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2018 Annual Meeting at Best Western Plus University Inn Moscow, Idaho

This year we return to Moscow, Idaho for the joint WSCIA-WNISA Annual Meeting. Join us to hear about new wheat and pulse varieties, updates on seed treatments, status of Hessian fly, and more! The WSDA Seed Program will be offering a hands-on demonstration of crop exam, germination, and TZ tests. They will also be on hand to answer any questions you have about how common lab analyses are performed.



REGISTER BY OCTOBER 19 TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF EARLYBIRD PRICING



A guest room block has been reserved at the Best Western Plus University Inn. A daily hot breakfast buffet is complimentary. The hotel offers a restaurant/bar, fitness center, in-room Keurig coffeemakers, microwaves/refrigerators as well as complimentary wireless internet service and shuttle service to the local airport. The guest room block is being held until **October 19**. Prior to that date, you may call 208-882-0550/800-325-8765 and mention the WSCIA/WNISA Crop Improvement Association to book at our reserved rates of \$114.99 single King/ \$124.99 two Queens.

See you in Moscow, November 12-13!

Register Today

Early bird/Late registration prices are as follows:

Single Full Registration \$190/\$215

Monday Only Registration \$115/\$145

Tuesday Only Registration \$90/\$120

Monday Banquet & Social \$65/\$75

Couple Registration \$275/\$350

Early bird registration ends October 19

A printable registration form is available at washingtoncrop.com, or you can submit your registration electronically at wscia.brownpapertickets.com.

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2018 Annual Meeting Presentation Topics

-NOT ALL SPEAKERS ARE LISTED-

Monday, November 12

- Join us from 8:30-12:40 to hear updates from the small grains breeding programs at University of Idaho, Limagrains Cereals, Washington State University, Syngenta, Highland Specialty Grains, WestBred, and Oregon State University.
- Guy Gifford, Washington State Department of Natural Resources Fire Prevention and Firewise Coordinator.
- Not sure about the specifics behind PVP, and PVP Title V? Join us to learn more!
- WSCIA and WNISA Membership Meetings, 4:00-5:00.
- Social and Banquet! Be sure to join us to recognize the WNISA 2018-2019 Scholarship Recipients and the O.A. Vogel Award winner. Silent and live auctions to fundraise for the WNISA scholarships will also be held.

Tuesday, November 13

- WSDA Seed Lab Advisory Meeting
- Albaugh seed treatment updates
- Current status of Hessian Fly in the PNW
- Syngenta seed care update
- Pulse variety update
- Ascochyta blight and metalaxyl-resistant Pythium
- Transgenic crops & advances in biotechnology
- CoAXium wheat production system for winter annual grass control in winter wheat

WNISA would like to congratulate our 2019 Scholarship recipients:

WSU- Morgan Adams, Katie McGourin, Megan Gould, Corrina Davis, Brevin Evenson, Alexya Sandman

U of I- Harrison Moore, Mitchel Jamison, Kayla Yearout, Dana Kay Reynolds

Thank you to all who support WNISA's annual golf tournament and auction. It is because of your generous donations that WNISA is able to give away an average of \$8,000.00 in scholarships each year.

Please consider donating an item for either our live or silent auction to be held during the banquet at the WSCIA/WNISA joint annual convention on Monday November 12th. Donations will be accepted from now until 4:00pm November 12th.

For more information please contact Kim Hatch at (509) 585-5460 or (509) 579-2282.



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The Association has an active membership of over 400 members. Anyone (person or organization) interested in quality seed in general is encouraged to become a member of the Association. Membership in the Association provides the member information relative to the seed industry such as new developments, technical information, and sources and availability of seed, etcetera.

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