

Equine Sciences Stewards Program Application

The Equine Sciences Stewards (ESS) are undergraduate student leaders in the Department of Animal Sciences. Representing the major in Equine Science, in collaboration with Stewards of Animal Science, Equine Sciences Stewards work toward building community among all students, faculty and staff. Each Steward becomes a representative of the department, and is charged with outreach, mentoring, tours, industry engagement, and programming to create an inclusive environment that actively welcomes and supports students and guests of all backgrounds and identities.

The program will be limited to less than 20 students. To be considered for admittance, students must submit **both a current resume and a complete application no later than 5:00 pm, Wednesday, March 30, 2016**. Applications should be sent to: cassidy.perricone@colostate.edu or dropped by the Equine Sciences main office. An interview will be scheduled for competitive candidates.

The program requires a substantial time commitment in both Fall and Spring semesters (2-5 hours/wk).

Below are a few specific dates to note for **required** availability:

1. Regular Meetings - every/other **Thursday from 5:30 – 6:30 pm**
2. **August 18th** – Stewards Retreat
3. **August 19th** – Ram Welcome
4. **Fall & Spring Graduations**

Program Requirements:

- Willingness to take initiative, accept responsibility and actively participate
- Applicant must be sophomore, junior or senior status upon entering program (i.e. can apply for the program during second semester freshman year for admittance as a sophomore)
- Students must not be on academic probation
- Students must professionally represent CSU, the Department & the Equine program at all times
- Must attend at least 90% of formal meetings
- Must actively participate in at least 3 events per semester
- Must lead a minimum of 4 prospective student tours per semester
- Failure to adhere to any of the above may result in dismissal from the program.

Benefits to the Steward of Animal Science:

- Lead a Surviving ANEQ @ CSU group with a faculty member
- Individual interaction with faculty and staff
- Opportunity to further enhance and develop your leadership and public speaking skills, and to interact with other student leaders
- Unlimited networking opportunities



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Individuals can submit BOTH their resume and application via email to: cassidy.perricone@colostate.edu or to the Equine Sciences main office.

Name_____

Student Class Status (as of fall semester 2016) _____

Email_____

Phone_____

CSU ID_____

(*Optional*) demographics: race _____; gender: Male____, Female____, Other____ ;
preferred gender pronouns (ie. he or she or ze or they) _____;
hometown or state if you identify with one_____; possible career interest_____
other involvement on campus _____; any other identity(ies) important to you (religion,
ethnicity, social class, disability, sexual orientation, parental status, nationality/first language, first generation to
college, veteran status, etc.)_____

Please answer the following questions within the space provided:

1. Tell us about your interest in serving as a Steward to the CSU Department of Animal Sciences?



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2. What are your areas of interest in leadership roles (rank your top 3):

- _____ Outreach Efforts to students in the department
- _____ Program & Events Coordinator (organize and delegate)
- _____ Newsletter & PR
- _____ Recruitment for new stewards & prospective students
- _____ Stewards of Animal Science Liaison
- _____ Fundraising opportunities
- _____ Surviving ANEQ program coordinator
- _____ Equine Sciences industry connections

Explain what interests you about these areas of interest:

3. As a member of a team, what are your strengths? Areas for growth?



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4. What are your career interests?

5. What other clubs/extra-curricular activities are you involved in?

By signing below, you indicate that all information contained within this application was completed by you and consent to your application being reviewed by a CSU Department of Animal Sciences committee. (You may put in an electronic signature if you choose)

Your signature _____



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Please submit this application to Cassidy Perricone by **5:00 pm on March 30, 2016**. Once submitted, your application will be circulated amongst the CSU Department of Animal Sciences faculty and **MUST** receive at least one endorsement by a faculty member to be considered. All endorsed applications will then be reviewed by the committee and interviews will be scheduled for mid-April, 2016. Final decisions will be made no later than April 30, 2016 and all applicants will be notified of their application status.

For Committee Use Only

Initials of faculty member endorsing this application:

Initials of faculty members neutral to this application: