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Swede midge and cabbage

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Urban Agriculture Pest Management Webinar Series

Starting Wednesday, January 10th, 2024
3 Wednesdays in a row
12 p.m. to 1 p.m. ET
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January 10th

Swede midge: an emerging invasive pest in Upper Midwest urban agriculture

Swede midge is an invasive pest specializing in brassica family crops. Swede midge is currently spreading across Canada and the Upper Midwest region of the U.S. In this webinar, we will cover current distribution, the pest's life cycle and damage symptoms, and management recommendations for small-scale and urban production systems.

Mary Rodgers
University of Minnesota

January 17th

Ethnic crops: opportunities and challenges

As the United States continues to diversify, so do the types of crops that people grow. In this webinar, Jacqueline will discuss niche crops that are gaining traction in mainstream markets and are already widely grown in some communities.

Jacqueline Kowalski
University of Connecticut

January 24th

Cover crops: how do they fit into Integrated Pest Management practices

Cover crops affect root diseases, weeds, soil fertility, and factors that contribute to overall soil health. In this webinar, Fernanda will discuss the benefits of cover crops to surrounding crops and soils and how these valuable crops tie in with the larger picture of integrated pest management.

Fernanda Krupek
Ohio State University

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