



Field Crops Webinar Series

Mondays, 7-8 pm ET, Feb 2 – Mar 23, 2026

Field Crop Webinar Series Information

Join the MSU Extension Field Crops Team with agriculture experts in this series of eight webinars. The theme for this year: **“Two for the Price of One – Conversations in Row Crop Agriculture.”** You will learn important information for the coming growing season from **TWO** presenters each night and have an opportunity to ask questions. Webinars will be archived for later viewing.

Cost is \$20 for the entire series or \$5 per webinar.

One Michigan pesticide recertification (RUP) credit (Core or Field Crops), except for Managing Crops in Variable Climate Conditions (2/2/26) and Interseeding Cover Crops (2/16/26), and one CEU for Certified Crop Advisers will be available for each **live** event.

For more information, contact the Clinton County Extension office at 989-224-5241 or walke628@msu.edu. Call by Jan. 20 to request accommodations for persons with disabilities.

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2/2/2026 (NO RUP CREDITS)	Managing Crops in Variable Climate Conditions - Jeff Andresen, MSU	Discuss how crop production management decisions vary as the weather patterns change and we have more extreme weather events.
2/9/2026	Planter Set-Up - Doug Houser & Austin Miller, Iowa State University	Discuss setting up planter to ensure uniform planting as well as making sure it is set up accurately for in-furrow pesticide applications.
2/16/2026 (NO RUP CREDITS)	Interseeding Cover Crops - Madelyn Celovsky, MSU, and Dan Smith, Wisconsin	Discuss the benefits and challenges of interseeding cover crops into standing crops.
2/23/2026	Insect Control: Insecticide Mode of Action - Dr. Chris DiFonzo, MSU	Discussion on the new Insect Guide which includes thresholds, insecticides and their modes of action and other management decisions.
3/2/2026	Hay Production and Weed Control - Dr. Kim Cassida & Dr. Erin Burns, MSU	Discuss hay management from planting to making decisions on management of hay and the potential issue of weed control using herbicides.
3/9/2026	Weed Control - Dr. Christy Sprague, MSU	Discuss weed control in various crops, including via herbicides.
3/16/2026	No-till Corn - Dr. Brook Wilke & Tyson Robbins, MSU	Discuss advantages and challenges of planting no-till corn. This includes discussing the management changes that may be needed to address the issues, including use of pesticides (treated seed etc).
3/23/2026	Drones: Spray Coverage, Flying Basics, Uses - Dr. John Fulton, Ohio State, & Dr. Simer Virk, Auburn	Discuss the basics of drone use in crop production, including spray coverage of pesticides by drones, basics of flying drones effectively and different ways to use drones within crop production.

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