

Feb 27-28, 2025 S1084 Hemp meeting agenda

Location: Efferson Hall, LSU campus, Baton Rouge, LA

The registration site will be sent soon, and the cost will be \$40. This will cover coffee and drinks along with a lunch on the 27th. Attendees will need to carpool to the visit to the ARS station on the 28th.

The closest hotels to Efferson Hall and are in walking distance are the following:

[The Cook Hotel](#)

[Sonesta ES Suites Baton Rouge](#)

There are opportunities for you to present your work at these meetings. We would like to hear about the research you are working on and it doesn't have to be completed research. If you want to present something, please send a title and 100-word abstract to Tyler Mark tyler.mark@uky.edu by February 13th. We would like to fit as many of these as possible, so if we get more presentations than we can handle, we may ask some to bring a poster.

Times listed are CST for the times.

February 27		
Time	Item	Speaker
8:00-8:30	Setup and Networking	
8:30	Log on	
8:45	Greetings/Intro/Procedure Call to order, approval of minutes	– Tyler Mark
9:00	NIFA administrative update	– USDA-NIFA (8-10 m) – USDA-AMS (8-10 m)
10:30	SAS Grant Updates & Discussion	Grant Coordinators
11:30	Break / review state reports/Lunch	One slide for state reports
12:45	Presentations - Selected with help of Topic Leaders	–
2:00	Break	
2:15	Presentations - Selected with help of Topic Leaders	
3: 15	Break	
3:30	Presentations - Selected with help of Topic Leaders	
	Adjourn for the Day	
February 28		
Time	Item	Speaker
8:30	Networking	
9:00	Breakout sessions Discussion points for breakouts:	Breakout groupings • Production and Quality (Pearce/Darby)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Significant progress toward the related S1084 project goal among the participants. – Major challenges and needs. These might require coordination with other topic areas. – Actions / research questions to pursue in the coming year. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainable Pest Management Priorities (Gauthier/C.Smart) • Economics and Marketing (Mark) • Genetics and Breeding (Ellison)
9:45	Break	
10:00	Regroup	<p>Discuss breakout summaries (20m)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plans/schedule • Who to work on? • New areas (products & uses?, others?) • Steiner on Indigenous Groups <p>Install new leadership (5m)</p>
11:00	Depart for Tour at ARS Station	Arrive at ARS station around 12:15 and tour will last a couple of hours.
3:00	Meeting Adjourned	