E. & J. Gallo Winery is the world's foremost winery in the art and science of grape growing and wine making; and in the distribution and marketing of wines world wide. With four wineries strategically located in various parts of California and access to grapes from vineyards in all of the premier grape-growing areas of California, E. & J. Gallo Winery produces wines in every category, to suit every taste.

Currently, our Internship Program is searching for appropriate candidates to fill 6-month positions (approximately 6/16-12/15/09) within our Chemistry group. The specific timeframe will focus on the time leading up to-, during, and post-harvest of 2009.

Interns are expected to assist in daily research activities or manage a portion of an ongoing project, depending on their level of research experience. This is an excellent opportunity to gain hands on experience in an industrial research environment and increase your skill base for graduate school or future employment.

**Job Summary**
As a member of the Chemistry Group, the student intern will participate in team projects that contribute to the improvement of the Winery’s commercial processes and wine quality.

Specifically, the intern will assist in projects focused on:
1. Evaluating the chemical characteristics of grapes throughout their maturation process.
2. Developing rapid Chemical methods and strategies to measure and monitor positive grape attributes and defects at the winery receiving station (test stand).
3. Correlating wine Chemical characterizations with Sensory attributes to model wine aging and to determine product shelf life.

This project work will involve:
1. Developing and conducting wine aging experiments.
2. Performing and developing chemical analyses to characterize grapes, fermentations, and wines.
3. Using computer software to statistically analyze data.
4. Working in a production setting during harvest. This could include harvesting experimental grapes in the vineyard, analyzing supplier grapes when they arrive at the winery for crushing, and taking samples from tanks in the winery.

**Qualifications, Skills, and Prior Experience Required**
- Partial completion of a B.S. / B. A. degree in Chemistry or related field.
- Strong analytical and problem-solving capabilities.
- Excellent written and oral communication skills.
- Excellent organizational skills with the ability to successfully manage multiple assignments.
- Self motivated with a passion for research

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