

Processing Snap Bean Advisory Meeting
Jordan Hall Auditorium
New York State Agricultural Experiment Station
630 W. North Street
Geneva, NY 14456

December 14, 2015

12:00 PM to 3:00 PM

AGENDA

(12:00 PM)

COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH with INVITED SPEAKER (joint session with Sweet Corn Advisory)

Dr. Paul Mitchell, University of Wisconsin - Madison

Update on the Specialty Crops Research Initiative Multistate Project: "Building Market Foundations For Sustainable Vegetable Production And Processing"

(1:00 PM Snap Bean Advisory Begins)

Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements (*Sign-in for DEC and CCA Credits*)

Roundtable Discussion of Grower and Processor Concerns About the 2015 Growing Season.

Review of 2015 Bean Research Projects Funded by the Association

- NYS Processing snap bean variety evaluations – *J. Ballerstein, Cornell*
- Weed management research for snap beans – *R. Bellinder, Cornell*
- Cropping practices and landscape factors associated with European corn borer populations: Implications for improving management in sweet corn and snap bean – *B. Nault, Cornell*
- Efficacy of fungicides for the management of white mold in processed snap bean in New York – *S. Pethybridge, Cornell*
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Establish Industry Priorities for 2016 Research.

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