



Managing Crops in the Peace: BigData, Pests & Weather

February 15th, 2017 - Fixx Urban Grill, Dawson Creek, BC

AGENDA

8:30 am	Registration & Coffee
9:00 am	Welcome & Introductions by Chair <i>Rick Kantz, BCGPA President</i>
9:15 am	BCGPA Research & Project Update <i>Sharla Pearce & Sarah Prebushewski, BCGPA</i>
9:30 am	Canadian/European Trade Agreement & Grain Quality <i>Cam Dahl, Cereals Canada</i>
10:15 am	Coffee Break
10:45 am	Pest Monitoring Project <i>Keith Uloth, PRFSA Contractor</i>
11:15 am	How BigData Pays <i>Matthias Loeseken, Blackbird Environmental</i>
12:30 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm	Station rotations (3 x 30 min)
2:30 pm	Coffee Break
3:00 pm	Station rotations (2 x 30 min)
4:00 pm	Closing Remarks by Chair <i>Rick Kantz, BCGPA President</i>



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our region
is mitigating
climate change!

Funding provided by the following projects:

- Knowledge Transfer Tools: Irrigation Feasibility & Weather Monitoring
- Peace Agriculture Weather Monitoring and Decision Support Tools
- Pest Monitoring in the Peace River Region: improving regional knowledge and forecasting abilities for current and emerging pests
- Variable Rate Nutrient Application (PSP Program)

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STATIONS

How to Collect Useful BigData for Your Operation <i>Matthias Loeseken</i>
Irrigation Potential in the Peace <i>John Zylstra</i>
Drainage <i>TBD</i>
Dealing with Those Pesky Pests <i>Jacy Johnson</i>
Utilizing Local Weather Data <i>Keith Uloth</i>



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