

Hello, my name is Lachlan Boleyn and I have just completed my 2<sup>nd</sup> year studying agricultural science at Lincoln University.

I have been brought up in an agricultural environment and developed a passion for the farming sector. I have taken a particular interest in plant and seed technology and I will further this interest in my 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year at Lincoln University. Since studying at Lincoln University I have been exposed to many different areas within the New Zealand arable industry and look forward to working in the arable industry once I have finished my studies.

I am privileged to have been awarded this scholarship which will go towards my university fees and would like to take this opportunity to thank the New Zealand Grain and Seed Trade Association for this scholarship.

Lachlan has very kindly updated us on his progress to date.

Read the footnote below to see what Lachie has done since completing his 2<sup>nd</sup> year at Lincoln.

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<sup>i</sup> During my 3<sup>rd</sup> year at Lincoln University I have studied various plants papers ranging from plant pest management to pasture agronomy to seed technology. These papers have broadened my knowledge of the plant industry and I am looking at taking more plants papers in my final year of study.

With the help of this scholarship I have been able to get a summer internship at AgResearch in Lincoln looking at white and red clover seed production. This is a great stepping stone for me and has given me an insight into the current issues facing agriculture in New Zealand