DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL LEADERSHIP, EDUCATION, AND COMMUNICATIONS

Overview

The Department of Agricultural Leadership, Education, and Communications (ALEC) includes a student-centered faculty and staff offering undergraduate and graduate degrees leading to professional careers. Undergraduate programs in ALEC offer a unique combination of practical, hands-on skills and the critical people skills required for success in today's fast-moving careers. ALEC graduates are uniquely equipped for leadership, education, communications, and training roles in the broad field of agricultural sciences and human performance in both domestic and international settings. ALEC offers four Bachelor of Science degrees: Agricultural Communications and Journalism, Agricultural Leadership and Development, Agricultural Science, and University Studies-Leadership Studies; and three minors: Agricultural Communications and Journalism, International Agricultural Development, and Leadership.

Majors

- Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Communications and Journalism (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-life-sciences/agricultural-leadership-education-communications/journalism-bs)
- Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Leadership and Development (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-life-sciences/agricultural-leadership-education-communications/leadership-development-bs)
- Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Science (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-life-sciences/agricultural-leadership-education-communications/agricultural-science-teaching-bs)
- Bachelor of Science in University Studies, Leadership Studies Concentration (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-life-sciences/agricultural-leadership-education-communications/leadership-studies-university-studies-bs)

Minors

- Agricultural Communications and Journalism Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-life-sciences/agricultural-leadership-education-communications/journalism-minor)
- International Agricultural Development Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-life-sciences/agricultural-leadership-education-communications/international-agricultural-development-minor)
- Leadership Minor (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/agriculture-life-sciences/agricultural-leadership-education-communications/leadership-minor)

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