

<b>Title</b>	Organic farming		
<b>Code</b>	3OG55NAK06B		
<b>Prerequisites</b>	-		
<b>Description</b>	The aim of the course is to be familiar with the description, the principles, and the trends of organic farming and with the system of controlling, qualifying and certifying. Those important principles that regulate this farming system according to EU organic farming decrees will be discussed here. By presenting organic farming the examples of people and communities living energy-efficiently and in harmony with the environment will be introduced here in order to stimulate students to think about their lifestyle and future. The semester includes one day field excursion in an organically managed farm.		
<b>Lecturer</b>	Izóra Gál, Dr. Zita Szalai, Péter Pusztai, Dr. Anna Divéky-Ertsey, Krisztina Madaras		
<b>Semester</b>	5th, fall	<b>Contact hours/week</b>	0+3
<b>Level</b>	BSc	<b>ECTS</b>	3
<b>Teaching and Learning Methods:</b>			
<b>Reading:</b>	<b>Compulsory readings:</b> Lampkin N (1992): Organic Farming. Farming Press Books, Ipswich, UK Recommended readings: Mollison B: Permaculture manual handbook 2001 Tagari kiadó Ausztrália Mollison B. Introduction to permaculture (1991) Tagari kiadó Ausztrália Altieri M: Agroecology (1989) Cambridge University press Whitfield P: How to make a forest garden Permanent publications 1996		
<b>Assessment:</b>	2 written/oral exam		