



Georgia Cotton Commission's Annual Meeting & UGA Cotton Production Workshop

January 31, 2024

UGA Tifton Campus Conference Center

7:30 AM	Name badge pick-up, late registration, and breakfast – Sponsored by Deltapine
8:00 – 8:50 AM	UGA Cotton Production Workshop Session One
8:50 – 9:00 AM	Break – Sponsored by Stoneville
9:00 – 9:50 AM	UGA Cotton Production Workshop Session Two
9:50 – 10:00 AM	Break – Sponsored by Farm Credit Associations of Georgia
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Welcome, recognition of sponsors, Commission report (Ballrooms A & B)
10:30 – 11:00 AM	Micah Brown, Staff Attorney, National Ag Law Center
11:00 – 11:30 AM	Bruce Atherley, Executive Director, Cotton Council International
11:30 – Noon	Jim Davis, CEO, Southern Cotton Growers
Noon	Blessing by Rev. Dr. Bradley Knox Walker, First Presbyterian Church of Moultrie
12:00 – 1:45 PM	Lunch Program (Ballrooms C & D) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recognition of King Cotton Award Winners<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Senior King Cotton Award – Scott Carlson, Worth County○ Allen B. Fulford Award – Benjamin Reeves, Berrien County• Presentation of GCC Trustees Award
1:45 – 2:00 PM	Break – Sponsored by John Deere
2:00 – 2:50 PM	UGA Cotton Production Workshop Session Three
2:50 – 3:00 PM	Break – Sponsored by Phytogen
3:00 – 3:50 PM	UGA Cotton Production Workshop Session Four

2024 UGA Cotton Production Workshop – Breakout Sessions

University of Georgia Cotton Team

Cotton Agronomics and Physiology: Cotton variety selection and agronomic management (John Snider & Camp Hand)

Economics & Marketing: Overview and discussion of the US and World cotton market situation and price outlook; costs and net return comparisons for 2024. (Yangxuan Liu & Amanda Smith)

Irrigation and Precision Ag Technologies: Utilizing technologies to improve production efficiency from planting, to irrigation, to harvesting. (Wes Porter & Simer Virk)

Insect Pest Management: Insect management in cotton and new considerations for Bt cottons in 2024, silverleaf whitefly update, aphid management and beneficial insects. (Phillip Roberts & Bill Snyder)

Plant Pathology: Updates for disease and nematode management for 2024. (Bob Kemeraite & Intiaz Chowdhury)

Soil Fertility: Updates for nutrient management of modern cotton varieties and production systems. (Glen Harris & Henry Sintim)

Weed Science: Updates on dicamba, regulations, the endangered species act, and weed management in 2024. (Stanley Culpepper & Taylor Singleton)

Scheduled Times for Breakout Sessions:

8:00 AM – 8:50 AM	Soil Fertility (Rm. 19C) Agronomy & Physiology (Rm. 19A) Plant Pathology (Rm. 19B)
9:00 AM – 9:50 AM	Economics & Marketing (Rm. 19C) Entomology & Integrated Pest Management (Rm. 19B) Irrigation & Precision Ag (Rm. 19A) Weed Science (Small Auditorium)
2:00 PM – 2:50 PM	Plant Pathology (Rm. 19C) Soil Fertility (Rm. 19A) Irrigation & Precision Ag (Rm. 19B)
3:00 PM – 3:50 PM	Entomology & Integrated Pest Management (Rm. 19C) Agronomy & Physiology (Rm. 19B) Economics & Marketing (Rm. 19A) Weed Science (Small Auditorium)

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