Florida Small Farms and Alternative Enterprises

CONFERENCE August 2-4, 2013
Kissimmee, Florida

Informing and Inspiring Agricultural Innovators

http://www.conference.ifas.ufl.edu/smallfarms/index.html

Sessions include:

• Specialty Crops and Production
  (Blackberry, Tropical Root Crop, etc.)

• Organic and Sustainable Farming
  (Seed Production and Saving,
  Farmscaping for Beneficial Insects,
  Grafting Transplants, etc.)

• Greenhouse and Hydroponics
  (Hydroponic Trends, Renewable Energy, etc.)

• Livestock Systems (New Poultry Rules,
  Goat Operation, Grazing Resources, etc.)

• The Business of Farming
  (Marketing, Agribusiness Management, etc.)

• Technology for Innovation
  (Internet, Social Media, etc.)

• Tours (Livestock, Fruit and Vegetable)

• And Much More! (Beekeeping, Permaculture,
  Irrigation Management, Aquaponics, etc.)

Additional Highlights:

• Friday evening trade show opening and reception

• Trade show packed with suppliers and resources

• Keynote address

• Innovative Farmer Awards

• Livestock arena with live animal exhibits

• Educational posters

• Saturday evening networking social

• Delicious locally-grown food

Register Today!

(Early bird registration ends July 12th)

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  (Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services)

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