

ARE 198: Economics of Agricultural Sustainability
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This course will show students how to apply microeconomic concepts and models to agricultural sustainability issues. Topics will include agricultural intensification, population growth, market efficiency, agricultural policy, trade, and consumer awareness. Students will develop economic intuition and knowledge, and apply it to real world sustainability issues. The course is not meant to give ready-made answers to all sustainability issues, but rather to provide students with the tools to coherently and independently address them.

Prerequisites: ECN1A & Precalculus (or equivalent)

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