

Organic & Sustainable Agriculture at WSU Everett



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WSU Everett

Organic Agriculture Systems Major

❖ Opened August 2017

❖ 2+2 system

❖ Majors:

- Data Analytics
- Software Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Hospitality Business Management
- Integrated Strategic Communication

❖ Organic Agriculture Systems added Fall 2018

WSU Everett



About the Organic Agriculture Systems Major:

- WSU was the first university in the United States to offer a major for organic agriculture
- Organic agriculture is one of the fastest growing agricultural sectors in the United States



About the Organic Agriculture Systems Major:

- Pullman – offered several years as part of the Agricultural Food Systems degree program.
- Western Washington degree - allows students to explore the diversity of agricultural systems, climate, economics, and culture west of the Cascades.





Organic Agriculture Coursework

- Organic Farming
- Crop Growth & Development
- Intro to Nutritional Science
- Agriculture, Environment, and Community
- General Entomology
- Ecological & Integrated Pest Management
- Plant Pathology
- Cropping Systems
- Intro to Agroecology
- Soil Fertility
- Field Analysis of Sustainable Food Systems
- Advanced Organic Farming & Garden Field Management
- Intro to Food Science
- World Agriculture Systems
- Intro to Farm & Ranch management
- Soil: A Living System
- Business Management Economics



Why major in Organic Agriculture at WSU Everett?

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2. Save \$\$\$ - complete the first two years at a regional community college.
3. Hands-on experience through a series of internships.
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5. Develop a professional employment network after graduation.

Scholarship Opportunities

- Everett Scholars Award \$1,500-5,000 per semester
- Additional Scholarships *in the works* to provide students with the most assistance.

Internship and Job Opportunities

- Farming
- Farm Management
- Regulatory Work
- Consulting
- Research
- Food Processing
- Agricultural Marketing
- Agricultural Education
- And more!



For more information:

- Visit <http://afs.wsu.edu/majors/organic-ag-systems/>
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