

OSU BREWERY START-UP WORKSHOP SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT ANNOUNCED



The PBS Scholarship Selection Committee (SSC) and Oregon State University are proud to announce Meagan Hatfield of Portland, Oregon as the recipient of our first PBS-OSU partnered scholarship. Meagan is a partner in the future Wingnut Brewing Company. She and her partner have already purchased their 7-barrel brewery and are looking for a location to lease.

The SSC says, "All seven of the applicants were very competent and each deserved a scholarship, but Meagan was the standout. She has demonstrated her commitment to her longtime dream of owning and operating a brewpub by doing her research and crafting her rough draft business plan. With a university degree in Biology and a Senior Project in brewing water chemistry, plus professional experience as a

Lab Tech at Wyeast Labs, Meagan has the technical background to ensure her success as Lead Brewer at her future brewpub. This course will connect Meagan with the business expertise she needs to refine her business plan and source capital for the build-out. Plus it will provide her with resources and connections to help her grow the business."

You can learn more about OSU's Craft Brewery Start-Up Workshop or register for it yourself here: <https://pne.oregonstate.edu/catalog/craft-brewery-startup-workshop>.

In addition to tuition and a \$1,000 travel expense stipend for this course, Meagan will receive a pair of steel-toe pink rubber boots when she fulfills her Pay It Forward requirement. Here is the link in case you want a pair for yourself: <http://www.magidglove.com/Onward-Industries-Lady-Monarch-53606-Pink-14-PVC-Work-Boots-with-Steel-Toe.aspx>.

Meagan is hoping to fulfill her "Pay It Forward" requirement of sharing her educational experience by moderating a Brewpub Start-up Panel at the 2014 Craft Brewers Conference in Denver, Colorado. Her future brewery's website is not yet up, but once it is you will be able to follow Wingnut's progress at www.wingnutbrewing.com.



We thank everyone involved with Pink Boots Society scholarship program. It was a rewarding and experience for us. Please stay tuned for other new scholarships that we are working to set up and administer. We appreciate your support!

The advertisement features the Oregon State University logo on the left in white on an orange background. In the center, the text "Northwest Beer Sessions" is displayed above a photograph of brewery equipment. Below the photo, the words "Sensory. Industry. Craft." are written. On the right, there is a close-up image of hops. At the bottom, a list of course topics is provided, followed by the website "pne.oregonstate.edu/beer".

Register now for courses in:

- Brewing Analytics
- Sensory Analysis
- Craft Brewery Startup
- Beer Proficiency

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