Basic business literacy can benefit all graduates, whatever their field or intended career may be. When entering the professional world, CALS students increasingly encounter situations that require an understanding of basic business and management concepts. The certificate in business management for agricultural and life sciences can provide students the business skills that employers value.

The certificate offers students in the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences (CALS) the opportunity to gain business knowledge and have it recorded on their transcript. The certificate is designed specifically for students intending to pursue careers in agriculture and life sciences, and enrollment is open only to undergraduates currently enrolled in CALS. This professional credential is offered by the Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics, the Department of Life Sciences Communication, and the Renk Agribusiness Institute.