

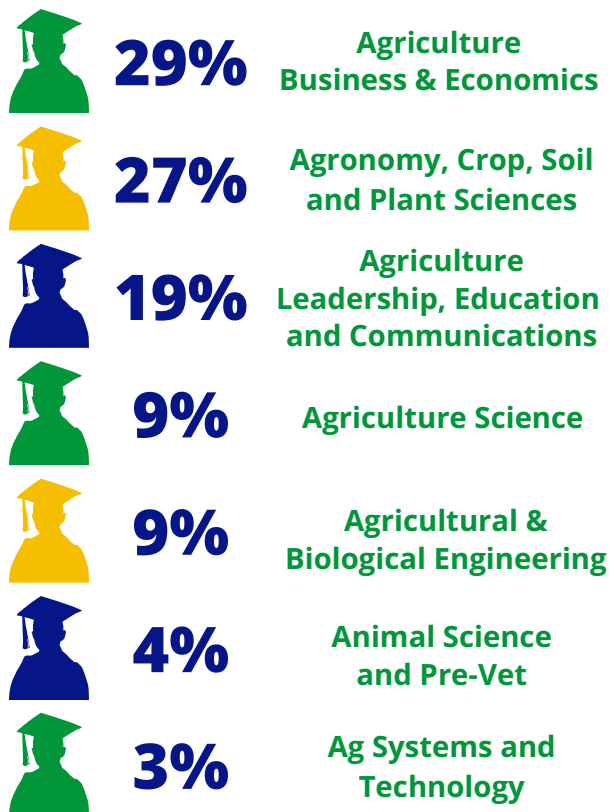


Agriculture Future of America (AFA) Crop Science Institute brings up to 75 talented college students together to take part in a three-day program. The Institute provides interaction between students and crop sector leaders — exposing students to area businesses and other related service providers to enhance student preparation for entering careers in the agriculture industry. Students will hear from the industry leaders innovating the fields of genetics, sustainability and technology.

STUDENTS GAIN:

- Knowledge of and experiences in crop science innovation
- Real-time exposure to current workforce needs and careers
- Insight on issues, hot topics, trends and opportunities facing the crop industry
- Exposure to diverse crop and agricultural concepts, people, companies and philosophies
- Relationships with student peers and industry professionals that aid in internship and work experiences
- Skills and preparation for a career in the agriculture, food and natural resources industries

TOP REPRESENTED MAJORS



SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Sunday, July 23

Kickoff Speaker: State of the Crop Science Industry
Executive Panel Discussion
Industry Networking
Industry Dinner
Student Networking

Monday, July 24

Crop Science Industry, Farm and Research Tours
Tour Debrief and Reflection
Student Dinner

Tuesday, July 25

Partner Breakfast
Careers in the Crop Science Industry Roundtables
Crops of California Workshops
Final Reflection



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