



2018 JCEP Leadership Conference Schedule “Balancing Innovation with Tradition”

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2018

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm **Registration Open**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2018

7:00 am-3:00 pm **Registration Open**

7:00-8:00 am **Breakfast Buffet & JCEP Marketing Team Presentation**

8:00-8:10 am **Welcome and Introductions** - Chris Jones, Conference Chair

8:10-8:20 am **Welcome from JCEP** - Kathleen Tweeten, JCEP President

8:20-8:30 am **Florida Welcome** - Nick Place, Extension Director,
University of Florida Extension

8:30-8:50 am **ECOP Report** - Chuck Hibberd, Dean and Director of Extension,
University of Nebraska-Lincoln

8:50-9:10am **NIFA Update** - Bill Hoffman, NIFA

9:10-9:40 am **Break**

9:40-11:50 am **Keynote Speaker** - David Mitchell, Founder of the Leadership Difference

12:00 pm-12:50 pm **Buffet Luncheon**

1:00 pm-2:30pm **Town Hall Meeting** - Julie Robinson, Producer; Chuck Hibberd, Moderator;
Sonny Ramaswamy, NIFA Panelist; Roger Rennekamp, OSU Panelist;
Andrew Turner, Cornell Panelist; and Lynette Black, CEA National Award
Recipient

2:30-2:45 pm **Break** – (hotel staff will need time to refresh room)

2:45-4:00 pm **Keynote Speaker** - David Mitchell, Founder of the Leadership Difference

4:00- 6:00 pm **Association Meetings – ESP, NACAA, NEAFCS, NACDEP, ANREP,
NAEPSDP**

NAE4-HA – Northeast Region Meeting

NAE4-HA – Southern Region Meeting

NAE4-HA – North Central Region Meeting

NAE4-HA – Western Region Meeting

Evening **State Evening Out (It’s Valentine’s Day)**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2018

7:30-8:30 am **Breakfast**

8:45-9:30 am **Concurrent Session I – *Participants Will Choose One of the Following Sessions***

Concurrent Session I-1

Title: Fostering Community Unity: Taking Our Place in Civil Dialogue

Presenter: Rachel Welborn, Southern Rural Development Center

Concurrent Session I-2

Title: Digital Literacy Development: Rethinking the Role of Extension Professionals

Presenter: Danae Wolfe, Educational Technology Specialist, Ohio State University Extension

Concurrent Session I-3

Title: Funding, Entrepreneurism and Leveraging Statewide Expertise to Enhance Extension: The Maui County Model

Presenter: Cindy Reeves, Maui County Administrator, University of Hawaii, CTAHR

Concurrent Session I-4

Title: Programming for Clientele with Developmental Disabilities

Presenter: Jeannette Rea Keywood, State 4-H Agent, Rutgers University

Concurrent Session I-5

Title: Extension Innovation – Adapting the Extension program planning model through engagement to meet emerging complex local needs

Presenter: Karen Vines, Virginia Tech

Concurrent Session I-6

Title: Sustainable Floridians – Creating Community Capacity

Presenter: Linda Seals, County Extension Director, UF/IFAS Extension

Concurrent Session I-7

Title: 4-H SPARK Academy: Teaching new 4-H volunteers to facilitate and deliver short-term projects and programs using a certification program

Presenter: Alyssa Bowers, UF/IFAS, Pinellas County 4-H Youth Development Agent.

9:30-9:50 am **Break and Poster Viewing**

10:00-10:45 am **Concurrent Session II – *Participants Will Choose One of the Following Sessions***

Concurrent Session II-1

Title: We Don't Have Time for Innovation

Presenter: Jamie Seger, Director, Ed Tech, Ohio State University Extension

Concurrent Session II-2

Title: Expanding Your Impact Through Social Network Analysis

Presenter: Laura Fuller, Executive Director, Cornell Cooperative Extension

Concurrent Session II-3

Title: Community Voices, Informed Choices (CIVIC): A budding, collaborative, and cross-disciplinary community engagement program

Presenter: M. Jennison Kipp Searcy, Resource Economist & Sustainable Floridians Statewide Coordinator

