

## Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup>

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- 8:00 – 9:00: Registration
- 9:00 – 12:00: Fertility Symposium  
*Mr. Peyton Harper – The Fertilizer Institute*  
*Topic: Environmental Stewardship Using the 4R's*  
*Dr. Ron Olsen – Mosaic Company*  
*Topic: Nutrient Removal Trends in Agronomic Crops*  
*Dr. Jac Varco – Mississippi State University*  
*Topic: Cover Crops and What They Mean to Mississippi Producers*  
*Dr. Larry Oldham – Mississippi State University*  
*Topic: Fact vs. Fiction: Using Poultry Litter in Crop Production*
- 12:00 – 1:00: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering Service
- 1:00 – 1:30: Managing Insect Pest of Soybean to Maximize Profit  
*Dr. Angus Catchot – Mississippi State University*
- 1:30 – 2:00: Pollinator Update & Impact on Freedom to Operate  
*Dr. Don Parker – National Cotton Council*
- 2:00 – 2:30: Insect Management in Peanuts and Rice  
*Dr. Jeff Gore – Mississippi State University*
- 2:30 – 2:45: Break
- 2:45 – 3:15: Minimizing Potential Yield Loss and Managing Risk from Insect Pests of Corn  
*Dr. Don Cook – Mississippi State University*
- 3:15 – 3:45: Successfully Growing Grain Sorghum in the Presence of Sugarcane Aphids in Mississippi  
*Dr. Angus Catchot – Mississippi State University*
- 3:45 – 4:15: Bollworms in Dual Gene Cotton: Expectations and Management Decisions  
*Dr. Jeff Gore – Mississippi State University*
- 4:15 – 4:45: Seed Treatment Use Strategies in the Mid-South  
*Dr. Scott Stewart – University of Tennessee*
- 4:45 – 5:00: Sponsor Updates
- 5:00 Adjourn
- 6:00 – 10:00: Social Mixer with Catfish Dinner  
*Hilton Garden Inn*

## Tuesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>

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- 8:00 – 8:30: Glyphosate-Resistant Weed Monitoring and Management  
*Dr. Larry Steckel – University of Tennessee*
- 8:30 – 9:00: Soil Type and Irrigation Effects on Herbicide Activation  
*Dr. Jason Bond – Mississippi State University*
- 9:00 – 9:30: Application Requirements for Enlist and Xtend Cropping Systems  
*Dr. Dan Reynolds – Mississippi State University*
- 9:30 – 10:00: Farming From Space: Pro's and Con's of Big Data Collection  
*Mr. Will Scott – Cresco LLC.*
- 10:00 – 10:15: Break
- 10:15 - 10:45: Soybean Variety Placement and Harvest Aid Timing  
*Dr. Trent Irby – Mississippi State University*
- 10:45 – 11:15: Peanuts in Mississippi – What We Learned in 2014  
*Dr. Jason Sarver – Mississippi State University*
- 11:15 – 12:00: Methods to Mitigate Impact of Wet Feet on Corn Production  
*Dr. Erick Larson – Mississippi State University*
- 12:00 – 1:00: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering Service
- 1:00 – 1:30: Precision Agriculture: Impacts on My Farm  
*Mr. Darrington Seward – Seward and Sons Planting Co.*
- 1:30 – 2:00: Implementing Emerging Technology At Silent Shade Planting Company  
*Mr. Jeremy Jack and Trey Koger – Silent Shade Planting Co.*
- 2:00 – 2:30: How Technology Has Improved My Bottom Line  
*Mr. Judd Davis – Longhorn Farms*
- 2:30 – 2:45: Break
- 2:45 – 3:45: GMO's: Truths & Misconceptions  
*Dr. Hope Hart – Syngenta Crop Protection*
- 3:45 – 4:15: Improving Profit with Increased Irrigation Efficiency  
*Dr. Jason Krutz – Mississippi State University*
- 4:15 – 4:45: Fertility Considerations Headed Into 2015  
*Dr. Bobby Golden – Mississippi State University*
- 4:45 – 5:15: Cotton Irrigation Management and Agronomics  
*Dr. Darrin Dodds – Mississippi State University*
- 6:00 – 10:00: Steak and Shrimp Dinner and Social Event  
*Hilton Garden Inn*

## Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>

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- 8:00 – 8:30: Bureau of Plant Industry Report  
*Mr. John Gordon Campbell*
- 8:30 – 9:00: Cercospora Blight in Soybean: A Cause for Concern?  
*Dr. Trey Price – LSU AgCenter*
- 9:00 – 9:30: Peanut: Rots and Spots and Wilts! Oh My!  
*Dr. Alan Henn – Mississippi State University*
- 9:30 – 10:00: Occurrence and Management of Frogeye Leaf Spot in Soybean  
*Dr. Tom Allen – Mississippi State University*
- 10:00 – 10:15: Break
- 10:15 – 10:45: Row Crops Economic Update  
*Dr. Larry Falconer – Mississippi State University*
- 10:45 – 11:30: Producer Participation in the 2014 Farm Bill  
*Dr. Keith Coble – Mississippi State University*
- 11:30 – 12:00: Integrated Wild Pig Control  
*Mr. Rod Pinkston – Jager Pro LLC*
- 12:00: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering Service

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### Consultant's License Renewal For:

**Entomology**

**Plant Pathology**

**Weed Control**

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### Pesticide Applicator Re-Certification for the Following:

**Category 1A – Agricultural Pest Control – Plant**

**Category 10 – Research and Demonstration Pest Cont.**

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### Certified Crop Advisor CEU Availability:

**Pest Management – 5**

**Crop Management – 6.0**

**Nutrient Management – 3.5**

**Soil and Water – 2.5**

**Professional Development: 1.0**

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 Steyer Seeds  
 Syngenta Crop Protection  
 United Phosphorus, Inc.  
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