

Montana Agriculture: Global Trade to Local Foods



9:00 - 9:30	Registration
9:30 – 9:40	Welcome Jeff Bader, <i>Director of Extension</i> MSU Extension
9:45 – 10:05	Montana Agricultural Outlook Kate Fuller, Assistant Professor and Extension Specialist MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
10:10 – 10:30	Market Fundamentals and Recent Cattle Price Movements Eric Belasco, Associate Professor MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
10:35 – 10:55	Marketing Montana Pulses: What's Special About Specialty Crops? Joe Janzen, Assistant Professor MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
10:55 – 11:10	Break
11:15 – 12:30	M.L. Wilson Speaker Trade & The Trans-Pacific Strategic Economic Partnership Agreement Colin Carter Director, University of California, Giannini Foundation of Agricultural Economics Professor. University of California, Davis
12:30 – 1:30	Lunch Speaker Montana Agricultural Experiment Station Update Barry Jacobsen, Associate Director Montana Agricultural Experiment Station
1:45 – 3:45	Breakout Session #1: Procrastinator Theater Innovations in Price Risk Management: Basis Contracts, Fence Hedges, and Delivery Contracts Gary Brester, <i>Professor</i> (Session Organizer) MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics Joseph Atwood, <i>Professor</i> Eric Belasco, <i>Associate Professor</i> Joe Janzen, <i>Assistant Professor</i> MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics
1:45 – 3:45	Breakout Session #2: Ballroom A Local Foods: Producer-Consumer Relationships George Haynes, <i>Professor</i> (Session Organizer) MSU Department of Agricultural Economics & Economics Dawn Thilmany McFadden, <i>Professor and Agribusiness Extension Economist</i> Colorado State University Dylan Strike Running Strike Farms Mariann Van Den Elzen Quality Food Distributing Nate Brown Amaltheia Organic Dairy
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