Everything is high tech nowadays. We say that year after year, but opportunities in today's world of precision agriculture for the high-tech grad are growing as never seen before.

Dondi Eckert, Sr. Product Support Specialist, Valmont, Inc.

# **Keeping N-PACE with your future**

Precision agriculture is rapidly becoming the new agriculture. For students interested in being part of this exciting tech-driven, ag-based future, the N-PACE program at Central Community College offers a number of industry-aligned options to help get you where you want to go.



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#### An entire industry is rooting for you!

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### **Student Options in Precision Agriculture**

(Available on Central Community College campuses in Hastings and Columbus)

Associate of Applied Science Degree Agricultural Sciences-Precision Agriculture (64 credits hours)

#### Diploma

Precision Agriculture Diploma (33 credit hours)

#### Certificates

**Precision Application Certificate** (12 credit hours)

**Precision Mapping Certificate** (12 credit hours)

### **Precision-Based**

**Areas of Study** Study areas will vary depending

- Crop, Soil, Water and Range Sciences
- **GPS-Based Data Collection. Mapping and Field Applications**
- GIS Mapping, Spatial Analysis and Conversion
- Variable Rate Formulas and Applications (Chemical, Fertilizer, Water)
- Precision Ag Equipment and Software
- **Data Management and Analysis**
- Water Management Principles and Practices
- Work Study/Internships

Electives in math, computer science, agricultural economics, communications and other areas related to a rewarding career in precision agriculture are also open to students studying for their degree or diploma.

There is always a struggle to find good employees with a base knowledge in the precision ag field. The range of opportunities is extraordinary. Lisa Wilson, CCA, Precision Ag Specialist **CHS Agri Service Center** 

In precision agriculture, every day is a new opportunity. There are so many ways to be involved. For students and agribusinesses today, this is a very exciting time!

> Kylen Hunt, Precision Data Specialist Manager **CropMetrics**

# **Step into your field of dreams**

An incredible convergence of technologies in precision agriculture is creating new job opportunities in virtually every industry segment, changing the way Nebraska farmers, ranchers and agribusinesses work together to produce food and fiber more efficiently and sustainably than ever before. The N-PACE program prepares you to step into this tremendous stream of opportunity to pursue your field of dreams.



- Precision Ag Technician
- Precision Farming Specialist
- Custom Applicator
- Precision Data Specialist

With additional training or schooling:

- Field Sales Agronomist
- Agronomy Technology Specialist
- Crop Advisor



Imagine, your own personal success coach and computer lab, Internet access to real-time farm data, 3D/4D simulation models and more. Sure, it's your future, but it's our commitment to do everything we can to help you make the most of it – and succeed!

- Instruction
- Hands-on Learning and Skills Development
- Cooperative Education with Leading Agribusiness Firms

success possible.

## We're here for you

- Blended Online and Classroom
- Career Planning
- Job Search and Assistance
- Transfer Program for Four-Year Degrees (if desired)
- Modern On-Campus Housing (if desired)

It's great to see Central Community College jumping in to give students a great opportunity. Precision agriculture is literally what has made our company's

> **Cole Opbroek, SDI Consultant Eco-drip Irrigation**