Responding to risk requires developing strategies which combine different risk management tools as well as policies and programs to address constraints and broader issues that create the context in which risks occur. This course will present the role that major stakeholders in the agrifood system can play to design Agriculture Risk Management (ARM) strategies and make them effective and sustainable.

2 hours of learning, depending on learning needs

Available in English

You will learn about

- Describing an ARM strategy at farm, local and national level
- Comparing and selecting risk management tools to create ARM plans/strategies
- Explaining the roles and responsibilities of all the major stakeholders in formulating and implementing ARM strategies
- Understanding how information system, capacity development and mainstreaming can make ARM strategies effective and sustainable
Agricultural risk management and resilience

Who is the course for?
The target audience for this course includes:

- Farmers, farm management advisors, farmer organizations and communities;
- Policymakers and planners, and other government officials; and
- Service and input providers and other intermediaries dealing with agricultural risk management services.

Key partners
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