

Key dates – next steps

1. 1 August 2015 - register

Register your company's interest by contacting Samantha Bowsher at AHDB Pork by August 2015.

2. 29 October 2015 - scholarship fair

Harper Adams University will host a scholarship fair, where your company will be able to meet students and highlight what your scholarship offers.

3. November 2015 - student selection starts

The application and selection process will begin with support from the Harper Adams University Development Trust team.

4. July 2016

The successful student will begin, a placement period of up to 12 months with your company.

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For more information and to register your interest, contact:



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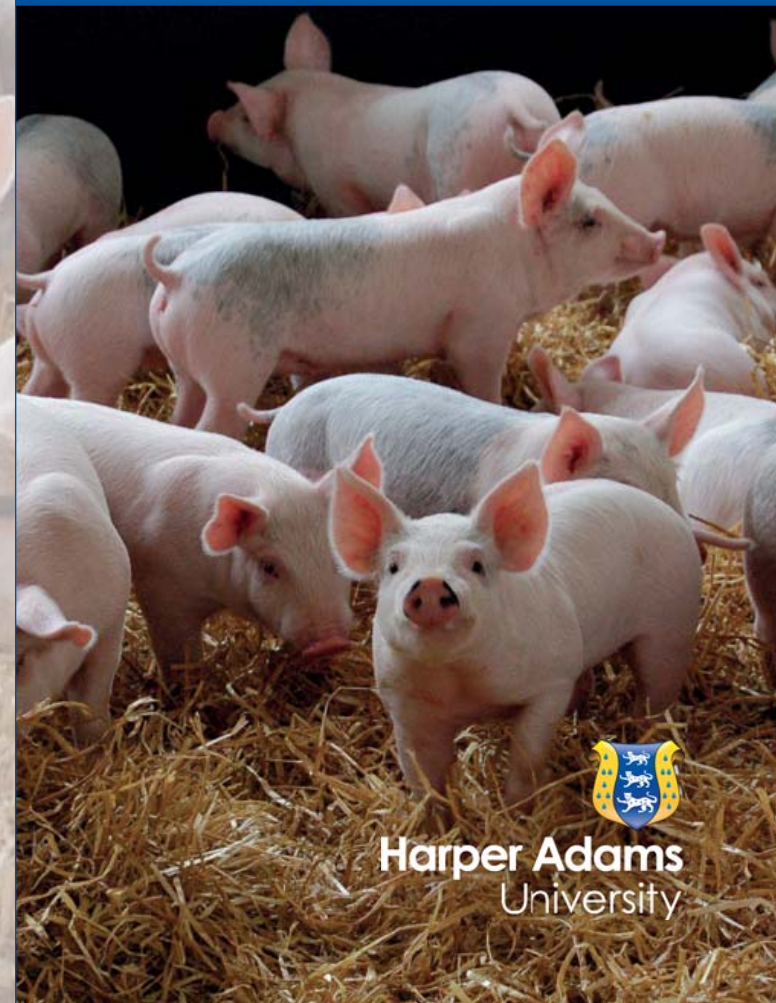
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The Pig Industry Scholarship at Harper Adams University



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Your business can provide a Scholarship

Both pig producers and allied industry companies can join the Pig Industry Scholarship programme.

National Pig Association (NPA) Allied Industry Group launched this programme to help with recruitment of highly qualified and committed young entrants to the pig industry and it is now entering its third year.

What is involved?

Second year BSc Agriculture and first year FdSc students studying at Harper Adams University, who are interested in a career in the pig industry, are eligible to apply for this scholarship.

Your company provides:

- A 12-month paid placement working in the pig industry
- A scholarship of £4,500, which is a significant contribution towards tuition fees
- The potential for further funding in the final academic year, of £4,500, subject to a review following placement.

Benefits to your business

The Pig Industry Scholarship programme aims to raise the profile of careers in the pig industry and encourage potential new entrants.

- Recruit high-calibre new employees
- Establish a relationship with a student early in year one or two of their studies (final year can be too late to attract the best graduates)
- The placement year gives you a 'year-long interview' opportunity
- Harper Adams helps promote your Scholarship to students and raise awareness of your company name at the University
- Financial investment is comparable to advertising in national farming magazines.

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