Agricultural Business and Management | Bachelor's Degree



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| ADVANCE your academic journey | Meet with a <u>First Year Advisor</u> to develop your academic planning. | Schedule appointments with the COSE <u>Advising Center</u> and follow registration instructions for course guidance. | Check your Degree Audit & meet with your academic advisor. |
| | Take advantage of COSE <u>Virtual Express</u> advising. | Check out the <u>Collaborative Learning Center (CLC)</u> for learning assistance. Explore external scholarship opportunities such as the <u>Fulbright</u> Scholarship to take | Explore next steps including potential graduate programs. |
| | Participate in the <u>Experiential Education Certificate</u> Program. | your expertise to unique locations abroad. | Complement your degree with a <u>micro credential</u> . |
| | Adopt your <u>University Seminar US1100</u> learning as key | Regularly check the <u>curricula and flowchart</u> pre-requisites and co-requisites for courses may change over time. | Complete a capstone project related to major. |
| | for first year success. | Share your knowledge as a <u>Peer Mentor</u> or <u>Tutor at SLAC</u> . | Create and update a digital portfolio of academic work and experiences. |
| EXPAND your personal and social development | Review your degree plan for courses that include the Service-Learning Excellence program. | Meet with an advisor in <u>Education Abroad</u> or <u>Study in America</u> to explore financial aid options toward learning in an international or national setting. | Seek out a leadership role with the <u>Leadership &</u> <u>Service</u> . |
| | Begin expanding your student experience by joining a student organization through the <u>Bobcat Organization</u> HUB. | Discover <u>Global Online Learning Experiences</u> for courses with culturally dynamic perspectives. | Attend a <u>Student Government</u> Senate meeting to contribute to the TXST community. |
| | Find <u>agriculture-related groups</u> to connect with others majoring within the college. | Engage in <u>outreach</u> programs to promote agricultural education in the community. | Attend financial literacy workshops (e.g., budgeting, student loans, taxes). |
| | Join <u>science and engineering student organizations or</u> <u>clubs</u> to connect with others majoring within the college. | Participate in <u>Women in STEM initiatives</u> and the <u>Houston-Louis Stokes STEM</u> <u>Pathways and Research Alliance (H-LSAMP)</u> . | |
| ENRICH your practical competence | Explore the <u>TXST One Stop</u> for more information about the scholarships provided to new and continuing students. | Review A <u>griculture internship requirements</u> before taking part. Apply to participate in the <u>RAISE_grant</u> , which offers unique internships and mentoring opportunities with USDA and Texas AgriLife Extension. | Learn about <u>Global Career Accelerator</u> options that give you experience with global companies and in- demand tech skills. |
| | Attend an <u>IDEA Center</u> workshop to learn more about undergraduate research. | Join one of the <u>Learning Communities</u> which provide opportunities to collaborate with faculty on developing and conducting their own research projects. | Attend a conference related to your major (get recommendations from a faculty) or your student organization. |
| | 5 Consider the <u>STEM Communities Learning Assistance</u> program. | Get internship guidance from the <u>internship staff in Career Services</u> . Check out the <u>National Science Foundation (NSF) Research Experiences for</u> | Deliver a presentation in a student conference, workshop, seminar or community organization. |
| | | <u>Undergraduates (REU) Summer Program</u> . | |
| ELEVATE your career and professional life | Complete your <u>Career Assessments</u> , such as Focus2. | Build <u>Career & Graduate School Fairs</u> into your schedule to ensure your connection maximum opportunities. | Develop a full-time employment or graduate school plan with <u>Career Services</u> . |
| | Create your <u>Handshake</u> profile. | Join <u>Employer Information Sessions</u> at Career Services or your department. | Complete your <u>First Destination Survey</u> to share your post-graduation plans. |
| | colleagues and leaders. | Prepare to <u>ace your job interviews</u> with Career Services or your academic department. | Identify faculty and professional references. |
| | Develop and review your <u>resume</u> with Career Services. | | |
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Marketable Skills

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| Analyze and solve problems | | | | |
| Communicate clearly and effectively | | | | |
| Accounting skills | | | | |
| Data analysis skills | | | | |
| Financial management skills | | | | |
| Marketing and sales skills | | | | |
| See more marketable skills for this major | | | | |

Experiences in Agricultural Business and Management

The bachelor's degree with major in agriculture business and management prepares students to be competent in agribusiness management, agricultural marketing in domestic and international trade, food safety, sustainability, and agricultural & natural resource policy. Coursework ensures that students graduate with a well-grounded understanding of the agricultural industry and agribusiness landscape in six fields: production, consumption, economics, policy, environment, and international contexts. The department hosts strong experiential programming in research, service-learning and professional development, and students may participate in Education Abroad or Study in America for global and cultural enrichment, and as well as choose from numerous student organizations for engaging experiences.

Career Opportunities

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| Agriculture marketing | Farm educator | |
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| Agricultural inspectors | CTE technical education program manager | |
| Agriculture management | Administrative services and facilities | |
| Economist | Managers | |
| Farm loan officer | Associate professor in agricultural education | |
| Agricultural engineer | Greenhouse operation manager | |
| Financial analyst | Agricultural sciences | |
| Farm manager | Professor agricultural (horticulture) | |
| Sale representative | | |
| Agronomy salesperson | | |

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