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The DPM Program is an Interdisciplinary
Doctoral Degree and faculty from the following
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Agronomy; Entomology and Nematology;
Environmental Horticulture; Horticultural
Sciences; Plant Pathology; and the School of
Forest Resources and Conservation.

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Mission
The mission of the University of Florida, DPM Program is to provide premier professional doctoral training for plant scientists. Our graduates are important team members and leaders in industry, the private sector, government, and academia.

Diagnostic Observers Collaborating to Obtain Real Solutions
The professional Plant Doctor (DPM/H) programs prepare students for real-world, interdisciplinary agricultural and plant health jobs. Students entering the professional Plant Doctor program need a strong scientific background (BS) in the biological or agricultural sciences. Intensive agricultural production knowledge is not necessary prior to entering the DPM program, but a passion for learning is an essential ingredient to success.

Key University of Florida/IFAS departments or units involved in mentoring and instructing students include:

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