

2019 NATIONAL FARMWORKER CONFERENCE AGENDA

OMNI San Antonio on the Colonnade, San Antonio, Texas

May 5 - 8, 2019

Sunday, May 5	
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Round Table: The Changing Farm Worker Demographics
3:00 PM – 5:00 PM	Round Table: Sharing the Our History: Farmworkers/Los Campesina/os.
Monday, May 6	
8:00 AM – 10:20 AM	Opening Plenary Session: 30 th Anniversary of the National Farmworker Conference: Partnerships & Advocacy
Monday, May 6	Workforce Solutions - Track
10:30 AM – 12:00PM	Ballroom Salon C
	A1
	Cyber Core 4 Future Workforce:
	A6
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Building Employer and Stakeholder Partnerships – Beyond the Placement
	A11
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	#metoo, #timesup, What's Next? Harassment Issues & Farmworkers
6:00 PM – 9:00 PM	MAFO Reception – Sponsored by UMOS
Tuesday, May 7	Workforce Solutions - Track
8:30 AM-10:00 AM	Ballroom Salon D
	B1
	Understanding the Challenges of H2A Labor Certification:
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM	Plenary Session: Federal Immigration Policies Impacting Farmworkers & Communities
	B6
1:30 PM-3:00 PM	Agricultural Workers Employment Rights
	B11
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	The Growing Need for Farm Labor

Monday, May 6	Immigration - Track
10:30 AM – 12:00PM	Ballroom Salon D
	A2
	Human trafficking:
	A7
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Off the Beaten Path: Agricultural Labor Trafficking in Texas
	A12
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Enforcement and Employer Compliance in ICE Raids

Tuesday, May 7	Immigration - Track
8:30 AM-10:00 AM	Ballroom Salon C
	B2
	Giving Children a Head Start
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM	Plenary Session: Federal Immigration Policies Impacting Farmworkers & Communities
	B7
1:30 PM-3:00 PM	2020 Census
	B12
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Rights of U.S. and Guest Workers under the H-2A Program

Monday, May 6	Thriving Rural Communities - Track
10:30 AM – 12:00PM	Ballroom Salon E
	A3
	Making It Happen: A Model Plan for Collaboration between Federal Agencies and Service Providers
	A8
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Role of the Non-Profits in Economic Development & RD Lending & Other Opportunities:
	A13
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Curanderismo

Tuesday, May 7	Thriving Rural Communities - Track
8:30 AM-10:00 AM	Ballroom Salon A
	B3
	Farmworkers: Wage and Hour
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM	Plenary Session: Federal Immigration Policies Impacting Farmworkers & Communities
	B8
1:30 PM-3:00 PM	Using Technology to Connect Program:
	B13
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Role of the Non-Profits in Civic Engagement:

Monday, May 6	Farmworker Housing - Summit
10:30 AM – 12:00PM	Ballroom Salon B
	A4
	Rural Housing: High Needs Regions and Vulnerable Populations
	A9
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Fannie Mae Published Final Duty to Serve Underserved Markets Plan
	A14
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Round Table Discussion: Rural Housing Needs

Tuesday, May 7	Farmworker Housing - Summit
8:30 AM-10:00 AM	Ballroom Salon B
	B9
	Pre-Application & Occupancy Requirements
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM	Plenary Session: Federal Immigration Policies Impacting Farmworkers & Communities
	B7
1:30 PM-3:00 PM	USDA: 514/516 Application Process
	B14
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Farm Labor Housing: Construction Process

Monday, May 6	F2F – Farmworker to Farmer - Track
10:30 AM – 12:00PM	Ballroom Salon A
	A5
	Grow with Us: Resources for Small Farms and Farmworkers Transitioning to Farmers:
	A10
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM	Where is the Money? Partnership & Funding Opportunities for Agencies and Non-profits:
	A15
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Your Field – Your Future: A model for partnerships with Federal Agencies to Connect Young Farmworker Students to Internships

Tuesday, May 7	Training/Education - Track
8:30 AM-10:00 AM	Ballroom Salon A
	B5
	The Farm Bill and Opportunities for Latinx and New Farmers
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM	Plenary Session: Federal Immigration Policies Impacting Farmworkers & Communities
	B10
1:30 PM-3:00 PM	MSFW Pre Apprenticeship: NFJP and LWDB Collaboration:
	B15
3:15 PM – 4:45 PM	Developing Quality Re-entry Training

Tuesday, May 7	
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6:00 PM – 9:00 PM	MAFO National Farmworker Leadership Awards GALA & Banquet - Farmworker Leadership Awards Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leadership, Unity, Professional and Excellence (LUPE) • Government Employee Leadership Award (GELA) • President’s Award • MAFO Lifetime Achievement Award 9:00 pm – 12:00 PM — Dance: TBA <i>Sponsored by: The Coca-Cola Company & AmeriGroup</i>
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Wednesday, May 8	
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10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Closing Plenary Session: REGROUP, REFOCUS, REPRIORITIZE - THE 3 Rs'

Refocusing Our Priorities! Providing input through a group process on MAFOs future priorities.

Prizes – Cash give – away – and 2020 MAFO National Farmworker Conference FREE registrations

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