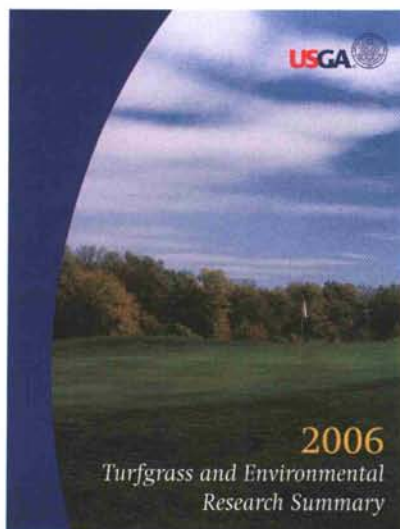


News Notes

NEW PUBLICATION AVAILABLE

The 2006 *Turfgrass and Environmental Research Summary* is now available free of charge through the USGA Order Department (800-336-4446). The research summary provides a one-page summary of each research project currently being funded by the USGA's Turfgrass and Environmental Research Program. This publication is appropriate for researchers, university extension personnel, and golf course superintendents who are interested in learning about the latest results from the program. Request publication NS 1645.



GREEN SECTION INTERNSHIPS AWARDED FOR 2007

For the tenth year, the USGA Green Section has awarded internships to outstanding turfgrass management students. During 2007, the Green Section will provide the opportunity for 15 students to travel with the Green Section staff on Turf Advisory Service visits. Each intern will travel for one week with an agronomist in his region between the months of May and August. The goal of the internship program is to provide students with a broader view of the golf course industry and the opportunity to learn about golf course maintenance through the perspective of the Green Section agronomists. More information about the internship program can be found on the USGA Green Section Web site at http://www.usga.org/turf/internship/2007_internship.html.

Intern Name	Year	University	Advisor
Christian Baldwin	Ph.D. Program	Clemson University	Haibo Liu
Jason Frank	M.S. Program	University of Florida	J. Bryan Unruh
Anthony Garzia, Jr.	Junior	Delaware Valley College	Doug Linde
Matt Gourlay	Senior	Kansas State University	Jack Fry
Nicholas Hanson	Senior	California State Polytechnic University	Sowmya Mitra
Lindsey Hoffman	M.S. Program	University of Massachusetts	J. Scott Ebdon
John Inguagiato	Ph.D. Program	Rutgers University	James Murphy
Shaun Knutzen	Junior	Washington State University	Bill Johnston
William Kreuser	Sophomore	University of Wisconsin	John Stier
Megan Marcovecchio	Senior	Colorado State University	James Carey
Brian Schwartz	Ph.D. Program	University of Florida	Kevin Kenworthy
Michael Vysocka	Senior	North Carolina State University	Daniel Bowman
John Willis	Ph.D. Program	Virginia Tech	Shawn Askew
Joey Young	M.S. Program	Mississippi State University	Gregg Munshaw

PHYSICAL SOIL TESTING LABORATORIES

The following laboratories are accredited by the American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA), having demonstrated ongoing competency in testing materials specified in the USGA's Recommendations for Putting Green Construction. The USGA recommends that only A2LA-accredited laboratories be used for testing and analyzing materials for building greens according to our guidelines.

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