

# Level 1- Introduction to Viticulture

## 2017-2018 REGISTRATION FORM

# LAEP

Latino Agricultural Education  
Program for Viticulture

*Offered, in partnership, by Wenatchee Valley College, the Washington Winegrowers Association, and Yakima Valley Community College*

The goal of LAEP is to equip Latino employees in the wine and grape industry with the technical expertise that will allow them to advance and flourish within their profession. This course is designed for Latino employees in the field of viticulture. Taught in Spanish, the course emphasizes technical English wine terminology. The curriculum introduces students to the “whys” of the many production and management practices of wine grapes and their juices. Topics include wine industry historical perspectives, vine physiology, canopy management, soils, irrigation, nutrition, thinning, harvest, wine, marketing, and vineyard management. Students participate in at least one industry field trip.

**REQUIREMENTS** Basic English conversational skills and some ability to read and write in Spanish. Regular attendance is required. Students (and their employers) must be committed to employee’s attendance to all classes.

**LOCATION** Yakima Valley Community College, Grandview Campus

**SCHEDULE** Every Friday from November 3 through March 16, with a break in December.

**INSTRUCTORS** Leo Garcia and Francisco Sarmiento of Wenatchee Valley College

**FEE** \$325 per person to cover field trips, books, and related expenses. This fee *includes* attendance at the Spanish language session during the February 2018 Winegrowers Convention. *Wenatchee Valley College covers the \$1,800.00 college tuition fee.*

**REGISTRATION** To register for this course, complete this form and send to Washington Winegrowers or contact our office at 509-782-8234. *Class size is limited to the first 30 paid registrants.*

**NOTE** College registration forms from Wenatchee Valley College will ask if the student is a citizen. If not, a copy of the Alien Registration form is required.

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**PAYMENT** Number of students \_\_\_\_\_ x \$325 = **Total amount due** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

My check made payable to Washington Winegrowers is enclosed

I would like to pay with a credit card, please call me for card information.

\*Payments must be received by **October 24**. Cancellation requested prior to October 24 can be refunded less at 20% processing fee.

\*Please complete the below information for the **billing** contact for registered students. Student information is on page 2 of this form

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**Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

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*\*print additional pages to register more students.*