

# HORTICULTURALIST

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*“I firmly believe that the important thing to understand is that there's something for everyone in STEM. Everyone can contribute to STEM. You should have confidence in what you bring to the table.”*

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Kate Evans is a horticulturist, fruit breeder, and professor at Washington State University. Based out of Wenatchee, Kate teaches and conducts research in the Department of Horticulture at the WSU Tree Fruit Research and Extension Center in Wenatchee, WA.

**FUN FACT:** Kate's team at WSU released the new Cosmic Crisp® apple three years ago, and it's had a phenomenal level of interest across the world.

