There's a new Illinois PSM program in the line-up for fall 2011: Technical Systems Management (TSM).

The TSM master's degree program is designed to prepare you for technical and leadership careers in agricultural and biological systems management.

The program will equip you with the advanced knowledge, abilities, and skills to apply physical and natural sciences to solve some of the world's most pressing problems.

Students may focus on one or more of the following specialties, depending on their interests and objectives:

- construction management,
- environmental systems,
- mechanization, marketing and technology management systems,
- production systems, or
- renewable energy systems.

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