



# Canola Symposium *2021*

**December 7**

**Roseau  
Community  
Center  
121 Center St E  
Roseau, MN**

# AGENDA & PREREGISTRATION • December 7, 2021

- Agenda subject to change -

## 9:00 a.m. Registration & Exhibits

### 9:30 a.m. Canola Spotlight

#### Better Yield with Miravis Neo

Jason Snell, Syngenta



#### Be Confident in Winter Canola with 4 Easy Steps

Mick Miller, CROPLAN by WinField United



#### Growing Nexera Canola with Bunge

Taryn Olfert, Bunge



#### Market Update from CHS

Andy Smith, CHS



#### Enhanced Flea Beetle Protection with Buteo Start Seed Treatment

Courtney Meduna, DEKALB

#### Vercoras Seed Treatment

Russ Trischuk, BASF



#### Diverse Platforms & Protector Traits

Kristie Sundeen, Pioneer



## 10:40 a.m. Break & Exhibits

### 11:00 a.m. Canola Insect Pests to Scout for in 2022



#### Janet Knodel, North Dakota State University – Fargo, ND

Janet is a Professor and Extension Entomologist at NDSU in Fargo, ND. For the past 20 years, she has provided statewide program leadership for Extension Entomology, the North Dakota Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Program, and coordinates/co-edits the NDSU Crop & Pest Report. Her extension outreach and applied research focuses on insect pests of field crops and IPM strategies including wheat, barley, canola, soybean, pulse crops, and sunflower.

### 11:30 a.m. Federal Ag Policy Update & Outlook



#### Tom Hance, US Canola Association – Washington, DC

Tom has 24 years of experience on Capitol Hill, including 13 years with Gordley Associates. Previously, he served 4 years as Federal Policy Director and head of the DC office for Maryland's Governor. He spent 7 years as a congressional aide, including 3 years as Chief of Staff to a member of the U.S. House of Representatives. He was raised on a family farm in MD. He earned his B.A. from the University of Richmond and M.A. in Government from Johns Hopkins University.

## 11:40 a.m. Meet the Vendors

12:00 p.m. **Lucky Doubles Lunch**  
sponsored by **BASF, Bayer Crop Science, & CHS - Hallock**  
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### 1:00 p.m. 2021/22 Crop Market Outlook



#### Tom Lilja, Progressive Ag – Fargo, ND

Tom is a Market Analyst & Risk Management Specialist with Progressive Ag in Fargo, ND. He assists clients in portfolio risk management including combining crop insurance guarantees with forward contracting grain and using futures and options. Previously, he served as ND Corn Growers Association Executive Director, securing \$800,000 from the legislature for the National Agricultural Genotyping Center site location and \$2 million for bio-fuel distribution infrastructure.

**1:45 p.m. Bridging Bench & Field in Soil-borne Fungal Pathogen Research: Developing Disease Management Tools**



**Megan McCaghey, University of Minnesota – St. Paul, MN**

Megan is an assistant professor of Plant Pathology at UM. She has a PhD in Plant Pathology from UW-Madison focused on genetic tools for soybean white mold resistance. Her UC-Davis postdoc work focused on grower-driven research in soil-borne fungal plant pathogens. Her research is centered on soil-borne fungi causing crop diseases. She wants to understand the ecology and epidemiology of soil-associated fungi and oomycetes and enhance crop disease resistance.

**2:15 p.m. CPC Research Results in 2021**



**Dave Grafstrom, University of Minnesota-Magnusson Research Farm – Roseau, MN**

Dave is the site agronomist for the Minnesota Canola Production Centre. He was raised on a Roseau County farm and has a B.S. in Agronomy from UM and Ph.D. from NDSU. He worked for BASF for 14 years in research, technical service, and market development. He also worked for Northland College as a Farm Business Management Instructor.

**2:45 p.m. Congress 2022 – Gridlock or a Tidal Wave and What’s Important to Ag?**



**Howard Olson, AgCountry Farm Credit Services – Fargo, ND**

Howard is Sr. Vice President of Governmental & Public Affairs and is responsible for developing and implementing AgCountry’s local, state, and federal legislative strategy and implementation, management, and coordination of government relations, advocacy activities, and partnership development. He was raised on a farm near Blanchard, ND, and has a B.S. from NDSU and an M.S. in Business Administration from the University of Mary, Fargo.

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