

Monday, December 2nd

- 8:00 – 9:00: Registration
- 9:00 – 12:00: Irrigation Symposium
Dr. Jason Krutz – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
Dr. Darrin Dodds – MSU Extension Service
Dr. Trent Irby – MSU Extension Service
Dr. Erick Larson – MSU Extension Service
Dr. Joe Massey – MSU Dept. of Plant and Soil Sciences
Dr. Tim Walker – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
Dr. Earl Vories – USDA – ARS Portageville, MO
Mr. Mike Dee – Dee River Ranch
Mr. C. Douglas Simmons III – Simmons Planting Co.
- 12:00 – 1:00: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering Service
- 1:00 – 1:30: Insect Threshold Changes in MS Row Crops
Dr. Fred Musser – MSU Dept. of Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Entomology, & Plant Pathology
- 1:30 – 2:00: Diamide Insecticide Use and Performance
Dr. Jeff Gore – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
- 2:00 – 2:30: Kudzu Bug Management in Soybean
Dr. Phillip Roberts – University of Georgia
- 2:30 – 2:45: Break
- 2:45 – 3:15: Performance of Cotton Seed Treatments
Dr. Scott Stewart – Univ. of Tennessee
- 3:15 – 3:45: Guidelines for Insect Management in Grain Sorghum
Dr. Angus Catchot – MSU Extension Service
- 3:45 – 4:15: Management of Spider Mites in the Mid-South and Changes in Susceptibility
Mr. Sebe Brown – LSU AgCenter
- 4:15 – 4:45: Impact of Corn Seed Treatments and In-Furrow Sprays on Yield
Dr. Don Cook – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Service
- 4:45 – 5:00: Sponsor Updates
- 5:00 Adjourn
- 6:00 – 10:00: Social Mixer with Catfish Dinner
Hilton Garden Inn
975 Highway 12 East; Starkville, MS

Tuesday, December 3rd

- 8:00 – 8:30: Implementation of Chicken Litter as Part of a Total Fertility Program
Dr. Nathan Slaton – University of Arkansas
- 8:30 – 9:00: Precision Fertilizer Application and Placement
Dr. Bobby Golden – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
- 9:00 – 9:30: Nitrogen Fertility in Cotton
Dr. Darrin Dodds – MSU Extension Service
- 9:30 – 10:00: Improving Profitability Through Irrigation Efficiency
Dr. Jason Krutz- MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
- 10:00 – 10:15: Break
- 10:15 – 10:45: Corn Management: What Makes it Yield?
Dr. Erick Larson
- 10:45 – 11:15: Burndown Programs for Mississippi Crops
Dr. Tom Eubank – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
- 11:15 – 12:00: Star Wars Comes to Row Crop Agriculture: How RNAi Technology Will Impact Your Farm
Dr. Laura Grapes – Monsanto Company
- 12:00 – 1:00: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering Service
- 1:00 – 2:30: On-Target Application Academy
- 2:30 – 2:45: Break
- 2:45 – 3:15: Spray Tank Cleanout and Effect of Spray Hose Material on Spray Contamination
Dr. Daniel Reynolds – MSU Dept. of Plant & Soil Sciences
- 3:15 – 3:45: Use of Harvest Aids/Desiccants in Soybean
Dr. Trent Irby – MSU Extension Service
- 3:45 – 4:15: Glyphosate-Resistant Weeds In Mississippi
Dr. Jason Bond – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
- 4:15 – 4:45: Managing Frogeye Leafspot in Soybean
Dr. Tom Allen – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
- 4:45 – 5:00: Introduction of the New MSU Peanut Specialist
Dr. Jason Sarver
- 6:00 – 10:00: Steak and Shrimp Dinner and Social Event
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Wednesday, December 4th

- 8:00 – 9:00: Fertility Issues Associated with Crop Rotation Systems in the Mid-South
Dr. Steve Phillips- International Plant Nutrition Institute
- 9:00 – 9:30: Disease and Nematode Management in Mississippi Row Crops
Dr. Tom Allen – MSU Delta Research & Ext. Center
- 9:30 – 10:00: Disease Management in Peanut Production
Dr. Allen Henn – MSU Dept. of Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Entomology, & Plant Pathology
- 10:00 – 10:15: Break
- 10:15 – 10:45: Utilization of Grain Drying Systems in MS Agriculture
Dr. Jason Ward – MSU Dept. of Ag. & Bio. Engineering
- 10:45 – 11:30: Managing Soil and Land Resources for the Critters
Mr. Bobby Cole – Mossy Oak
- 11:30 – 12:00: Managing for Trophy Deer in Mississippi
Dr. Bronson Strickland – MSU Dept. of Wildlife, Fisheries, and Aquaculture
- 12:00: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering Service
- Consultant's License Renewal For:**
- Entomology**
- Plant Pathology**
- Weed Control**
- Pesticide Applicator Re-Certification for the Following:**
- Category 1A – Agricultural Pest Control – Plant**
- Category 10 – Research and Demonstration Pest Cont.**
- Certified Crop Advisor CEU Availability (Applied For):**
- Pest Management – 4.5**
- Crop Management – 6.0**
- Nutrient Management – 3.0**
- Soil and Water – 3.5**

