

**North Central NELD
Seminar 4: Extension Leadership in the 21st Century
November 3-6, 2004**

**Hilton Garden Inn Franklin Square
Washington, D.C.**

Desired Outcomes of Seminar 3:

Participants will:

1. Understand how the entire Extension system functions through local, state, and federal partnerships.
2. Broaden and deepen their understanding of future funding trends facing Cooperative Extension.
3. Begin to formulate a local and system-wide organizational vision.
4. Continue to create action plans relative to knowledge gained.

Seminar Objectives:

1. Deepen participant understanding of effective national and regional Extension partnerships.
2. Explore and examine future funding trends and the impact on state and local extension programming.
3. Explore and deepen understanding of interest groups in government decision-making.
4. Create awareness that Extension personnel are part of a larger picture and they have a role in the future of the Cooperative Extension Service.

Pre-Seminar Reading

National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges Websites:

http://www.nasulgc.org/About_nasulgc.htm

http://www.nasulgc.org/cferr/board_on_agric/ext_comm_org.htm

North Central Cooperative Extension Association Website:

<http://www.nccea.org/index.html>

The Extension System: A Vision for the 21st Century:

<http://www.nasulgc.org/publications/agriculture/ecop2002vision.pdf>

Wednesday, November 3, 2004

Time	Content
5:30 - 6:15 p.m.	Dinner Buffet
6:15 - 6:45 p.m.	Welcome to Washington D.C. -Clarify Objectives and Expectations -Reflections on Previous NELD Session
6:45 - 9:00 p.m.	"Education for the Public Good" Robin Shepard, State Program Leader Community, Natural Resources and Economic Development – Wisconsin

Thursday, November 4, 2004

Time	Content
7:00 - 8:00 a.m.	Breakfast at the Hotel
8:00 - 10:00 a.m.	"Leading and Creating for Visionary Change" Natalie Schoch, Kellogg Foundation
10:00 - 10:15 a.m.	Break
10:15 – 11:30 a.m.	"Vision and Challenges for the Future" Carl O'Connor, Director North Central Cooperative Extension Association
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Lunch on Your Own
12:30 - 4:00 p.m.	Field Visits
4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Debriefing of Field Visits
6:00 -10:00 p.m.	Dinner as a group D.C. Night Monument Tour

Friday, November 5, 2004

Time	Content
8:00 - 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges 1307 New York Avenue, N.W.
8:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Welcome to NASULGC "Effective National & Regional Partnerships" Dick Wootton, Director Extension and Outreach Linda Kay Benning, Associate Director Federal Relations-Extension and Outreach
10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 -11:15 a.m.	Future of e-Extension Dan Cotton, Project Director University of Nebraska
Noon	Lunch @ NASULGC
1:00 -4:00 p.m.	Travel to Smithsonian Institution Group Discussion
7:00 -9:30 p.m.	Optional Reception @ Smithsonian Teachers' Night National Museum of the American Indian Fourth Street & Independence Avenue, S.W. Pre-registration required http://www.smithsonianeducation.org/educators/professional_development/teachers_night.html

Saturday, November 6, 2004

Time	Content
8:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Final Thoughts and Reflections of NELD Experience
9:30 – 10:15 a.m.	Brunch
10:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	2004 North Central NELD Class Celebration
Noon	Safe Journey Home