

Pearls of PRODUCTION

WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE



November 1 – 2, 2019
Drury Plaza Hotel East
Columbia, MO

Pearls of Production: Women in Agriculture is a program designed to provide a leadership and hands-on training opportunity for women involved in livestock production in Missouri. The program is designed to reach women who are playing larger roles and making key decisions in livestock production on the farm.

Friday, November 1, 2019

1:00 pm **Registration at Drury Plaza Hotel East, Columbia, MO**

1:15 pm **Welcome**

Vicky Hartzler, U.S. Representative, 4th District

Political View of MO Agriculture

2:00 pm **Load bus for Tour – HARC (Horticulture & Agroforestry Research Center), New Franklin, MO**

SilvoPastoral Practices, Nuts and Trees, plus developing heifer program

5:30 pm **Return to Drury Plaza Hotel East**

6:00 pm **Dinner and Keynote Speaker**

“Stronger than Yesterday”

Carey Portell

Saturday, November 2, 2019

Breakout Session Topics

- **Equine** – Elizabeth Picking and Marcia Shannon
Essential care & management, trailer loading, safety
- **Small Ruminants** – Charlotte Clifford-Rathert, Cory Bromfield, and Heather Conrow
Bud Box, rope halters, banded castration and injection techniques
- **Beef Production** – Jenna Monnig and Erin Larimore
DNA sampling, blood pregnancy testing, livestock handling/safety

Hands-on Down and Dirty Production

8:30 to 10:00 am	Breakout Session #1 (rotate thru all 3)
10:30 am to 12:00 pm	Breakout Session #2
12:00 to 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 to 2:30 pm	Breakout Session #3
2:30 pm	Adjourn

Conference Fees *(includes meals and refreshments)*

- \$130 **Early Registration** *(Includes T-shirt. Must be postmarked by October 14, 2019)*
- \$160 **Regular Registration** *(Beginning October 15, 2019)*
- \$50 **Discount for 2 regular/early registrations** submitted together
- \$80 **Student** *(current high school or full-time undergraduate)*

For Program and registration information visit:
<https://cvent.me/IXqXZ>

