Agricultural and Food Business Management

How does your local food system interact with the global marketplace? What knowledge and skills do you need in the current agriculture and food industries? Majoring in Agricultural and Food Business Management allows you to answer these questions and more. In this degree program you will be an expert at navigating the intersection of business and agriculture. We will give you the tools and skills you need to handle the problems you will face in the future.

Your Degree (BS) in Agricultural and Food Business Management

- A minimum of 180 credits are required for graduation; 60 must be upper division (300 and 400-level courses).
- A maximum of 135 transfer credits may be applied toward a bachelor’s degree at OSU.
- Only courses with letter prefixes and numbers above 100 are accepted.
- More info [agsci.oregonstate.edu/degree/agricultural-and-food-business-management](agsci.oregonstate.edu/degree/agricultural-and-food-business-management)

### Courses Required for Agricultural and Food Business Management

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<td>Discovering Agricultural and Resource Economics</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>AEC 121</td>
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<td>Agricultural and Food Management</td>
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<td>AEC 211</td>
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<td>Agricultural and Food Marketing</td>
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<td>Intro to Envn Econ and Policy OR Intro to Ag and Food Econ OR Intro to Microeconomics</td>
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### Business Administration Courses

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<td>BA 226</td>
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### Computers and Technology

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<td>AG 111 or CS 101</td>
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### Writing and Communications

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General Education Courses (called the Baccalaureate Core)

Complete one course in each Perspective category with no more than two in the same department.

- Full listing of PCC courses that fulfill Bacc Core requirements: admissions.oregonstate.edu/baccalaureate-core-course-equivalencies-portland-community-college

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Important Notes & Resources

- Grade requirements: see AFBM website for more information
- See a sample degree plan on the AFBM Fact Sheet (https://agsci.oregonstate.edu/degree-fact-sheet/agricultural-food-business-management).
- Other similar majors to explore: Business, Economics, Environmental Economics and Policy, and Agricultural Sciences. Check out the OSU Catalog at http://catalog.oregonstate.edu to explore these and other majors.
- 100 and 200 level classes and lower division Baccalaureate Core are priority courses to complete before transferring to OSU.
- For AFBM students, the best time to transfer is fall term, particularly due to the AFBM series courses. Talk with an OSU advisor about your specific timeline.

Resources and OSU Information:

- Students do not have to complete a transfer degree in order to transfer to OSU.
  - If you’ve completed the Oregon AAOT, all requirements of the Baccalaureate Core are complete except for Synthesis Courses and Writing Intensive Courses.
- Preparing to apply to OSU? See transfer student admissions info: transfer.oregonstate.edu
- Want to take classes at both OSU and an Oregon community college? Check out the Degree Partnership Program: partnerships.oregonstate.edu/students
- Visit OSU for a campus tour and meet with an advisor; schedule your visit at visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus

Advising Contacts

Academic advisors at your community college and OSU are available to answer your questions and assist you in creating a transfer plan. See your community college advisor first and use this Transfer Guide to help you plan. It is important to speak with your OSU academic advisor early on and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing. See visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus to schedule your personalized visit.

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<th>Portland Community College</th>
<th>OSU College of Agricultural Sciences Student Advisor</th>
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<td>Tjodie Richardson</td>
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