



# Distillery Startup Workshop

## Class Location

Distillery Startup Workshop will be held on the Oregon State University campus in [Wiegand \(Wgnd\) Hall](#), room number 238.

The best way to get around campus is walking, biking, [public transit](#), or driving to campus. Parking permits are required between 7:00 am and 5:00 pm, Monday – Friday, and on occasional weekend days, particularly during football season. [Visit us online for more information about parking.](#)

## Class Agenda

### Day 1 - Making new spirit

930	Introductions and welcome
1000	Diversity of spirits
1100	Coffee
1115	Making alcohol for distillation
1300	Lunch
1400	Alcohol-water mixtures
1530	Tea
1545	Botanical spirits
1645	Final thoughts
1700	Close

### Day 2 - Finishing products

1000	Review of day 1
1015	Equipment and layout
1130	Coffee
1145	Downstream modification
1300	Lunch
1400	Proofing alcohol: TTB requirements
1500	Tea
1515	Lab session I: Proofing alcohol for gin production
1615	Botanicals selection for gin
1700	Close

### Day 3 - Final products

1000	Review of day 2
1015	Analysis and legal compliance

1130 Coffee  
1115 Lab session II: gin production  
1300 Lunch  
1400 Lab session III: proofing gin  
1445 Tea  
1545 Sensory evaluation of gins  
1645 Review of day  
1700 Close

**Day 4 - The spirits business**

1000 What we've covered so far  
1030 Product definitions  
1100 Coffee  
1115 Licensing and permits  
1230 Lunch  
1330 Business models for spirits  
1430 New product development  
1600 Round table: Q&A  
1700 Close

**Contact**

If you have any questions regarding the class or your time in Corvallis, please don't hesitate to contact OSU Professional and Continuing Education at 541-737-4197 or [PACE@oregonstate.edu](mailto:PACE@oregonstate.edu).