

Adopting Precision Technology in Agriculture

Further Information

Course Details

Closing Date for Applications: 30th December 2019

Interview date: 9th January 2020

Applicants can be farmers, farm managers or others involved in agribusiness sectors with a minimum of 5 year's experience. Applications for the course must be completed on the Application Form and received by Harper Adams no later than 31st July 2019. Interviews will be held by invitation at Harper Adams University on Thursday 12th September 2019. The awards for places on the course will be made within 2 weeks of the interviews. The course will take place at Harper Adams University in Shropshire and our nominated University in the Netherlands. Participation in the course requires commitment to full attendance of the individual three week residential programme.

Course Dates

Week 1 – Week commencing – Monday 3rd February 2020 (HAU)

Week 2 –Week commencing – Monday 27th April 2020 (Netherlands Trip)

Week 3 – Week commencing – Monday 22nd June 2020 (HAU)

Note: All weeks start on the Sunday evening prior to the Monday start. The course runs for a full 5 days.

Course Fee & Funding

Due to invaluable sponsorship from the NFU Mutual, the cost of the 2019 course has been reduced from £5,200 to **£4,000** per delegate. This includes accommodation, breakfast and dinner, flights to the Netherlands and course tuition and materials. (Drinks and other meals required while travelling are not included). If assistance for the course cost, over and above personal or business funding, is required the Farmers Livery Company can provide on request sources of sponsorship and bursaries. If there are additional costs for your business while attending the course the same sources of sponsorship and bursaries may be able to help. Ultimately, the Company will offer assistance where appropriate as it does not seek to exclude candidates on the basis of ability of pay.

Please see <https://farmerslivery.org.uk/our-courses/sponsorship-and-funding>

Application Process

The Application form once complete should be emailed to apta@harper-adams.ac.uk by 30th December 2019. • A short biography of approx. 250 words and a digital passport-style photograph of the applicant should be submitted with the application form and the requested 500-word composition. Paper or handwritten forms **will not** be accepted.