Organic Soil Fertility for Vegetables and Strawberries

University of California Short Course
Tuesday, February 12, 2019 - 8 AM - 4:30 PM
Agricultural Center Conference Room
1432 Abbott St., Salinas, CA 93901

This short course will focus on the practical aspects of organic soil fertility management for fast-maturing leafy green vegetables and long-season strawberry production.

**TOPICS** covered include understanding the contribution of the various sources of nitrogen for crop production including mineralization from soil organic matter, release of inorganic nitrogen from organic fertilizers and composts, and the contribution of prior crop residues, cover crops, and irrigation water.

The focus will be on nutrient management in cool season vegetables grown in multiple rotations, as well as strawberries grown in a year-long production cycle. The content will be geared toward commercial-scale production.

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND**
Growers, consultants and others involved in organic soil fertility management will find this course valuable.

**INSTRUCTORS**
UC Davis Cooperative Extension Specialists Daniel Geisseler and Tim Hartz (emeritus), UC Santa Cruz Associate Researcher Joji Muramoto, UC Cooperative Extension Farm Advisors Richard Smith and Michael Cahn, International Plant Nutrition Institute VP Rob Mikkelsen, UC Berkeley Assistant Professor Tim Bowles, USDA Organic Researcher Eric Brennan, and True Organic Researcher Ramy Colfer

**COST**
- $70 if received by 1/30/2019
- $90 if received after 1/30/2019

Course fee includes light refreshments, lunch and handout material. **CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED**, so early enrollment is encouraged.

**PAYMENT**
Make checks payable to UC REGENTS. Credit cards (VISA, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover) accepted online.

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- **Mail your completed form and payment to:**
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  1432 Abbott St.
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**NO REFUNDS** will be granted. If you are unable to attend, you may send a substitute in your place.

**CHECK-IN**
7:45-8:15 AM - Agricultural Center Conference Room
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**CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT**
This course is pending approval for CCA credit. More information
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Dietary restrictions

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