Thanks to the model developed by Carah, the Wuxi county (Chongqing) has become a reference in China regarding Potato Late Blight control.
The CARAH is a non-profit organization of agricultural services in the Province of Hainaut.

The potato production in the Hainaut province is very important with 80000 Ha cultivated. From 1980 to 2015 yield increased from an average of 35 T/Ha to 50 T/Ha.

Because of the importance of potato in the province, Carah has a long experience with this crop. The services for potato farmers include:

- An efficient and personalized Potato Late Blight warning system
- Soil analysis and fertilization advices
- Follow up of the storage conditions
- Weed control and pest control advice
- Varietal trials

Great results in the Wuxi County, CQ

A long and successful collaboration with the Wuxi county. Carah experts train local technicians each year since 2000. This lead to:

- The creation of an advanced Potato Late Blight warning system. Important increase of yield.
- A seed potato company with 10 millions mini tubers / year
- The construction of a modern storage facility

Training classes

The training classes organized by Carah aim to be practical and to have direct application in the field in order to durably increase yield. They include farm visits and field exercises.

We have experience in training in:

- Disease control, especially PLB
- Potato physiology
- Potato storage
- Fertilization
- Weed control

Facilities

Carah has a pedagogical farm with modern classrooms. Nearby potato fields can be used for practical training. A guesthouse is located on the farm, where trainees can conveniently be accommodated.

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