Seventh Annual Florida Agricultural Policy Outlook Conference, 2022
Monday, March 21st, 2022, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Location:
UF/IFAS Mid Florida Research and Education Center
2725 S. Binion Road Apopka, FL 32703
or
Online via Zoom. Link provided with registration.

**Agenda**

**Morning Session: Trends in Agricultural Policy and Food Consumption**

**Welcome and Introductions**
9:00 AM  
Dr. J. Scott Angle, Vice President for Agriculture and Natural Resources, University of Florida Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences (UF/IFAS) and Dr. Lisa House, Professor and Department Chair, UF/IFAS Food and Resource Economics Department

**State, Federal, and International Agricultural Policy**

9:15 AM  
John Walt Boatright, Director of National Affairs and Interim Director of State Legislative Affairs, Florida Farm Bureau

9:45 AM  
Dr. Roger Cryan, Chief Economist, American Farm Bureau

10:05 AM  
Dr. Suzanne Thornsbury, Senior Advisor, Agricultural Economics & Rural Communities, USDA Office of the Chief Scientist

10:25 AM  
Break

**Local Food Trends**

10:40 AM  
Dr. Kimberly Morgan, Associate Professor, UF/IFAS Food and Resource Economics Department

11:20 AM  
Dr. Dawn Thilmany, Professor, Colorado State University, Agricultural and Resource Economics Department

**Lunch**

12:00 PM  
Zaza Cuban Comfort Food
Afternoon Session: Crop Outlooks and Disaster Assessment

Welcome and Introductions
1:00 PM  Dr. Andra Johnson, Dean of UF/IFAS Extension and Director of Florida Cooperative Extension Service, University of Florida Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences

Florida Crop Outlooks
1:10 PM  Dr. Hayk Khachatryan, Associate Professor, UF/IFAS Food and Resource Economics Department Environmental Horticulture Outlook
1:30 PM  Dr. Marisa Zansler, Director of Economic and Market Research, Florida Department of Citrus Citrus Outlook
1:50 PM  Dr. Zhengfei Guan, Associate Professor, UF/IFAS Food and Resource Economics Department Vegetables and Berries Outlook
2:10 PM  Break

Disaster Impact Assessment
2:25 PM  Dr. Adam Rabinowitz, Assistant Professor, Auburn University, Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology Department

Wrap-up and Additional Q&A
3:45 PM  Moderator Dr. Derek Farnsworth, Associate Professor, UF/IFAS Food and Resource Economics Department and the post-conference survey

Conference arranged by Dr. Derek Farnsworth, Candy Kaswinkel, and Amanda Heinzmann
Thank you for attending the 7th Annual Florida Policy Outlook Conference. See you next year!