

2019 Commercial Agriculture Program Enrollment

The Commercial Agriculture Program at Cornell Cooperative Extension (CCE) of Ulster County has supported Ulster County farmers to advance agriculture-based economies since 1913. Every year we need your help to assure that we can continue this esteemed tradition into the future!

We support agriculture by empowering stakeholders to make well-informed decisions that work for their specific needs. We provide research-based, unbiased, third-party information to farmers and the greater agriculture industry through farm visits, phone, and email communications, as well as educational programs and trainings. See enclosed list of our educators and their areas of expertise.

Serving as an education and networking hub, we connect farmers to innovative technology in all areas of crop and livestock production. These include sustainable practices for improving farm resiliency and timely information on integrated pest management (IPM). Your enrollment helps support this important work.

Please consider supporting the CCE Ulster County Agriculture Program this year with a \$50 enrollment.

Enrollment benefits:

- Discounted registration fees for many educational events your enrollment can pay for itself in savings!
- A listing for your farm or agribusiness on our Farm Guide webpage (page 2, part 6).
- Subscription to Ag Focus, the monthly print agriculture newsletter of CCE Ulster and Orange Counties.

We also connect our growers with **commodity–specific publications** and **timely IPM and grower alert messages**. Updating your contact information and preferences ensures that you and your farm business or household receives **targeted educational information** relevant to your interests and needs (page 2, parts 4 and 5).

A significant portion of CCE Ulster's annual county funding goes to help support the **Eastern New York Commercial Horticulture Program** (ENYCHP) which has its own/separate enrollment and mailing list. This program provides commercial Ulster County fruit and vegetable growers access to a greater range of Cornell production specialists. Your enrollment in the CCE Ulster Ag Program helps us offset this cost, and further helps support programs for a much wider variety of Ulster County's agriculture needs, beyond ENYCHP areas.

Supporting our Agriculture Program through annual enrollment also helps CCE Ulster County demonstrate to Cornell, state and local government, and other funders, the commitment and **direct support from the community to keep a strong, local Cornell Cooperative Extension** Program in Ulster County.

Thank you for your support in 2019!

2019 CCE Ulster County Commercial Agriculture Program Enrollment Form Enrollment benefits last from January 1, 2019 – January 31, 2020

How to submit this form (please include all 3 pages):

- By mail or in person to: CCEUC, Attn: Carrie, 232 Plaza Rd., Kingston, NY 12401
- Online at tinyurl.com/CCEUC-Ag-Enr-Page (See "How to enroll" section)

Questions? Contact Carrie at 845-340-3990 x311 or email cad266@cornell.edu

PART 1 - CONTACT INFORMATION

Name:	Farm/Organization (if any):	
Mailing address - circle one:	home work farm	
Street Address:	City:	State: Zip:
Physical Address (if different fr	om mailing) - circle one: home farm	
Street Address:	City:	State: Zip:
Phone:	_ circle: home cell work farm Add'l phone:	circle: home cell work farm
Email:		

Add name and email below for anyone else with your farm, family or business you'd like added to our mailing list:

PART 2 - PROGRAM TOPICS

Indicate topics you'd like to see in future classes or programs:

- □ Food processing and adding value to ag products
- □ Marketing and selling farm products
- □ Business planning for farms and local foods businesses
- □ Managing or training farm labor
- □ Farm policies or programs
- $\hfill\square$ Participating in on-farm research

- Agritourism
- □ Training in agriculture for youth
- □ Farm succession, transition and estate planning
- □ Keeping land in ag production (easements, tax programs)
- □ Renting farmland (as a landlord or as a tenant)
- $\hfill\square$ Grants and loan programs for agriculture

PART 3 - PAYMENT

Fee:	2019 Ag Enrollment Fee \$50.00	+ optional tax-deductible contribution \$	=	Total	\$	
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Pmt. Type: Check payable to CCEUC Credit Card below Online (credit card/paypal): <u>tinyurl.com/2019-Ag-Enr-PMT</u>

If paying with a credit card using the form below, you may fax to 845-340-3993 - call after faxing to confirm receipt. Note: Due to security policies <u>do not email if form contains credit card info</u>.

Credit Card Payment - 2019 CCEUC Ag Enrollment (fill out form above and below)

Name of Cardholder:	Card Type (circle)	Visa	Mastercard
Address (if cardholder address differs from mailing address above):			
Card Number :			
Expiration Date (month and year) Amt. to be Charged: \$			
Signature (required):			

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PART 4 - YOUR INTERESTS

Let us know what topics you're interested in—we filter our event notices based on interest * = Commercial

- □ Agroforestry *
 - □ Arboriculture *
 - □ Berries *
 - □ Christmas trees *
 - □ Climate change
 - Equine (home or commercial)
 - □ Farm business/management *
 - □ Field crops (grains, oilseeds) *
 - □ Grapes *
 - □ Greenhouse *
 - □ Home gardening (non-commercial flowers/fruit/veg.)

