

Accelerated MS Sustainable Food Systems
Sample Schedule

The **MS in Sustainable Food Systems** is a 30-credit hour program consisting of the following 11 courses:

- 5 Food Systems Core Courses (SFS 562, SFS 560, SFS 564, SFS 565, SFS 566)
- 2 immersive experiences (SFS 561, SFS 563)
- 1 Sustainability Core Courses (SOS 509)
- 2 electives (student's choice)
- 1 Capstone (SFS 596)

Students accepted into the accelerated MS in Sustainable Food Systems take 12-credit hours of masters coursework (SFS 562, SFS 560, SFS 564, & SFS 565) while completing their BS in Sustainable Food Systems. The sample schedule below is the ideal course sequence.

2 Year Plan (2 classes per semester, 5-6 credits in 1st year)

Graduate in Summer of Year 2

Year 1- Overlap with BS in Sustainable Food Systems degree

<u>Fall</u>		<u>Spring</u>	<u>Summer</u>	
C		C	A	C
SFS 562: Managing Resources for Food Production (3 cr)		SFS 560: Tools and Tactics (3 cr)	SFS 564: American Agriculture in Global Context (3 cr)	SFS 565: Research Methods and Analysis (2 cr)
3 credit hours		3 credit hours	5 credit hours	

Year 2 - Full Master's Student

<u>Fall</u>			<u>Spring</u>			<u>Summer</u>
C	December	B	A	May	B	A
SFS 566: Applied Research Project(3 cr)	SFS 561 Food and Farms Immersive, AZ (2 cr)	500-level Elective** (3 cr)	SOS 509: Leading Sustainability Transitions(3 cr)	SFS 563: Applied Food Policy Immersion, DC (2 cr)	500-level Elective* (3 cr)	SFS 596: Capstone (3 cr)
8 credit hours			8 credits hours			3 credit hours