



Thank you for attending the “*Urban Agriculture-Urban and Farm Feed*” workshop. This survey gauges your intentions of integrating urban/non-traditional agriculture concepts into your agricultural education program. The survey should take approximately 10 minutes of your time. Your responses will remain confidential, and your participation is voluntary, although the information will greatly assist us in our program development, reporting, and future expansion. Your responses and participation are important, but you may choose to withdraw at any time without consequence.

If you have research-related or workshop questions, you may reach Tyson Sorensen at (435) 797- 5741 or tyson.sorensen@usu.edu. You may also contact Dr. Kelsey Hall at (435) 797-3289 or kelsey.hall@usu.edu.

As urban/non-traditional agriculture concepts are central to this survey, we have provided a definition of these concepts: **Urban Agriculture-** the practice of cultivating, processing, and distributing food in close proximity to a town or city. Examples of urban agriculture include animal husbandry, aquaculture, agroforestry, urban beekeeping, and horticulture. **Non-Traditional Agriculture-** agricultural practices that are “out-of-the-norm” or not commonly practiced. These may include (but not limited to) alternative animal production (e.g. mink, osprey, elk production), small acreage production, community supported agriculture, and hydroponics.

Please circle the appropriate number to indicate your **level of knowledge** about the following activities both **BEFORE** and **AFTER** attending the workshop.

1 = Very low 2 = Low 3 = Fair 4 = High 5= Very high

	Knowledge Before					Knowledge After				
Various types of urban agriculture	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Various types of non-traditional agriculture	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Urban SAE options for my students	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Non-traditional Agriculture SAE options for my students	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Ideas for integrating urban/non-traditional agriculture into curriculum	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5

Please circle the appropriate number to indicate your **level of confidence/ability** in the following activities both **BEFORE** and **AFTER** attending the workshop.

1 = Very low 2 = Low 3 = Fair 4 = High 5 = Very high

	Confidence/Ability Before					Confidence/Ability After				
Confidence/ability to integrate urban/non-traditional agriculture concepts in my teaching.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Confidence/ability to develop urban/non-traditional SAEs	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5

Please circle the appropriate number to indicate the **level of importance** of the following activities both **BEFORE** and **AFTER** attending the workshop.

1 = Very low 2 = Low 3 = Fair 4 = High 5 = Very high

	Importance Before					Importance After				
The importance of urban/non-traditional agriculture	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
The importance of urban/non-traditional SAE options for my students	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5

Mark the circle or enter the information in the box that best describes you.

1. What is your gender?

- Male
- Female
- Prefer Not to Answer

2. What is your age in years?

years

3. What is the highest level of education you have obtained?

- Bachelor's Degree
- Some Graduate Coursework
- Master's Degree
- Ph.D.

4. How many years, including the current year, have you been teaching agriculture?

years

5. Did you go through a traditional agriculture teacher education program (i.e. undergraduate or graduate degree in agricultural education)?

- Yes
- No

6. In what type of community is your school located?

- Metro Urban Area (greater than 200,000 in population)
- Urban (greater than 50,000-199,999 in population)
- Urban Cluster (more than 2,500-49,999 in population)
- Rural (less than 2,500 in population)

7. In what county in Utah do you currently teach?

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Thank you for your time!

Letter of Information

Evaluation for Urban Agriculture-Urban and Farm Feed Workshop

Purpose

You are invited to participate in a research study conducted by Kelsey Hall, an assistant professor in the School of Applied Sciences, Technology, and Education at Utah State University. The purpose of this research is evaluate the effectiveness of the Urban Agriculture-Urban Farm and Feed Workshop in regards to your change in knowledge, ability, and intention to integrate urban and non-traditional agriculture concepts and Supervised Agricultural Experiences (SAEs) into your teaching. This form includes detailed information on the research to help you decide whether to participate in this research study. Please read it carefully and ask any questions you have before you agree to participate.

Procedures

Your participation will involve taking 1 paper survey, which should take 10 minutes, after completing the Urban Agriculture-Urban and Farm Feed workshop.

Risks

This is a minimal risk research study. That means that the risks of participating are no more likely or serious than those you encounter in everyday activities. To reduce the potential risk of lost confidentiality, research records will be kept consistent with federal and state regulations. You are not asked your name in the evaluation.

Benefits

There is no direct benefit to you for participating in this research study. More broadly, this study will help the principal investigator in evaluating workshop effectiveness and future expansion of professional development related to urban and non-traditional agriculture.

Confidentiality

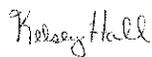
The principal investigator will make every effort to ensure that the information you provide as part of this study remains confidential. You are not asked your name in the paper evaluation. The paper evaluation data will be entered into SPSS for data analysis. The SPSS data file will be securely stored in a restricted-access folder on Box.com, an encrypted, cloud-based storage, and the paper surveys will be stored in a locked drawer in a restricted-access office until destroyed in September 2017. It is unlikely, but possible, that others (Utah State University or state or federal officials) may require me to share the information you give me from the study to ensure that the research was conducted safely and appropriately. I will only share your information if law or policy requires me to do so.

Voluntary Participation & Withdrawal

Your participation in this research is completely voluntary. If you agree to participate now and change your mind later, you may withdraw at any time before the evaluations are collected. Completely anonymous participation cannot be withdrawn, as I will be unable to determine whose data is whose.

IRB Review

The Institutional Review Board (IRB) for the protection of human research participants at Utah State University has reviewed and approved this study. If you have questions about the research study itself, please contact the Principal Investigator at 435-797-3289 or kelsey.hall@usu.edu. If you have questions about your rights or would simply like to speak with someone other than the research team about questions or concerns, please contact the IRB Director at (435) 797-0567 or irb@usu.edu.



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