Monday, December 3rd

- 8:00 9:00: Registration
- 9:00 9:30: Diagnosing & Managing Cotton and Soybean Diseases
 - Dr. Tom Allen Mississippi State University
- 9:30 10:00: Managing Nematodes in Cotton & Soybean Dr. Travis Faske – University of Arkansas
- 10:00 10:30: Soybean Taproot Decline Update & Management Alternatives Dr. Trey Price – Louisiana State University
- 10:30 11:00: Diagnosing & Managing Peanut Diseases Dr. Bob Kemerait – University of Georgia
- 11:00 11:30: Where Does Your Fertilizer Come From & What Determines Cost Dr. Trev Cutts – Yara North America
 - Dr. Trey Cuils Tara North America
- 11:30 12:00: Fertilizer Requirements for High Yielding Yet Profitable Crop Production Dr. Bobby Golden – Mississippi State University
- 12:00 1:00: Lunch Charlie Williams Catering
- 1:00 1:30: Cover Crops & Soil Health Dr. Bill Robertson – University of Arkansas
- 1:30 2:15: How Diversification & Focus on Soils Has Improved Productivity on My Farm *Mr. Adam Chappell – Grower – Cotton Plant, AR*
- 2:15 2:45: Peanut Weed Control Dr. Eric Prostko – University of Georgia
- 2:45 3:15: Landscape Level Impact of Off-Target Herbicide Movement & How This Impacts Potential Legislation Dr. Stanley Culpepper – University of Georgia
- 3:15 3:30: Break
- 3:30 4:00: Tracking Down Off-Target Movement of Herbicides: Tip & Tricks from the Master Dr. Eric Webster – Louisiana State University
- 4:00 4:30: Detecting Dicamba & 2,4-D in Plant Tissue: What Are the Possibilities? Dr. Ashli Brown – Mississippi State University
- 4:30 5:00: Herbicide Application Timing: Effect on Weed Control Efficacy
- Dr. Jason Bond Mississippi State University
- 6:00 10:00: Social Mixer with Heavy Hors D'oeuvres Cotton Mill Conference Center Live Music: Ms. Mallory Everett

Tuesday, December 4th

- 8:00 8:25:Insecticide Resistance Monitoring and the Role of Novaluron on Tarnished Plant Bug Populations Dr. Fred Musser – Mississippi State University 8:25 - 8:50: Corn Insects: Management Options for Maximizing Profits Dr. Don Cook – Mississippi State University 8:50 - 9:35: Management of Caterpillar Pests in Soybeans Dr. Gus Lorenz – University of Arkansas 9:35 – 10:00: Impact of Cover Crops on Soybean Insect Management Mr. Adam Whalen – Mississippi State University 10:00 - 10:15: Break 10:15 - 10:40: Management of Bollworms in Bt Cotton in LA: Experiences to Date Dr. Sebe Brown – Louisiana State University 10:40 – 11:05: Management of Bollworms in Bt Cotton in MS: Experiences to Date Angus Catchot – Mississippi State University 11:05 - 11:30: Economics of Managing Insect Pests of Cotton Dr. Jeff Gore – Mississippi State University 11:30 – 12:00: Effect of Temperature Inversions on Off-Target Movement of Pesticides Dr. Richard Grant – Purdue University 12:00 – 1:00: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering 1:00 - 1:25:A Snapshot of Mississippi Agriculture *Mr. Andy Gipson – MS Commissioner of Agriculture* 1:25 - 2:10:Planter Technology: Making a JD 7100 a Million Dollar Machine Mr. Jason Webster – Precision Planting Sulfur Nutrition in Row Crops: Hidden Hunger? 2:10 - 2:55:Dr. Ross Bender – Mosaic Company 2:55 - 3:20A Closer Look at Potassium Deficiency in Cotton Dr. Tyson Raper – University of Tennessee 3:20 - 3:45Break 3:45 - 4:10: Maximizing Soybean Production in 2019 Dr. Trent Irby – Mississippi State University 4:10 - 4:35:Corn Seed Depth Impacts on Soil-Water Relations Dr. Erick Larson – Mississippi State University 4:35 - 5:00:Economic Implications of Cotton Fertility Management
 - Darrin Dodds Mississippi State University
- 6:00 10:00: Steak and Shrimp Dinner and Social Event Cotton Mill Conference Center Live Music: Ms Mallory Everett

Wednesday, December 5th

- 8:00 8:30:Soil Amendments & Water Considerations in Mississippi Peanut Production Dr. Brendan Zurweller – Mississippi State University 8:30 - 9:00:Productive & Profitable Peanuts: A Consultant's Perspective Mr. Trey Bullock 9:00 - 9:30:Economic Outlook for Mississippi Row Crops in 2019 Dr. Larry Falconer – Mississippi State University 9:30 – 10:00: Seed Cotton Program Information & Status of the New Farm Bill Dr. Mike Deliberto – Louisiana State University 10:00 – 10:15: Break 10:15 – 10:45: Tariffs & Trade Wars: Potential Effects on Mississippi Agriculture Dr. Keith Coble – Mississippi State University 10:45 – 11:15: Chronic Wasting Disease: Facts & Figures Dr. Steve Demarais – Mississippi State University 11:15 – 11:45: Ag Theft: Investigating Theft of Everything From Bulls to Bulldozers *Mr. George Brown – MS Dept. of Agriculture &* Commerce Agricultural Theft & Livestock Bureau 11:45: Lunch – Charlie Williams Catering **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:** Pest Management – 7.0 Crop Management – 5.5
 - Crop Management 5.5
 - Nutrient Management 3.0
 - Soil and Water 2.5
 - **Professional Development 0.5**

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