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Department
of Botany

Botany is...

... identifying and breeding crops to tolerate climate change and feed humanity

With a degree in Botany, you'll learn techniques for plant breeding (from the modern to the ancient) and how biotechnology can be used to create crops that need less fertiliser, can tolerate a changing climate, and contain more nutrients to feed humanity.

Otago offers NZ's only degree in Botany



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