

JUSTIN D. LEWIS

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LICENSURE

Professional Educators License – Endorsement in Agriculture

May 2019

EDUCATION

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Aug 2017 - Present

Master of Science in Agriculture Education

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Aug 2015 - May 2017

Bachelor of Science in Animal Science - Food Animal Prod.and Mgmt

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Aug 2017 - Present

Teaching Assistant – AGED 260 (Introduction to Leadership Studies)

- Assist faculty members with classroom instruction, exams, record keeping, and other miscellaneous projects
- Present subject matter using in-person lectures and online discussion
- Evaluate homework, quizzes and exams, entering results for student consideration
- Create lesson materials for weekly discussion groups

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Aug 2017 - Present

Teaching Assistant – ANSC 207 (Companion Animal Biology and Care)

- Contribute to the development of appropriate teaching materials to ensure content and methods of delivery meet learning objectives
- Prepare lesson outlines and plans in assigned topic areas
- Correspond with students on Blackboard and other campus communication systems
- Redesign curriculum to meet needs of students and course learning outcomes

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Jan 2018 – May 2018

Teaching Assistant – AGED 480 (Collaborative Leadership)

- Aided in the classroom when conducting curriculum-based group lessons
- Worked with students on individual and small group basis to reinforce learning concepts, and facilitated assignments for student achievements
- Performed data entry into reporting system, filed each student work separately for future meetings and evaluations
- Conducted group meetings for final evaluation and course projects

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign Experimental Learning

Aug 2016 - Dec 2016

Teaching Assistant – ANSC 103

- Instructed and monitored students in the use and care of livestock equipment and materials, to prevent injuries and damage to themselves or property
- Created lesson materials, equipment, and demonstrations
- Developed teaching strategies in various educational environments

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Double J Simmentals

2003 - Present

Owner/Manager

- Apply estrus synchronization protocol to implement artificial insemination and embryo transfer technologies maximizing herd performance
- Evaluate and determine cattle feed rations to ensure maximum intake and daily gain to reduce overall cost per head
- Participate in all necessary farm chores including: feeding, turnout, cleaning stalls, and barn/farm maintenance
- Contributed to field preparation, planting, application, harvesting and maintenance for soybean and corn production

University of Illinois Clark County Extension

May 2018 – Aug 2018

Summer Intern

- Developed professional collaborations with the county director and 4-H members' parents
- Designed and facilitated "Welcome to 4-H" program for approximately 200 4-H members and parents
- Performed clerical duties including: maintaining and organizing member records, scheduling member activities, and recruiting of industry professionals as officials
- Organized and promoted county 4-H shows

University of Illinois Beef and Sheep Research Farm

Aug 2015 - May 2017

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- Utilized feed tracking software to efficiently feed over 1,000 head of cattle daily
- Completed various day to day activities to reduce incidents of morbidity and mortality
- Collaborated with professors, students, and farm staff to accomplish various tasks for research and teaching

LEADERSHIP AND SKILLS

UIUC Teacher Ranked Excellent by Students (**Spring Semester 2018- ANSC 207**)

UIUC Teacher Ranked Excellent by Students (**Fall Semester 2017 - AGED 260, ANSC 207**)

Illinois FFA Greenhand Conference Presenter (**2017 - 2018**)

UIUC Graduate Academy Certificate (**2017**)

UIUC Hoof N' Horn Club Member (**2015 – 2017**)

UIUC Livestock Judging and Meat Animal Evaluation Team (**2016**)

Lake Land Livestock Judging Team (**2014 – 2015**)

Lake Land College Agriculture Transfer Club (**2014-2015**)

Illinois FFA State Degree Recipient (**2013**)

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