

## **2011 NAAEA Biennial Conference**

Washington Marriott
Washington DC
September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011

## **Agenda**

## Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011

8:00 am – 8:30 am	Introductions
8:30 am – 9:10 am	Using Social Media in Academic Situations (Mike Monson)
9:10 am – 9:40 am	Teaching Loads in Ag and Applied Economics (Gary Thompson)
9:40 am – 10:10 am	NAAEA Award Proposal (John Nichols)
10:10 am – 10:25 am	BREAK
10:25 am – 11:00 am	NIFA Update (Robin Shoemaker)
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	USDA ERS Update (Mary Bohman or substitute)
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	LUNCH and C-FARE Update
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Crafting Your Message on Controversial Topics (Faith Peppers, University of Georgia)
2:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Panel Discussion – Cross Institutional Graduate Programs (Octavio Ramirez, Organizer)
3:15 pm – 3:30 pm	BREAK
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Discussion on Challenges and Future for Ag and Resource Econ – What are the Market Niches and the Keys to Success? (Rob King, Facilitator)