

***87th Annual
Soil Management and Land Valuation Conference***

**Iowa State University
Benton Auditorium, Scheman Building
Wednesday, May 21, 2014**

CURRENT ISSUES: IOWA SOIL MANAGEMENT & LAND VALUATION

8:00 — 8:30 Registration

8:30 — 8:45 Iowa's Land Values – Your Estimates
— *Larry D. Trede, Chair, Conference Planning Committee*

8:45 —9:45 Economic Issues: U.S. Economy and its Implications to Iowa Agriculture and Land Values
— *Dr. Brent Gloy, Director, Center for Commercial Agriculture and Professor, Agricultural Economics, Purdue University*

9:45 —10:45 Climate and Weather: Climate Change and its Implications to Iowa Agriculture and Iowa Farmland
— *Dr. Chris Anderson, Assistant Director, ISU Climate Science Program and Assistant Professor, Agronomy, Iowa State University*

10:45 — 11:00 *Break*

11:00 — 12:00 Soil and Crop Management Technology: Using Unmanned Aerial Systems (Drones) and their Implications to Iowa Agriculture and Iowa Farm Farmland
— *Mr. Jerry Johnson, CEO & Founder, Farm Intelligence, Mankato, Minnesota*

12:00 — 1:00 *Lunch*

1:00 — 2:00 Energy: Hydraulic Fracturing – Some Concerns
— *Dr. Carl F. Vondra, Distinguished Professor, Emeritus, Department of Geological and Atmospheric Sciences, Iowa State University*

2:00 — 3:00 Livestock: Trends & Changes in Iowa Livestock Production and their Implications to Iowa Agriculture and Iowa Farmland
— *Dr. Lee Schultz, Assistant Professor, Economics Department, Iowa State University*

3:00 — 3:15 Iowa Land Values – Your Estimates
— *Larry D. Trede*

3:15 Adjourn/Mike Duffy Retirement Reception (3-5pm; program at 4:00pm)
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