



## The Asian Pacific Islander Organization & Women in NRCS 2015 Joint National Leadership Meeting w/ the SWCS Illinois Chapter

### Program Schedule in Brief

#### Thursday, August 6, 2015

5 pm	Registration Opens Poster and Vendor set up Silent Auction drop off and set up
5 to 5:30pm	Moderator Training
7 to 9pm	Welcoming Reception

#### Friday, August 7

7am to 5pm	Registration and Silent Auction
7 to 8:30am	Poster and Vendor Setup
7:30 to 8:00am	Welcoming light continental breakfast
8 to 10:30am	Welcome – APIO-WIN-SWCS -Message from NRCS -Welcome to Missouri -Keynote: Leadership for All Generations From Baby Boomers to Millennials -NRCS Emerging Leadership Program
10:30 to 11am	Break- poster/vendor/silent auction
11 to 12pm	Concurrent sessions: -Effective Workplace Communication -More on Emerging Leadership -Nutrient Loss Reduction Strategy
12 to 1:30pm	Luncheon – Leadership Panel
1:30 to 3pm	Concurrent sessions: -Cultural Competency workshop -Strategic Planning for your organization
3 to 3:30pm	Break- poster/vendor/silent auction

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3:30 to 5pm	Concurrent sessions: -How to talk to the media -Managing Conflict -Outreach to Women Farmers
5 to 7:30pm	APIO and WIN Annual Meetings Conversation with NRCS Leaders

#### Saturday, August 8

7 to 8am	Registration
7am to 5pm	Silent Auction
7:30 to 8:45am	Mentoring Breakfast
9 to 9:45am	LGBT Awareness and Literacy 101
9:45 to 10:30am	Health – Hot Topics!!
10:30 to 11am	Break- poster/vendor/silent auction
11 to 12pm	Concurrent Sessions -Toastmasters – Scared Speechless -Gender transitioning in the Federal Workplace -American Farmland Trust – Evolution of the Upper Salt Fork Watershed
12 to 1:30pm	Lunch on your own
1:30 to 2:30pm	Concurrent Sessions -Nature Conservancy – Evaluating Conservation Effectiveness -Social media and the federal employee and for nonprofits -Soil Health
2:30 to 3pm	Break- poster/vendor/silent auction
3 to 4:30pm	Concurrent sessions -Native Seed Mixes -Cover Crops -Sand Creek – Health
3 to 5:30pm	Poster and Vendor pickup
6pm	Silent Auction ends
7 to 9pm	Banquet and Entertainment Silent Auction pickup

