FORUM AGENDA

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FIELD ADVISOR
CHECKOFF PROGRAM

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14th 2027

8:00 - 8:30AM	**Registration & Breakfast**
8:30 - 8:45AM	**Welcome**
8:45 - 9:45AM	**"THE SOYBEAN OUTLOOK: GLOBAL MARKETS, PRODUCTION COSTS, AND FARM PROFITABILITY"** *Dr. Joana Colussi, Research Assistant Professor, Purdue University*
9:45 - 10:30AM	**"WEED MANAGEMENT INSIGHTS FOR 2027"** *Dr. Sarah Ganske, Associate Professor and Extension Specialist, Kansas State University*
10:30 - 10:55AM	**Networking Break & Poster Viewing**
10:55 - 11:25AM	**ISA Soybean Production Update**
11:25 - 12:20PM	**Lunch & Awards Presentation** **Field Advisor Awards & Poster Winners**
12:20 - 1:20PM	**"CHALLENGING SOYBEAN PRODUCTION SYSTEMS TO ACHIEVE HIGH YIELDS AND PROFITABILITY"** *Ken Ferrie, Agronomist, Crop-Tech Consulting INC*
1:20 - 2:05PM	**"GETTING TO THE ROOT OF THE PROBLEM: HIDDEN YIELD ROBBERS, SCN AND RED CROWN ROT"** *Panel: Dr. Boris X. Camiletti and Dr. Nathan Schroeder, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign*
2:05 - 2:30PM	**Networking Break & Poster Viewing**
2:30 - 3:15PM	**"OUT OF COLOR: WHAT SOYBEAN SEED QUALITY MEANS FROM FIELD TO GLOBAL MARKET"** *Panel: Dr. Rachel Vann, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, and Clayton Charles, FS Grain*
3:15 - 3:30PM	**Wrap-up, Raffle & Closing Remarks**