


Iowa Agriculture Education Summit

January 21-23, 2024

Iowa FFA Enrichment Center

(Dressy Casual Attire)

Time	Agenda	Room
Sunday - January 21st		
1:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Mentor / Mentee Session <i>Session for Ag Teachers participating in the Mentor/Mentee Program this school year. Day will be broken into rotations covering degree review and CDE/LDEs. Supper will be provided through the Mentoring Program.</i>	TBD
Monday - January 22nd		
8:00 AM	Mentor / Mentee Session <i>Session for Ag Teachers participating in the Mentor/Mentee Program this school year. Morning will focus on Q&A about topics not covered the previous day.</i>	
9:30 AM	Summit Registration / Snacks	Atrium
10:00 AM	Session 1 - Opening Speaker, Transformative Learning <i>Blaze Currie</i>  We Can Facilitate Learning that is Transformational Blaze Currie T...	106/107
11:00 AM	Legislative - Latham and Ingels <i>How to be a better advocate for Agricultural Education in the State of Iowa; Tips & Tricks to speak with and work with local legislators; Agricultural Education initiatives in the Iowa Legislature</i>	106/107
12:00 PM	Lunch - Speaker / Sponsor	106/107
1:00 PM	Session 2 - Ag Ed Rockstars <u>Secondary</u> - Select 3 sessions from 5 different options to learn about how other states with star programming have embraced the affiliate model. Teachers from Georgia, California, Illinois, Ohio and Kentucky will lead these sessions telling about how their states have embraced the affiliated model for Ag Ed. <u>Postsecondary</u> - Join this tailored session for great ideas on involving students in Professional Agricultural Students (PAS) and also hear about Transfer Majors from the Iowa Department of Education. Discipline frameworks and changes for these discipline frameworks will be reviewed.	Breakout Rooms
3:00 PM	ARE YOU READY! <i>Transformational Learning - What is it and how can we utilize it in our own classrooms/ programs?</i>	

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4:00 PM Snacks/Mixer
Utilizing Transformative Learning (processing and work time) Breakout Rooms
Work on an issue in your own program utilizing Transformational Learning. We will be working in a smaller cohort group made of a variety of agricultural educators across the state. Each group will have a group leader and instructors from Iowa Teacher Educator programs working with your cohort groups.

5:45 PM Reflection Atrium
Gathering to prepare for supper plans & housekeeping for Tuesday

6:00 PM Released for Supper on your Own

Tuesday - January 23rd

Breakfast on your own / at hotel

8:00 AM Session Open - McKenzie Snow, Director - Iowa Department of Education

8:15 AM **Session 3** - Rotation 4 breakouts (approximately 30 minutes per session)

#1 **Blaze Currie** - *Keep Playing the Game Longer*

#2 **Cindra Porter** (AEA) - *Meeting Students Where They Are*

#3 **Dr. Martin** (ISU) - *Attracting Students into Your Program*

#4 **Dr. Stilwell** (Drake) - *Using Systems Theory to Turbo Charge your Ag Program*

10:30 AM Break / Snacks

10:45 AM **Bring it HOME!** (sit with cohort group)
Cohort discussion time to process information shared throughout the conference.

11:00 AM **Human Resources/ Industry Needs Panel**
Identifying characteristics of the current workforce for our student's future

12:00 PM Lunch - Speaker / Sponsor 106/107

2:00 PM **Industry Technology / Future Panel**
What does the future of Agriculture look like and how will current students fit into this future?

3:00 PM End of Day 106/107