

USDA NC-1023: Engineering for Food Safety and Quality Annual Meeting

October 5-7, 2025
University of Maryland, College Park

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Meeting Location:
UMD 4-H Youth Center
8020 Greenmead Dr, College Park, MD 20740

Registration Information:

Required Meeting Registration and Payment Form: <https://go.umd.edu/pmtunam25form>

- o **Lower rate on or before Sept. 20. Deadline is October 1st.**

Hotel Room Registration

https://book.passkey.com/event/51058625/owner/14102985/home?utm_campaign=298017102

AGENDA

Sunday, October 5

6:00 - 8:00 pm	Welcome Dinner (location TBD) Discussions on the project and the planned activities with station representatives and ad-hoc committee members.
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Monday, October 6

8:30 – 9:45 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Opening comments-Welcome presentation by Associate Dean Puneet Srivastava (AGNR)-Station Member Introductions-Washington Update (Dr. Junia Jean-Gilles Beaubrun, USDA/NIFA)-NC 1023 Administrator Update-Approval of Previous Meeting's Minutes
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9:45-10:15 AM	Break
10:15 AM-12:00	Final report (5th year report; 5 year consolidated final report)
12:00 PM -1:00 PM	Lunch provided
1:00 PM-2:30 PM	Planning for next 5 years
2:30-3:00	Break
3:00 - 3:45 pm	Election
3:45 - 5:00 PM	Station reports
5:00 pm	Transportation to Dinner Venue
6:00 - 8:00 pm	Dinner at Mulligan's Restaurant

Tuesday, October 6

8:30 – 10:30 am	Station reports
10:30 – 10:45 am	Break
10:45 am -12:00 pm	Ad hoc committee report/Collaboration Discussion
12:00 pm	Boxed Lunch/Adjourn