

2025 Conference Schedule

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Tuesday 2/13	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3
11:00 A.M.	Registration Opens		
12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M.	Quincy Law, Ph.D. What's New at ISU?	Fred Whitford, Ph.D. Keeping the Pesticide Trailer Hooked to Your Truck	Bryan Aynardi, Ph.D. Herbicides - Controlling Key Weeds
1:30 P.M. - 2:30 P.M.	Brian Aynardi, Ph.D. Disease Management with Fungicides	Terry Swails & Nicholas Stewart Winter Weather	
2:45 P.M. - 3:45 P.M.	Fred Whitford, Ph.D. Understanding the Science Behind Spray Nozzles	Terry Swails & Nicholas Stewart Severe Weather/Summer Storms	
4:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.	Kurt Tewinkel Reel Science	Adam Thoms, Ph.D. What's Old at ISU?	Fred Whitford, Ph.D. Keeping the Pesticide Trailer Hooked to Your Truck
5:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.	Iowa GCSA Social Hotel Bar	ISFMA Social by Pool to Follow	IPLCA Annual Meeting IPLCA Social - Room 160

Wednesday 2/13	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3
7:00 A.M.	Exhibitor Set-Up Begins		
7:30 A.M.	Registration Opens		
8:30 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.	Eric Pifer Pump Station Maintenance	Athletic Field Construction Pannel Tim VanLoo, CSFM, Clay Schneckloth, PLA , Derek York, CSFM,CFB and Alex Miller	John Dalton A.I. Masterclass: How to Harness AI & Make Your Job Easier
10:15 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.	Craig Watson Pond Management	Steve Lindner Landscape Lighting is "Trending"	John Dalton Branding for Your Business: How to Stand Out From the Crowd
11:00 A.M. - 11:45 A.M.	Jeff Iles, Ph.D. Iowa Tree Update	Justin Waters 2-Wire Troubleshooting Basics	
11:45 A.M. - 12:15 P.M.	ITI Awards & Recognition Ceremony		
12:15 P.M.	Trade Show Grand Opening Lunch on Trade Show Floor		
1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.	Iowa SFMA Annual Meeting		
2:15 P.M. - 3:15 P.M.	Iowa GCSA Annual Meeting		
4:15 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.	Trade Show Happy Hour Starts		
6:00 P.M.	All Industry Reception By Pool		

Thursday 2/13	PAT Training
7:30 A.M.	Registration Opens
8:00 A.M. - 9:00 A.M.	PAT - Required Topics <small>*You must attend this session for Cat 3OT, 5 and 6 Certification</small>
9:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.	Cat 5 and 6 PAT
9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.	Trade Show Opens with Donuts & Coffee
10:30 A.M.	Silent Auction Closes
11:30 A.M.	Trade Show Tear Down
11:00 A.M - 12:00 P.M.	3OT PAT