

Ever wonder what soilborne pathogen do to your crops and profitability  
or how you can manage them on an as-needed basis?



# Identification, Assessment and Management of Soilborne Plant Pathogens in Vegetable Production Systems

**March 22, 2011**

**8:30 am to 4:30 pm**

**Saratoga County Cornell**

**Cooperative Extension Office**

**50 West High St.**

**Ballston Spa, NY 12020**

**<http://ccesaratoga.org>**

## **Workshop description:**

Through funding from the NE-SARE, this workshop has been designed to train participants throughout the Northeast in the identification, assessment and management of soilborne pathogens and to provide resources that can be used on-farm and in various outreach activities.

## **Who should participate?**

Growers, county extension educators, regional specialists, crop consultants, IPM practitioners and other agricultural service providers

## **Workshop facilitators:**

Beth Gugino – Penn State

George Abawi – Cornell University

Jim LaMondia – The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station

## **Topics to be covered:**

- Understanding pathogen biology & ecology
- How to identify soilborne diseases on major vegetable crops in the Northeast
- Methods for assessing soil pathogens and crop loss
- Disease management options

## **Participants will receive:**

- Lunch and breaks
- 3-ring binder of resources
- Trowels

## **Register early space is limited!**

**Cost is \$10 and pre-registration by  
March 12, 2012 is required!**

**To pre-register contact CCE in Rensselaer Co:  
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**<http://extension.psu.edu/vegetable-fruit>**