

# Regional Conservation Finance Ag Educator Training

September 16-17, 2024

Arlington Agricultural Research Station, Arlington, Wisconsin

## Agenda

Monday September 16, 2024

*Please note, all sessions for Monday, September 16<sup>th</sup> will take place at Arlington Agricultural Research Station located at N695 Hopkins Road in Arlington, Wisconsin*

Time	Program
11:00AM	Workshop Welcome
11:10 – 12:00PM	Economics of Regenerative Agriculture: A Holistic Approach  <i>Jeff Hadachek, Assistant Professor in Agricultural and Applied Economics, UW-Madison</i>
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Economics of Nutrient Management  <i>Paul Mitchell, Professor of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Extension State Specialist, and Director of the Renk Agribusiness Institute, UW-Madison</i>
1:00 – 1:30PM	LUNCH
1:30 – 2:30PM	The Economics of Reduced Tillage and Cover Crops: Exploring Aggregated Data  <i>Micheal Langemeier, Associate Director for the Center for Commercial Agriculture and Professor of Agricultural Economics, Purdue University</i>
2:30 – 3:00PM	SHARE: Soil Health Alliance for Research and Engagement  <i>Ashley Waggoner, Engagement Coordinator for the Soil Health Alliance for Research and Engagement (SHARE) and Soil Scientist, US Dairy Forage Research Center</i>
3:00PM	BREAK
3:15 – 4:00PM	Connecting Soil Health to Economics: A Look at Balancing Farm Goals  <i>Micheal Langemeier, Associate Director for the Center for Commercial Agriculture and Professor of Agricultural Economics, Purdue University</i>
4:00 – 5:00PM	Tips and Tricks for Working with Farmers on Economics  <i>Serge Koenig, Conservation Technician, Sauk County Land Resources and Environment Department, and Connor Laukant, Laukant Farms</i>
5:00 – 5:45PM	BREAK AND DINNER
5:45 – 6:15PM	Wisconsin's Producer-Led Watershed Protection Program  <i>Dani Heisler, Producer-Led Program Manager, Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection</i>
6:15 – 7:00PM	Producer Panel and Group Dinner

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Time	Program	Location
7:30AM	Bus departs Arlington Ag Research Station	N695 Hopkins Road Arlington, WI
8:00AM	Arrive at US Dairy Forage Research Farm in Prairie du Sac	S8046 US-12, North Freedom, WI 53951
8:00 – 10:30AM	Tour of US Dairy Forage Research Farm	S8046 US-12, North Freedom, WI 53951
10:30AM	Bus departs US Dairy Forage Research Farm	S8046 US-12, North Freedom, WI 53951
10:45AM	Arrive at Schoepp Farm Sauk Pasture	Sauk City, WI
10:45 – 11:30AM	Tour of Sauk Pasture	Sauk City, WI
11:30AM	Bus departs Sauk Pasture	Sauk City, WI
12:00PM	Arrive at Schoepp Home Farm in Lodi	E Harmon Rd, Lodi, WI
12:00 – 1:00PM	Lunch at Schoepp Home Farm	E Harmon Rd, Lodi, WI
1:00 – 3:00PM	Tour of Schoepp Home Farm	E Harmon Rd, Lodi, WI
3:00PM	Bus departs Schoepp Home Farm	E Harmon Rd, Lodi, WI
3:30PM	Arrive back at Arlington Ag Research Station	N695 Hopkins Road Arlington, WI

All times are listed in central times. Please note, all meals noted are provided. Times are subject to change ahead of the meeting.



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