Course Prefix and Number: HRT 290  

Course Title: Coordinated Internship in Horticulture  

Course Description: Provides students an opportunity for on-the-job training in selected business, industrial, or service firms coordinated by the college for a total of 160 contact hours, regardless of the length of the term. Student commitment is 160 hours regardless of the semester enrolled. Laboratory 10 hours per week (if a 16-week term).

General Course Purpose: To provide on-the-job training for students enrolled in the Horticulture Technology Program.

Course Objectives:  
Upon completing the course, the student will be able to  
a. Exhibit positive work habits; and  
b. Demonstrate competency in necessary horticulture-related tasks.

Major Topics to Be Included:  
a. Work experience  
b. Faculty guidance and supervision  
c. General work readiness to include attendance, punctuality, appearance, judgment, cooperation with others, self-reliance  
d. Specific competencies related to the student’s focus in horticulture (plant production, landscape and turf management, floral design, landscape design)

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