



eCampus Course

INTRODUCTION TO URBAN AGRICULTURE: HORT 283, WINTER 2020

Ever wondered how classic agricultural concepts can be adapted to the urban environment? Take this course to find out!

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Focuses on the adaptation of agricultural principles to the urban environment, specifically the production of plant crops. Topics include: (I) urban environments and infrastructure, (II) urban crop production practices, (III) urban markets and farm management. Exposes students to a breadth of issues that they should consider in order to be a successful urban grower.

Special Topics Include:

- Trends of modern urban agricultural systems
- Microclimatic variation within an urban environment.
- Basics of urban agricultural production management.
- Creating a hypothetical urban production plot.
- Preparing for a future in urban agriculture.



Information about the course is available by contacting the instructor, Mykl Nelson.

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