Growing Local is a short series by Maine Farmland Trust about small farms and the uncertain fate of the local food movement. The series weaves together three separate but connected stories to create a coherent narrative about local food and local farms. The goal of the project is to help fellow Mainers, and hopefully others around the country, better understand the agrarian landscape surrounding us and the important role it plays in growing community as well as food. The filmmakers hope to inspire viewers to actively seek out local foods for their own health, the health of their communities and that of the planet.

Panel moderated by Shannon Grimes ’14, Maine Farmland Trust:

Kristin Pierson
Apprentice,
Crystal Spring Farm

Tristan Noyes ’05
GroMaine Aroostock County

Sarah Wiederkehr
Winterhill Farm

Get dinner ‘through the line’ and eat in Daggett Lounge, watch the film (starting at 6:30) and participate in conversation with tablemates and local farmers.

- Open to students with board plan and guests at Polar Plus Rates -

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