- Outdoor Seed Trials
- Research and Development
- Ag Seed Sales
- Farming Assistance
- Marketing and Promotions
- Accounting and Administration
- Warehouse Shipping and Receiving



What can you expect from us?

Along with pleasant collaboration with colleagues in different departments and countries, we are pleased to offer student interns a range of learning opportunities and the ability to develop your fullest potential.



“It was a great experience. Everyday is something different. One day you might harvest and grade pickles and the next day running a vacuum planter.”
- Kacie

Together with our partners...

We want to actively contribute to the world's food supply and stimulate vegetable consumption by laying the foundations for healthy and appealing vegetables.



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