



agriculture programs



**agriculture/engineering
science & technologies**
AT PARKLAND COLLEGE

READY TO DIG INTO SOME OF THE WORLD'S TOUGHEST CHALLENGES?

A CAREER IN AGRICULTURE MIGHT BE EXACTLY WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR.

From precision agriculture and plant genetics to sustainability and urban horticulture, agriculture's a huge industry—in fact, it's the nation's largest employer. And it touches people's lives in a big way.

An estimated 57,900 jobs are available annually, according to the USDA. Encompassing science, technology, engineering, and math, the latest agricultural innovations are resulting in new and exciting career opportunities.

programs

Go directly into the workforce, up your current skills, or transfer to a four-year school with top-ranked agricultural programs, such as the University of Illinois, Illinois State University, or Southern Illinois University.

Associate in Science

Agriculture

Associate in Applied Science

Agricultural Business Management

Precision Agriculture Technology

Applied Agronomy

Grain Merchandising and Management

Landscape and Urban Horticulture

Certificate

Agribusiness

Landscape and Urban Horticulture

Floral Design

Tony Noel Agricultural Technology Applications Center

Designed to meet the high-tech agribusiness needs of the area's workforce, this 10,000 square-foot facility includes state of the art greenhouses, land laboratory, computer lab, classrooms, and shop area suitable for large-scale equipment training.

The primary objective of the greenhouses and land laboratory is to provide demonstrations for student and community education. In addition, they function as a learning laboratory for students enrolled

in courses related to agronomy, precision agriculture, horticulture, and landscape design.

International Agricultural Field Experience

Earn up to 10 credit hours while studying agriculture, social culture, and recreation of countries such as Costa Rica, Ireland, and Germany. You'll travel the countryside, visiting dairy farms, hops farms, apple orchards, coffee plantations, banana and pineapple farms, beef cattle farms, and more, while learning about farming practices and agricultural businesses.

Our Agriculture programs also offer a number of scholarships, both merit and need-based.



careers

precision agriculture specialist

landscape designer

greenhouse assistant

Agronomist

seed technician

floral designer

grain marketing advisor

“I’m excited for my future in agriculture because of the experiences I had at Parkland, including classes, tours, and attending the Women Changing the Face of Agriculture conference. **It’s one of the best decisions I’ve made in my life, and I’d recommend the program to anybody.**”

Jackie Ester | 2015 graduate

Field services technician | Illinois Crop Improvement Association

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