

Wisconsin Funded Projects

2010 Projects

A Sustainable Wisconsin Dairy Farm Financial Management Model

Project Director: Ken Bolton

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin – Center for Dairy Profitability

****Defining Best Management Practices for Amish Farmers Involved in Greenhouse Production**

Project Director: Eileen Nelson

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin

****Risk Management Education for Women Farmers: Planning and Collaborating Among Organizations Serving Women Farmers**

Project Director: Kathy Schmitt

Sponsor: Wisconsin Department of Ag, Trade and Consumer Protection

****Special Emphasis Challenge Grants**

2009 Projects

Success for Small Beginning Dairy Farmers

Project Director: Victor Cabrera

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin-Madison

Midwest School for Beginning Apple Growers: Providing a holistic look at what it takes to start and operate an orchard business

Project Director: John Hendrickson

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin- Madison Center for Integrated Agricultural Systems

Annie's Project for Value Added and Beginning Wisconsin Farm Women

Project Director: Joy Kirkpatrick

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin Center for Dairy Profitability

Got Profit? Beyond the First Step

Project Director: Stan Schraufnagel

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin-River Falls

Integrated Pest Management in Viticulture

Project Director: Dean Volenberg

University of Wisconsin Extension

2008 Projects

Assessing Management Skills of Farmers

Project Director: Carl Duley

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin Extension

USDA's Gross Margin Insurance Policy: How can this Program be Adopted by Dairy Farm Operations in the Upper Midwest

Project Director: Brian Gould

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin-Madison

Heart of the Farm: Green Fields

Project Director: Jenny Vanderlin Center for Dairy Profitability

Sponsor: Center for Dairy Profitability, University of Wisconsin

2007 Projects

Accessing Local Markets: Buyer/Seller Connections, the Key to Success

Project Director: Lois Federman

Sponsor: Wisconsin Department of Agriculture

Returning to the Farm – River Falls

Project Director: Greg Hadley

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin

Got Profit? Accrual Accounting an Important First Step

Project Director: Stan Schraufnael

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin-River Falls

2006 Projects

Reducing Barriers to Modernize Dairy Operations Through Addressing Production, Legal, Environmental, and Public Relations Risks

Project Director: Kevin Bernhardt

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin

Managing Risks Through Peer to Peer Learning Groups: An Asset-Based Approach to Innovation and Growth

Project Director: Andrew Dane

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin Extension

Southeast Wisconsin Farm and Food Network (SWFFN): The Farmer/Chef Connection

Project Director: Rose Skora

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin Kenosha and Racine Counties Extension

2005 Projects

Hmong Risk Management Agricultural Education

Project Director: Renee Walz

Sponsor: Western Dairyland Economic Opportunity Council, Inc., Wisconsin

Heart of the Farm Conference Series

Project Director: Jenny Vanderlin

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin – Center for Dairy Profitability

Wisconsin Ag Link

Project Director: Jenny Vanderlin

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin – Center for Dairy Profitability

2004 Projects

Communication Skills Support Farm Transfer Success

Project Director: Joy Kirkpatrick

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin-Iowa County

Heart of the Farm – Phase II Annie's Project

Project Director: Joy Kirkpatrick

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin Cooperative Extension

Peer-Based Risk Management Education for Farmers who Practice Managed Grazing

Project Director: Paul Nehring

Sponsor: Grass Works, Inc., Wisconsin

Establishing Vineyards as an Alternative to Tobacco Production

Project Director: Timothy Rehbein

Sponsor: University of Wisconsin

Food Marketing Essentials: From Product to Profit

Project Director: Lisa Stout

Sponsor: Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection