

Conservation Agriculture 2012



The 24th Annual Conference of the
Saskatchewan Soil Conservation Association

January 11, 2012

Saskatoon Inn

In Conjunction with Crop Production Week

Wednesday, January 11, 2012 Saskatoon Inn: Ballroom B

- 8:00 a.m. **Registration Opens**
8:45 a.m. **Welcoming & Opening Remarks**
- 9:00 a.m. **-Morning Session –
Climate Change and Crop Risk Management – Keynote Speaker**
- Dr. Paul Bullock,
Department of Soil Science, U of Manitoba
-Sponsored by Farm Credit Canada
- 10:00 a.m. **Refreshment and Networking Break**
- 10:30 a.m. **Lowering Carbon Footprint by Diversifying Cropping Systems**
-Dr. Yantai Gan, AAFC, Swift Current
-Sponsored by Monsanto
- 11:15 a.m. **Improvement on Soil Fertility for Sustainable Agriculture**
-Dr. Masayuki Tani, Obihiro University of Agriculture, Japan
-Sponsored by University of Saskatchewan
- 11:35 a.m. **Carbon credits – Policy and Legislation**
- Doyle Wiebe, Saskatchewan Soil Conservation Association
-Sponsored by SSCA
- 12:00 p.m. **Luncheon and Awards Presentations**
-Sponsored by Ducks Unlimited Canada
- 1:00 p.m. **-Afternoon Session –
Farming with Social Media and Smart Phones**
-Ian Boyd, Saskatchewan Soil Conservation Association
-Sponsored by SSCA
- 1:30 p.m. **Inter-row Seeding and Variable Fertilizer Technology**
-Mike Bevans, AgTech Centre, Lethbridge
- 2:00 p.m. **Precision Agriculture and Variable Rate Technology**
-Ty Faechner, ARECA, Edmonton
-Sponsored by Seedmaster
- 2:30 p.m. **Refreshment and Networking Break**
- 3:00 p.m. **Glyphosate Resistant Weeds**
-Dr. Hugh Beckie, AAFC, Saskatoon
-Sponsored by Bayer CropScience
- 3:30 p.m. **Beneficial Microorganisms**
-Dr. Chantal Hamel, AAFC, Swift Current
-Sponsored by Dupont
- 4:00 p.m. **Longterm Crop Rotations**
-Dr. Reynald Lemke, AAFC, Saskatoon
- 4:30 p.m. **SSCA AGM**

Attention CCA's:

- Conference Approved for **6.0** CEU's

(SW – 2.5; CM – 2.0; NM – 0.5; PM – 0.5; PD – 0.5)

-Tuesday Bearpit Approved for **1.5** CEU's

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Soils and Crops Bearpit:

Tuesday Evening 7:30 – 9:00 pm

Saskatoon Inn – Saskatoon Room

For SSCA Members and Conference Participants

Cash Bar