Partnerships to support sustainable cereal production in the PNW

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lthough REACCH is a very large transdisciplinary project, Awe are benefitting from and contributing to many sorts of collaboration with other projects (Figure 1), and we depend upon support from institutions in the PNW. As the REACCH project matures, it seeks to provide a model for continued coordinated collaboration to address the sustainability of our cereal systems, not only within the geographic footprint of REACCH, but across our three states. REACCH and other federally funded projects will end, but our universities, USDA Long-term Agro-Ecosystem Research (LTAR) sites, USDA Climate Hub and anticipated new sources of federal funding can and should continue to work in a collaborative framework to ensure research, education and extension are efficient, coordinated and impactful. In the following section of this report, many of these key partners have provided overviews of their work and how it connects with REACCH now and as part of future efforts.



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Figure 1. A schematic showing how REACCH and other projects and activities throughout the northwest are all potential components of a cohesive long-term collaborative network that supports sustainable cereal grain production systems of the PNW.