Concurrent Session II-4

Title: Got CAFE? The Formation of the Coalition of American-Hispanic Florida Extension Educators to Target Florida's Hispanic Audience

Presenter: Jonael Bosques, UF/IFAS Extension Agriculture Agent

Concurrent Session II-5

Title: Building a Computer Science Pathway for 4-H Youth

Presenter: Dave Francis, Extension Associate Professor, Utah State University

Concurrent Session II-6

Title: Multidisciplinary Research Symposium Increases Extension's Effectiveness for Communicating Impact

Presenter: Melinda Miller, 4-H Program Development Coordinator, University of Georgia Extension

Concurrent Session II-7

Title: Utilizing Mindfulness to be an Effective and Balanced Extension Agent

Presenter: Lori Wiggins, FCS Agent III, UF/IFAS

11:00 am-11:45 noon **Concurrent Session III –** *Participants Will Choose One of The Following Sessions*

Concurrent Session III-1

Title: Leaders Listen. Improve Your Listening Skills to Enhance Your Leadership Abilities

Presenter: Wendy Wilber, State Specialized Agent, University of Florida, IFAS

Concurrent Session III-2

Title: Increasing diversity and inclusion within the Ohio State University Extension Master Gardener Volunteer membership

Presenter: Jacqueline Kowalski, Ohio State University Extension

Concurrent Session III-3

Title: Innovation in Extension: What's holding you/us back?

Presenter: Karen Ballard, Professor, Program Evaluation, University of Arkansas System

Concurrent Session III-4

Title: Positive Civil Discourse-How to Debate and Keep your Friends

Presenter: Deborah Nistler, County Extension Director, University of Florida, IFAS Extension

Concurrent Session III-5

Title: Using Alternative Communication Methods and Multi-County Partnerships to Enhance Extension Outreach: A Virtual VITA Example

Presenter: Heather Janney, 4-H/FCS Agent II, UF/IFAS Extension

Concurrent Session III-6

Title: Understanding the LGBTQ Community and Creating Welcoming Extension Programming

Presenter: Dr. Jeff Howard, Assistant Director, University of Maryland Extension

Concurrent Session III-7

Title: "With an End in Mind...A strategic plan for getting the most productivity for your time."

Presenter: Kalan Taylor, UF/IFAS Extension, Sumter County 4-H Youth Development Agent

11:45am -1:45 pm **Lunch and Poster Session (authors present at 12:45pm)**

1:45 - 2:30 pm **Concurrent Session IV – *Participants Will Choose One of the Following Sessions***

Concurrent Session IV-1

Title: AZ Cooperative Extension Fusion Project: Fostering interdisciplinary collaboration using variations of speed dating and telephone concepts

Presenter: Betsy Greene, Professor/State Equine Extension Specialist

Concurrent Session IV-2

Title: Facilitating for Success in Difficult Situations

Presenter: Mark J. Platten, County Director, Colorado State University

Concurrent Session IV-3

Title: Promoting Intergenerational Programming in Extension: The BCLT Program.

Presenter: Melanie Forstrom, President, NYSACCE4-HE

Concurrent Session IV-4

Title: Sustainability Outreach in Extension: Balancing Traditional Programs with Demand Given Emerging Issues

Presenter: Roslynn Brain McCann, Sustainable Communities Extension Specialist, Utah State University

Concurrent Session IV-5

Title: Assessing Community Needs by Engaging the Community in Dialogue

Presenter: Suzanna Windon, Market Analyst, Ohio State University Extension

Concurrent Session IV-6

Title: Visioning the Future of the Polk County Master Gardener Program

Presenter: Anne Yasalonis, Residential Horticulture Agent, UF/IFAS Extension

Concurrent Session IV-7

Title: Innovative Approach on Infusing Mindfulness Practice to an Already Existing Health Outreach Programs

Presenter: Dhruvi Patel, Family and Consumer Sciences Educator, University of Maryland

2:30-3:00 pm **Break**

3:00-5:00 pm **Association Meetings - ESP, NACAA, NAE4-HA, NEAFCS**

3:00–5:00 pm **Joint Session of NACDEP, ANREP & NAEPSPD – Study Tour**

6:00 pm **Association Night Out**