



IFAS Research Roadmap Retreat

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February 1-3, 2009

Sunday, February 1, 2009

7:30 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.	Group Leaders meet with Facilitators from the Dean’s Office. Facilitators from the Dean’s Office provide instructions, guidance and overview for the Retreat process.	La Arcada Room
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Monday, February 2, 2009

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast and Registration	Los Reyes Foyer
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Welcome, introductions and opening remarks Dean Mark McLellan	Ballroom A
9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Kick-off Speaker— Mr. Kerry Herndon President and CEO, Kerry’s Nursery, Inc. “Vision-Driven Science”	
9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Break	

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Assemble 3 major worlds of IFAS and discuss process:	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Natural Resources 2. Production Agriculture 3. Human Dimensions 	Cortes/C DeSoto/D La Paloma
<p>Each World of IFAS will break into 3, 8-10-person Groups. Each Group will contain a Leader and a Recorder.</p> <p>Discussion will:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Identify key multidisciplinary/ crosscutting research programs (approximately 20 minutes) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Brainstorm b. Discuss and consolidate the list 2. Prioritize multidisciplinary/crosscutting research programs (approximately 10 minutes) <p>Each participant will pick their top 10 based on the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Solve Problems/ Complex b. Big Questions – Quality of Life, c. Economy, Health d. New Knowledge e. Thought Leaders and Science Leaders f. Go to Source g. Multidisciplinary Teams h. World class <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Characterize the top 5 research programs (approximately 15 minutes per program) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Utilize SWOT analysis (Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats) b. List critical faculty hires needed to enhance this crosscutting, multidisciplinary program 		

10:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Groups identify, prioritize and characterize multidisciplinary research programs		
IFAS Worlds	Group	Leader	Room #
Natural Resources	Group 1	Mary Christman	El Gilano
	Group 2	Bill Lindberg	Cortes/C
	Group 3	Rebecca Darnell	El Moro A
Production Ag	Group 1	Geoff Dahl	DeSoto/D
	Group 2	Eric Triplett	Ballroom A
	Group 3	Sue Percival	La Fontana
Human Dimensions	Group 1	Nick Comerford	La Paloma
	Group 2	Mario Gallo	La Arcada
	Group 3	Larry Duncan	Ballroom A

12:30 – 1:45 p.m.	<p>Lunch</p> <p>Speakers: Dr. Larry Arrington, Senior Vice President, IFAS</p> <p>Also invited: Florida Senator Evelyn Lynn, Senate Higher Education Appropriations</p>	<p>La Margarita Lounge El Conquistador</p>
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1:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	<p>Groups report to respective IFAS World their top 5 multidisciplinary /crosscutting research programs. (They also show their list of other prioritized research programs.) Each report will be 30 minutes.</p>		
IFAS Worlds	Group	Time	Room #
Natural Resources	Group 1	1:45 – 2:15	Cortes/ C
	Group 2	2:15 – 2:45	
	Group 3	2:45 – 3:15	
Production Ag	Group 1	1:45 – 2:15	DeSoto / D
	Group 2	2:15 – 2:45	
	Group 3	2:45 – 3:15	
Human Dimensions	Group 1	1:45 – 2:15	La Paloma
	Group 2	2:15 – 2:45	
	Group 3	2:45 – 3:15	

3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Break (Group Leaders from each IFAS World will select one leader to be spokesperson.)	
3:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	World spokespersons lead all 3 groups (30 people) in discussion to create one list of multidisciplinary/crosscutting research programs.	
4:45 p.m.	Adjourn	
4:45 – 5:15 p.m.	World spokespersons create electronic presentation for next day.	
6:00 p.m.	Cash Bar	Legends Restaurant
7:00 p.m.	Dinner	Legends Restaurant

Tuesday, February 3

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Breakfast	Los Reyes Foyer
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Speaker: <i>John Hoblick,</i> President and CEO, Florida Farm Bureau	Ballroom A
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	World spokespersons present final list of multidisciplinary/crosscutting research programs to the group of 100. 9:00-9:30 a.m. Natural Resources 9:30-10:00 a.m. Agricultural Production 10:00-10:30 a.m. Human Dimensions	
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Discussion, comments and closing remarks Dean Mark McLellan	
11:30 a.m.	Adjourn	