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**Melbourne School of
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SUSTAINABLE SOURCING IN FOOD AND FIBRE

The University of Melbourne, along with co-design partner SAI Platform Australia, will be launching a new micro-credential in August 2022. This new Melbourne MicroCert will be a 6-week online program, spanning a total of 40 hours which includes up to 8 hours of contact learning, self-paced reading, and assessment which earns the participant a shareable digital competency badge. This equates to ¼ of a University of Melbourne subject and can be used towards a pathway of further learning.

Understand sustainable sourcing principles and concepts

The Melbourne MicroCert will equip individuals and businesses involved in food and fibre production with the skills and knowledge required to understand and apply sustainable sourcing along supply chains in an environment where there is increasing demand for sustainable products and services.

Topics likely to be covered within this Melbourne MicroCert are:

- Key sustainable food and fibre concepts
- International trends and drivers of sustainable sourcing
- Systems for demonstrating sustainable sourcing
- Developing sustainable sourcing policies and practices
- Identifying and selecting between alternative sustainable sourcing systems
- Practical case studies of sustainable food and fibre sourcing

With direct access to world leading subject experts, you will benefit from our industry relevant knowledge, enabling you to make informed choices using sustainable principles and concepts.

Melbourne MicroCerts are the University of Melbourne's unique microcredential offering. These are small, industry-aligned and highly accessible courses designed to help you upskill quickly.

Developed specifically for professionals, Melbourne MicroCerts are underpinned by our cutting-edge research and world class pedagogical practice. Many Melbourne MicroCerts are also designed to stack and may be used as credit towards a University of Melbourne qualification

To express your interest in the sustainable sourcing for food and fibre micro-credential, please contact: Jane McAlear, Senior BD Manager, Melbourne School of Professional and Continuing Education, E: jane.mcalear@unimelb.edu.au