

Come Grow With Us!

The 2-year program in Turfgrass Management prepares graduates for employment at golf courses, sport stadiums, school/college grounds, public parks, and with professional seed and sod producers, lawn/landscape companies, and turf product suppliers.

Learn by doing. Grow stress tolerant turfgrass, identify pests in managed landscapes, gain hands-on experience with turfgrass machinery and irrigation technologies.

Follow principles of integrated pest management to sustainably reduce diseases, insects, and weeds while promoting environmental stewardship. Manage a team of people and learn the fundamentals of turf businesses.

The Stockbridge degree is well known across the industry. Position yourself with the knowledge and skills that enable career advancement. Many of our alumni start their own companies and are hiring Stockbridge graduates.

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The Stockbridge Advantage

UMass is #1 in the USA for Agricultural Sciences—& the only US school in the global top 10 (*U.S. News & World Report*)

Hands-On Outdoor Education that goes beyond the classroom and appeals to physical learners

Small Class Sizes and 1-on-1 Advising keep you on track

3-Month Paid Internship In Your First Summer lets you graduate with work experience in your field

Stockbridge Alumni Manage the Turf You Know including top 100 U.S. golf courses, and MLB and NFL stadiums

High Wages & Job Growth await graduates in New England and around coastal cities (Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2022)

Tuition & Fees Are Free for Mass households under \$75k.



Sample Courses

See full courses and descriptions on our website!

Turfgrass Physiology

Insects of Landscapes

Turfgrass Pathology Lab

Summer Internship

Soil Science

Arboriculture

Weed Management

Irrigation Mgmt



Career Paths

Golf Course Superintendent

Sports Field Manager

Campus Facilities Crew

Parks and Recreation

Sports Field Builder

Irrigation Tech.

Lawncare Specialist

Equipment Mfg.

Product Sales

Business Owner