

GROW YOUR STORY IN TURFGRASS MANAGEMENT

UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN DEPARTMENT OF AGRONOMY & HORTICULTURE

Grow your story at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Here you will get personal attention at a Big Ten university and learn from faculty who work to feed and enrich the lives of a growing global population.

UNL gave me the passion and readiness for the future. I enjoyed TLMT 427-Integrated Turfgrass Management because of the hands-on experience with budgeting and real work/business situations.

CASEY DITTENBER GRADUATED MAY 2013
Head turf manager, Waverly School District, Waverly, Neb.
Interned for University of Nebraska-Lincoln Athletics in 2012
and Hillcrest Country Club, Lincoln in 2011



JACOB ROYAL GRADUATED DECEMBER 2013
Currently Assistant turf manager, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Athletics
Interned for UNL Athletics in 2013, Minnesota Vikings, Eden Prairie, Minn.
in 2012, and Tailored Landscapes, Lincoln in 2011

CAREERS IN TURFGRASS

EDUCATOR
SOD PRODUCER
GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENT
LAWN CARE SERVICE OWNER/OPERATOR
SPORTS TURF MANAGER
RESEARCHER

TURFGRASS MANAGEMENT

The turfgrass management industry is very diverse and one of the fastest growing segments of the nation's agricultural economy—often experiencing growth and expansion in some sectors even during recessionary periods. With a degree in turfgrass & landscape management from UNL, many careers are possible. Meet some of our current students and recent graduates.



JEFF WRAGE GRADUATED MAY 2014
Currently 2nd Assistant, Desert Forest Golf Club, Carefree, Ariz.
Interned at Blackstone Country Club, Peoria, Ariz. in 2013 and Plainfield
Country Club, Edison, N.J. in 2012

\$24,500+
SCHOLARSHIPS
AWARDED TO TURFGRASS
MANAGEMENT STUDENTS
IN 2014-2015

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JARED REINKE CURRENT STUDENT, GRADUATES IN MAY 2014

Interned at the Interlachen Golf Club in Edina, Minn. in 2014 and the Omaha Country Club, Omaha in 2013

Quality internships provide more than just great work experience. Developing relationships with superiors and coworkers can lead to better internships, and even career opportunities. Who you know, or have worked for, can be the factor that makes you stand out.

JEREMY JOHNSON GRADUATED DECEMBER 2012

Currently assistant turf manager, Haymarket Park, Lincoln
Interned for Philadelphia Phillies, Philadelphia in 2012 and Haymarket Park in 2011

Getting involved with Turf Club and doing out-of-state internships has really helped expand my horizons and broaden my network of contacts. In this industry, I truly believe that networking and diversifying your network is one of the best skills a turf student can have.

MIKE RADERMACHER GRADUATED MAY 2014

Currently a golf course technician, Wayzata Country Club, Wayzata, Minn.
Interned at the Valley Club, Hailey, Idaho in 2014, Madden's Resort, Brainerd, Minn. in 2013 and 3 Creek Ranch Golf Club, Jackson, Wyo. in 2012



LUKE MADDOX CURRENT STUDENT, GRADUATES IN DECEMBER 2014

Interned at Shadow Creek Golf Course, Las Vegas, Nev. in 2014, Sand Hills Golf Club near Mullen, Neb. in 2013, TruGreen, Omaha, in 2012 and Wilmington Country Club, Wilmington, Del. in 2011



2014 GCSAA TURF BOWL TEAM

Ten students competed in the 20th annual collegiate Turf Bowl in Orlando, Fla. The team placed 18th out of 71 teams.

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