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- This series consists of ten evening (6:30-9:30pm) workshops starting September 8 and ending November 10, 2016, and one Sunday bus tour September 25.
- The cost is \$150 and registration is due by August 26, 2016.
- These workshops will be held at the Waterman Farm on the Columbus OSU Campus located at 2490 Carmack Rd, near the intersection of Kenny Rd and Lane Ave.
- For additional information, contact Mike Hogan at 614.866.6900, ext. 206 or by email at [hogan.1@osu.edu](mailto:hogan.1@osu.edu).

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# 2016 Ohio Master Urban Farmer Workshop Series

**Thursday Evenings  
6:30-9:30pm  
September 8, 15, 22, 29  
October 6, 13, 20, 27  
November 3, 10**

OSU Waterman Farm  
on OSU Columbus  
Campus



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The Ohio Master Urban Farmer Workshop Series is an intensive educational program developed by OSU Extension. It is part of the new *Extension In the City* program.

This series of ten evening workshops and a Sunday field trip is designed to help individuals learn how to produce and market all kinds of food products in urban settings. While the workshop content will be introductory, individuals who already have some experience growing or marketing food products will benefit from participating.

The cost of the entire program is just \$150 per participant, which will include a course notebook, several books, light refreshments each evening, one free soil test, and a bus tour.

Successful graduates of the Ohio Master Urban Farmer program will also receive free assistance on securing land, tools, seeds, and other resources needed to start or expand a successful growing venture.

For more information about the Ohio Master Urban Farmer Program, contact OSU Extension Educator Mike Hogan at 614.866.6900, ext. 206 or by email at [hogan.1@osu.edu](mailto:hogan.1@osu.edu).



**Topics to be covered in the program:**

- ✓ **Introduction to Master Urban Farmer Program**
- ✓ **Introduction to Urban Agriculture**
- ✓ **How to Choose a Farm Enterprise**
- ✓ **Site Selection Issues**
- ✓ **Soil Testing for Urban Sites**
- ✓ **Basic Plant Science**
- ✓ **Soil Quality & Soil Health**
- ✓ **Fruit Production in Urban Settings**
- ✓ **Insects & Diseases**
- ✓ **Integrated Pest Management**
- ✓ **Bees & Native Pollinators**
- ✓ **Season Extension Techniques**
- ✓ **Business Planning for Gardens or any Urban Agriculture Project**
- ✓ **Marketing Bootcamp (How to market your products in any setting)**
- ✓ **Farmers Markets for Dummies**
- ✓ **Vegetable Production**
- ✓ **Tomato Production**
- ✓ **Food Safety & GAPS**
- ✓ **Developing Grant Proposals**
- ✓ **Keeping it Legal**
- ✓ **Columbus Urban Ag Bus Tour (Sunday, Sept. 25)**
- ✓ **Graduation!**

2016  
Ohio Master Urban Farmer  
Workshop  
Registration Form

**Return by August 26, 2016 to:**

Mike Hogan  
Ohio State University Extension  
Franklin County  
2105 S. Hamilton Rd, Suite 100  
Columbus, OH 43232

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have experience growing food crops?

Do you have experience marketing food crops?

To pay by credit card, register online:  
[www.regonline.com/masterurbanfarmer2016](http://www.regonline.com/masterurbanfarmer2016)

To pay by check, return this form and a check for  
\$150 made payable to:  
OSU Extension Franklin County (or return with  
request for financial scholarship)

