



# Shiela Mae T. Sarco

Registered Agriculturist

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## About Me

A professional agriculturist who worked as a researcher in the Department of Agriculture Region 8, an extensionist in ATI-RTC 8 and an educator in Visayas State University. She is reliable and ready to learn and expand her knowledge and skills in agriculture.

## Skills

- Effective English communication skills
- Computer literacy
- Microsoft skills (Word, Excel, Powerpoint)
- Video recording and editing skills
- Record keeping and organization
- Sports (Chess, Frisbee, Volleyball)
- Arts (Dancing, Singing, Sketching)

## Education

- **Bachelor of Science in Agriculture**  
*ATI-RTC 8 Scholar, 2016-2019*  
*Visayas State University, 2014-2019*  
Thesis: Agronomic and Yield Response of Black Rice to Different Levels of Nitrogen Application
- **Master of Science in Agronomy minor in Soil Science**  
*DOST-ASTHRDP Scholar, 2020-2022*  
*Visayas State University, 2019-2022*  
Thesis: Effects of Timing and Combination of Organic Fertilizer Application on the Growth, Yield and Sensory Attributes of Black Rice (*Oryza sativa* L.)

## Work Experience

- **Part-time Instructor - 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Sem: SY 2024-2025**  
*Department of Agronomy, VSU Main Campus*  
Served as a part-time lecturer and laboratory instructor in the University for the School Year 2024-2025 with courses handled focusing on history of agriculture, crop production, water and irrigation, management and farm mechanization.
- **Technical Support Staff - July 2023- August 2024**  
*Agricultural Training Institute-Regional Training Institute 8*  
Facilitated training on Rice Production and Mechanization, Coconut Production and Management, Free-Ranged Chicken Production, Urban Gardening and Business Planning for Organic Agriculture. Also served as Resource Person on topics capable of.
- **Science Research Specialist - Nov.-Dec 2022; March-April 2023; June 2023**  
*Department of Agriculture-Regional Field Office 8*  
Conducted farmer's profiling and market survey, submitted Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) report, assisted in the conduct of Farmer Field School and farm visits to farmer beneficiaries of the Yamang Lupa Program in Abuyog and Javier, Leyte
- **Graduate Teaching Assistant - 1<sup>st</sup> Sem: SY 2019-2020**  
*Department of Agronomy, VSU Main Campus*  
Served as laboratory instructor in the University during the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of SY 2019-2020 with a course handled focusing crop production.

## References

### Maria Helen P. Seco

Retired CDMO II, ATI-RTC 8

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### Junalyn F. Palco

Training Specialist I

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