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News Release

2021 IOWA FFA JOB INTERVIEW CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT

93rd Iowa FFA State Leadership Conference

DES MOINES, IA - The Iowa FFA Job Interview Leadership Event was held at Iowa Events Center, Des Moines, on Monday, April 19, 2021. Twelve individuals participated in this year's Career Development Event (CDE). The first place individual for the event was Ayva Bohr from the Cedar Rapids Prairie FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Ms. Erica Baier. The second place individual for the event was Michael Dejong from the Montezuma FFA Chapter. Their agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor is Mr. Rick Swenson.

Members participating in the Job Interview Career Development Event had to demonstrate their ability in filling out a job application form, writing a letter of application, preparing a resume, interviewing properly, answering questions clearly, and presenting the proper impression. The Iowa FFA Job Interview CDE was made possible with support from Christensen Farms through the Iowa FFA Foundation.

The results from the Job Interview CDE are listed below.

Place	FFA Member Name(s)	Chapter P. O.	Rating
1	Ayva Bohr	Cedar Rapids	Gold
2	Michael Dejong	Montezuma	Gold
3	Raegan Kime	Jackson Junction	Gold
	Allyson Abbas	Osceola	Gold
	Rebecca Cowan	Cherokee	Silver
	Kaylee Kleitsch	Fairbank	Silver
	Grant Boyd	Leon	Silver
	Elly Louwagie	Algona	Bronze
	Jadyn Sunderman	Clarinda	Bronze
	Amy Martin	Milford	Bronze
	Alexa McCunn	Red Oak	Bronze
	Cole Thilges	West Bend	Bronze

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About Iowa FFA Association

The Iowa FFA Association is a youth organization of over 16,300 student members as part of 248 local FFA chapters across Iowa. The FFA mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education. The Iowa FFA Association was organized by delegates from 23 schools at Iowa State College on May 17, 1929 and is an integral part of public instruction in agriculture. The Iowa Department of Education provides leadership and helps set direction for FFA as a service to local agricultural education programs. For more, visit the Iowa FFA Association online at IowaFFA.com, on Facebook, and Twitter.