Stellenbosch University Accredited Short Course

CROP STRATEGY AND CROP ROTATION



This online course is designed for commercial growers, consultants, and agronomists in high-value vegetable production. It provides a practical framework for crop planning and rotation design to improve soil health, manage pest and disease pressure, and enhance profitability.

Participants will learn to classify crops by family, rooting depth, nutrient demand, and seasonality, and integrate cover crops and fallow phases to support soil function and resilience. Core topics include pathogen carry-over, pest and weed suppression, and gross margin analysis, with emphasis on aligning crop sequences with labour, infrastructure, and market dynamics.

The course combines live sessions, case studies, and guided exercises, enabling each participant to develop a customised 3-year crop rotation plan adaptable to changing conditions.



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Date: 30 Sept-2 Oct 2025

Time: 09:00 - 14:00

Cost: R4500

Student cost: R2250

Hosted Online via Teams