

# LandLearn Online PD

Engaging students in learning about Victorian scientists and sustainable agriculture related occupations



LandLearn is a Department of Primary Industries education program that encourages and supports the incorporation of studies about sustainable agriculture and natural resource management into schools' curricula.

The science of sustainable agriculture provides exciting opportunities for future study and careers that are challenging, rewarding and make an important difference in our community.

This **online session** will overview case studies of science-related occupations that are addressing issues of broad community concern such as: climate change, soil quality, pests and diseases, weeds, salinity and sustainable land management in Victoria. These case studies demonstrate how different approaches are being used to develop scientific knowledge and solve problems using innovative techniques and technologies.

Teachers participating in this session will be provided with hands-on ideas on how to engage their students in learning about science, the breadth of career opportunities available in the science and sustainable agriculture sector, and the relevance of science and agriculture to their own life.

**Date:** Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2010

**Time:** 3.50pm - 4.40pm

**Venue:** Any computer (The session will be held in Elluminate, a virtual meeting room hosted by the DEECD. All you need is a computer and an internet connection. A microphone/headset is optional.)

**Aimed at:** The Standards levels 4, 5 & 6 of Science but open to any interested teachers.

**Cost:** Free.

**How to register:** Fill in the registration form over the page or phone 5824 5523

**RSVP:** Monday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2010

**For more information contact LandLearn:**

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# Registration - Science Careers Online PD

## Registration for 19<sup>th</sup> August

(Registrations will be accepted until **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2010**)

**Please return this form or send us an email containing the details below.**

**Postal address:** LandLearn, DPI, Private Bag 1, Tatura 3616

**Email address:** [landlearn.program@dpi.vic.gov.au](mailto:landlearn.program@dpi.vic.gov.au)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year Level / Subjects: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Any other considerations/personal requirements (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

You will receive an email on **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> August** confirming your attendance and workshop details.

For more information on this workshop please call:  
Kathryn Manago – 9296 4745 or Sheree Burke – 5824 5523  
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