

Michael O’Gorman

Michael has been a leading organic farmer for over forty years. In 1990-1995 he served as Production Manager for TKO Farms, where he pioneered the large scale production of baby salad greens. In 1996 he became the first Farm Manager for Mission Organics, managing the growing for the Earthbound Farms label. And in 1998 he became Founder and President of *Agroproductos Del Cabo*, where he oversaw 2500 acres of tomatoes, basil and mixed vegetables in Baja California for the US market. Michael is the Executive Director of the Farmer Veteran Coalition (FVC) which has been at the forefront of efforts to connect military veterans with careers in agriculture. FVC honors the farming path of each individual veteran and equally supports employment and self-employment.