PART 5 - PUBLICATIONS AND GROWER EMAIL LISTS

Sign up for newsletters and grower email alerts (see enclosed description sheet for details).

All are free except Aq Focus, which requires ag enrollment.

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□ Christmas Tree Grower IPM Updates *

□ Greenhouse Grower IPM Updates *

- □ Home Gardening mail/email list
- □ Livestock Updates/Newsletter

PART 6 - FARM GUIDE WEBPAGE LISTING

Would you like to be listed on our Farm Guide webpage, which lists supporting farms and agribusinesses?

View page at <u>tinyurl.com/CCEUC-Farm-Guide</u>	☐ Yes - answer questions below	□ No - skip questions below
1. Farm or Business name for listing (if different from	n what you put for organizatio	n name in Part 1):
2. How do you want to be contacted by the public Phone:	? Email:	
3. Address for farm (for public to visit-optional):		
4. Website link for more information about your fa	m:	
5. Give a few sentences, up to 50 words, describing email this description to cad266@cornell.edu):	your business and what you	u sell (if it's easier for you, you can

- □ Hops * □ Kitchen Classes
 - Livestock/Dairy (home or commercial)
 - □ Organic *
 - □ Ornamental, bedding, nursery *
 - □ Pasture, hay (home or commercial)
 - □ Processing agricultural products *
 - □ Tree Fruit *
 - □ Urban/Small acreage farming
 - □ Vegetables, herbs *

PART 7 - COMMERCIAL FARM PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

Circle below what applies ONLY for commercial products/services, anything you sell related to your farm/business. Note that these may differ from your interests given on the previous page.

Do you process anything you produce into a value-added product? (circle one) Yes No No, but I'm interested
For the products/services below, I use the following sales channels or markets - circle all that apply:
Wholesale Direct Neither *If neither, you can skip this page (you are done with this form)
AGROFORESTRY: Christmas trees, ginseng, maple syrup, mushrooms, ramps, other:
FRUIT: BERRIES black currants, blueberries, gooseberries, raspberries/blackberries, strawberries, other:
GRAPES wine, juice, table, other:
TREE FRUIT/NUTS apples, cherries, pears, nut trees, peaches/nectarines, plums, rootstock/seedlings, other:
FIELD CROPS:
CERTIFIED SEED FOR cover crops, feed-grade grains, food-grade grains
FORAGES/PASTURE/HAY alfalfa, corn (silage), hay, straw, other:
GRAINS AND OILSEEDS canola, barley, buckwheat, corn (grain), flax, mustard, oats, pulse crops, rye, soybeans, spelt, sunflowers, wheat, other:
GRAINS FOR food-grade, feed-grade, brewing, distilling, ethanol fuel
EQUINE: riding academy, public riding, boarding, private (non-commercial), other:
HOPS: pelleted, rhizomes, wet, other:
LIVESTOCK: alpacas/llamas, aquaculture/fish, cattle-dairy, cattle-beef, chickens-laying, chickens-meat, ducks/geese, goats-dairy, goats-meat, pigs, sheep, turkeys, other:
ORNAMENTAL: bedding plants (annual or perennial), Christmas trees, cut flowers, perennial herbs, houseplants, landscaping, native plants, nursery, trees and shrubs, other:
PROCESSING: baking, beer brewing, cheese processing, hard cider, distilling/spirits, honey/bees, juicing, meat processing, preserves, smokehouse, sugarhouse, wine, yogurt
PRODUCTION SYSTEM: field, greenhouse, high-tunnel, Certified Organic, organic, other:
RETAIL/AGRIBUSINESS: bakery, B&B, catering, CSA, certified seed supplier, certified NYS Farm Winery/Cidery/ Brewery/Distillery, crop consultant, custom operator, equine tack/cloth, farm stand, feed store, florist, garden center, landscaping, retail, rootstock/seedling supplier, veterinarian, other:
VEGETABLES: annual herbs, asparagus, beans (snap), beans (dry), beets, broccoli, cabbage/cole crop, carrots, certified seed, cucumbers, eggplant, garlic, lettuce/greens, melon/cantaloupe, onions, peas, peppers, potatoes, pumpkins/gourds,

OTHER: If not in one of the categories above:

rhubarb, squash (summer), squash (winter), sweet corn, tomatoes, other:_____