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This hands-on course will provide students with practical hours in the management of daily operations of a working horse farm, while emphasizing leadership skills, effective communication and teamwork, and a strong work ethic. These hours will take place on the university horse farm during standard university chore times (7:00 AM and 3:00 PM) on specified days during the week and assigned weekends, serving as experiential learning to complement the co-requisite course (EQS 209). Emphasis will be placed on the effective use of management strategies to coordinate tasks and supervise others in a working farm situation.

Upon completion, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate effective leadership in communication, work ethic, and time management skills through performance and attendance during practicum hours.
- Demonstrate the appropriate horse handling skills for common farm activities and oversee the use of these skills by supervised students.
- Coordinate the completion of farm tasks with a high standard of horse care and attention to detail in cooperation with other managers and farm staff.

Grade Basis: P
Credit hours: 2.0
Lecture hours: 0.0
Lab hours: 0.0

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