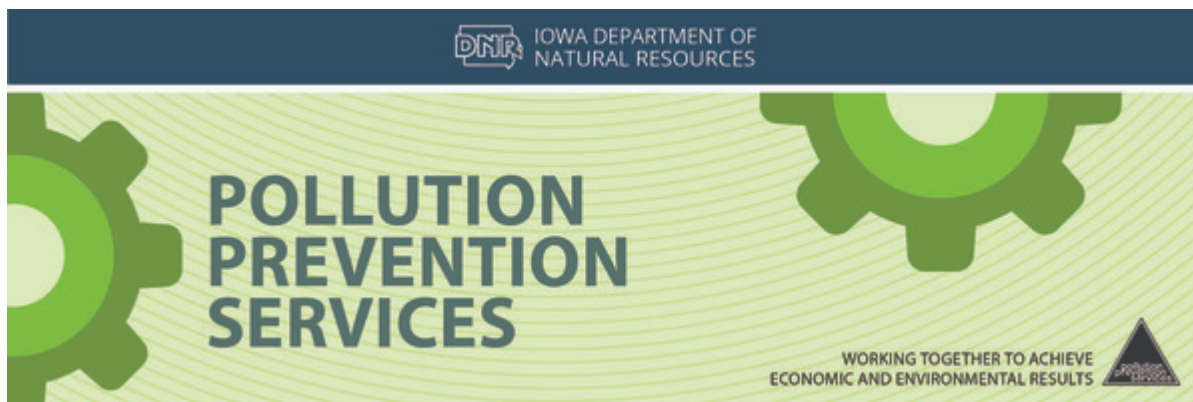


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P2 Intern Program now accepting project requests for 2019

Pollution Prevention (P2) Services is currently accepting company project requests for the 2019 P2 Intern Program. With assistance from P2 Services, host companies identify and define projects for engineering interns to complete. The intern will analyze the current systems, research alternative processes or technologies, and recommend cost effective strategies to improve the way companies manufacture, consume, reuse, and recycle materials and resources.

Visit www.iowap2interns.com to read Iowa host company testimonials and view previous years' case studies.

Typical intern project areas include:

- Energy conservation (boiler & steam systems, compressed air systems, lighting, HVAC efficiency, heat recovery, and more)
- Alternative energy sources
- Water conservation
- Water treatment

- Solid and hazardous waste reduction
- Process improvements

To request a 2019 project, download and complete a [project request form \(pdf\)](#). Project requests will be reviewed as they are received until December 1, 2018.

For questions or to request assistance with intern project identification and development, contact Danielle Dilks at (515) 725-8363 or danielle.dilks@dnr.iowa.gov.

Upcoming Events

August 29 Webinar: [The Use of Ultrasound to detect Inverter Induced Power Quality Issues](#) 12-1 pm, by UE Systems

September 5 - 6 [Industrial Pretreatment Conference](#) Marshalltown

September 11 - 13 [Midwest Food Recovery Summit](#) Des Moines

October 8 - 10 [Iowa Recycling & Solid Waste Management Conference](#) Council Bluffs

November 7 - 8 [Iowa Energy Summit](#) Altoona

"EMS In Depth" Workshop materials now available

On August 1st, P2 Services hosted an EMS Industry Group Workshop focusing on aspects and impacts, objectives and targets, and internal auditing. Cory Sander, consultant with PSARA Technologies, Inc., led a packed room of environmental professionals through best management practices, examples and discussion associated with each identified EMS element. Attendee feedback was extremely positive and [workshop presentation materials](#) are now available online!



Please consider joining us at our next EMS Industry Group Workshop, and [contact P2 Services](#) if there is any one-on-one support we can provide related to Environmental Management Systems.

EPA releases report on anaerobic digesters processing food waste

In July 2018 EPA announced the release of their report, [Anaerobic Digestion Facilities Processing Food Waste in the United States in 2015](#), detailing the first phase of a three year nationwide survey. The report includes information about the processing capacity of anaerobic digestion (AD) facilities, facility operations, pre-processing/de-packaging technologies, feedstock types and sources, biogas production and uses, etc. It also

contains state-specific listings of AD facilities and is a good overview of current AD capacity nationwide.

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