

MINOR IN ORGANIC AGRICULTURE

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The focus of this program is on the science of organic agricultural production. The program offers courses specifically focused on organic ag production techniques, certification, and decision-making. Lecture, discussion, and lab experiences involve experiential learning at many levels.

Learning Objectives

Upon successful completion of the minor, the student will be able to:

1. Evaluate the USDA-National Organic Program regulations as they relate to diversified agricultural systems.
2. Identify opportunities, challenges and solutions within organic case study-based and field-based scenarios.
3. Articulate the uniqueness of certified organic agricultural practices and products in comparison to other agricultural management scenarios.