

2024 Annual FFSC Conference



Join us in Louisville, Kentucky
July 24-26, 2024

Home of *The Kentucky Derby*
and the *Kentucky Bourbon Trail*



Hilton Garden Inn Northeast
9850 Park Plaza Avenue, Louisville, KY 40241

Farm Financial Standards Council 2024 Conference Hilton Garden Inn Northeast Louisville

Wednesday, July 24

Committee Meetings: Committee meetings will be held in meeting rooms at Hilton Garden Inn Northeast. All committee meetings are open to anyone with an interest.

Noon - 1:15 p.m.

Finance Committee

1:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Membership/Marketing Committee

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Technical Committee

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Reception and Poster Exhibit

Everyone and their registered guests are invited to this special reception to meet the other attendees, visit with the poster authors, and enjoy some light food and drinks. Posters will also be available Thursday morning prior to meeting and during break.

Thursday, July 25

7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.

The hotel provides complimentary breakfast for guests

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

General program – information listed on next page.

Lunch

More detail will be available prior to the conference

4:30 p.m.

Meeting attendees and their registered guests are

invited to attend the Member Recognition Luncheon

Board bus for optional evening event to Huber

Plantation with tour of Huber's Orchard and Winery

plus dinner. (See registration form for pricing.)

9:30 p.m.

Return to hotel

Friday, July 26

7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.

The hotel provides complimentary breakfast for guests

8:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Committee Reports followed by Annual Business

Meeting, Election of Officers/Directors

Noon – 6:00 p.m.

Box lunch provided for all registered attendees and

guests, immediately followed by optional bus tour to

CGB Grain Terminal and Churchill Downs. (Bowler hats

for men and Derby-style hats for ladies is encouraged

but not required.) *See registration section for pricing*

information.

Meeting Program for Thursday, July 25

Final program details and eligible Illinois Public Accountants Continuing Education Credits will be provided at a later date. If you would like to register for credit, please be sure to check the box on the registration form and provide your e-mail address. (State of Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation License #158-002205)

Welcome – Overview of Agriculture in Louisville and Kentucky

Financial Guidelines and Impact Recommendations - Freddie L. Barnard, Professor Emeritus, Department of Agricultural Economics, Purdue University

Current State of Economy – Jackson Takach, Chief Economist & Vice President-Strategy, Research, and Analytics, Farmer Mac

Afternoon program will end at 4 p.m. to provide time for changing for tour bus departure at 4:30 p.m.

LODGING

A block of sleeping rooms has been set at the Hilton Garden Inn Northeast Louisville, 9850 Park Plaza Avenue, Louisville, KY 40241. There is NO complimentary airport shuttle service and the hotel recommends using Lyft or Uber. Depending on time of day figure 20 - 35 minutes travel time.

Block dates are July 23 - 27 with a rate of \$145 per night, plus taxes.

Reservations Link.

<https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=SDFNEGI&groupCode=FFSC24&arrivaldate=2024-07-24&departuredate=2024-07-27&flexibleDates=true&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT>

<https://group.hiltongardeninn.com/s6k2mu>

Hotel Reservations Deadline is Saturday, July 6.

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Louisville, KY

For more information call (262) 253-6902

Register online at www.ffsc.org and click on the **Annual Meeting** notice on the Home Page or complete this form and mail or fax to

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N78 W14573 Appleton Ave., #287
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051
Fax: (262) 253-6903

Name: _____
Organization: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ E-mail: _____
Name for Badge: _____
Name for Badge (Guest): _____

- Enroll me for eligible Continuing Education credits as noted in the program information page. (No extra cost.)

Meeting Registration Fees

- Meeting Registration*****
(Includes materials, reception, breakfasts, breaks, lunches, and some events)
\$220 (members) \$ _____
\$250 (non-members) \$ _____
- Guest**
\$150 (includes 7/24 reception, 7/25 luncheon, 7/26 lunch) \$ _____
- Huber Plantation Hall** (Includes tour of Orchard and Winery, full dinner buffet)
7/25 4:30 - 9:00 p.m. (Bus limit is 56)
Separate registration fee required \$50 adults \$ _____
- Friday Local Ag Tour** (bus limit is 56)
(No extra cost but need count) _____
- Total \$ _____

*** Corporate Partners receive complimentary registrations based upon their level of participation. *Huber Plantation Hall dinner* registration not included. Please contact the FFSC Office for registration information.

Make checks payable to — Farm Financial Standards Council

Registration Deadline is July 7 (NO EXCEPTIONS)
Cancellations made prior to July 7 will receive FULL REFUND for REGISTRATION FEES.
No refunds after that date.

Register online at: <https://ffsc.org/2023/05/register-now-ffsc-annual-conference>
or via credit card or check and mail at FFSC Address above:

CC #: _____ Exp. Date: _____