Red Blotch Disease is an increasing concern for many vineyards in Oregon and across the US. This workshop will cover recent research information about Red Blotch Disease. Presentations will cover results of Oregon-based studies investigating potential insect vectors, how the virus affects grapevine physiology, vineyard management practices to ameliorate virus effects, and effects on wine quality. A technical wine tasting will be included to show sensory impacts.

This event will provide licensed ODA Pesticide Applicators with 4 recertification credits.

**Audience:** Commercial wine grape growers/winemakers  
**Location:** Chemeketa Wine Studies Center, Bldg 1, 215 Doaks Ferry Rd NW, Salem, OR, [map](#)  
**Time:** Nov. 20, 10:00 am – 3:30 pm, lunch will be provided

**Schedule**

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| 10:00 – 10:10 | **Introductions**  
*Dr. Patty Skinkis, Viticulture Extension Specialist & Professor, OSU* |
| 10:10 – 10:45 | **Red Blotch Disease Epidemiology in Oregon**  
*Dr. Bob Martin, Research Plant Pathologist, USDA, Corvallis, OR* |
| 10:45 – 11:20 | **Sampling for Red Blotch Disease and Vineyard Epidemiology**  
*Dr. Achala KC, Assistant Professor of Plant Pathology, OSU (SOREC)* |
| 11:20 – 11:55 | **Impacts of Vineyard Management on Red Blotch Disease – Part I**  
*Dr. Alexander Levin, Assistant Professor of Viticulture, OSU (SOREC)* |
| 11:55 – 12:25 | Lunch |
| 12:25 – 1:00 | **Impacts of Vineyard Management on Red Blotch Disease – Part II**  
*Cody Copp, Graduate Research Assistant, OSU (SOREC)* |
| 1:00 – 1:35 | **Symptoms and Physiological Effects of Red Blotch Disease in the Willamette Valley**  
*Dr. Patty Skinkis, Viticulture Extension Specialist & Professor, OSU* |
| 1:35-1:45 | Break |
| 1:45 – 2:30 | **Insect Vector Research Findings across Oregon** (15 min each)  
*Rick Hilton, Entomology Faculty Research Assistant, OSU (SOREC)*  
*Danny Dalton, Graduate Research Assistant, OSU*  
*Dr. Bob Martin, Research Plant Pathologist, USDA-ARS, Corvallis, OR* |
| 2:30 – 3:15 | **Red Blotch Disease Wine Production Research & Technical Wine Tasting**  
*Dr. James Osborne, Extension Enologist & Associate Professor, OSU* |
| 3:15 -3:30 | Open Q&A |