

**MC: Chris Westergard**  
*NPGA President*

## **NPGA Annual Convention**

January 27th & 28th, 2020  
Clarion Hotel, Minot, ND

*We've packed a lot of information  
into two days.  
... don't miss a thing!*

### **MONDAY, January 27th**

<b>8:00—11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Exhibitor Set-up</b>	<i>Coliseum Room</i>
<b>9:30a.m.</b>	<b>Council Meeting</b>	<i>Aegean Room</i>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Council Luncheon</b>	<i>Aegean Room</i>
<b>11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Registration Opens</b>	<i>Convention Entrance Lobby</i>
<b>11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Coffee with Exhibitors</b>	<i>Coliseum Room</i>
<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Welcome to Attendees/Program Overview—General Session— Exhibition Room</b> Chris Westergard, <i>NPGA President &amp; Event MC</i> <b>NDDPLC Update—Kim Saueressig, NDDPLC Chairman</b>	

#### **TRACK ONE—Ionian Room**

#### **TRACK TWO—Mediterranean Room**

<b>1:30</b>	<b>NDSU Pulse Breeding Program</b> Dr. Nonoy Bandillo, <i>NDSU Pulse Breeder</i>	<b>Disease Issues</b> Dr. Julie Pasche, <i>NDSU Plant Pathologist</i>
<b>2:05</b>	<b>Weed Control Issues</b> Dr. Brian Jenks, <i>NDSU Weed Scientist</i>	<b>NDSU Pulse Breeding Program</b> Dr. Nonoy Bandillo, <i>NDSU Pulse Breeder</i>
<b>2:40</b>	<b>Disease Issues</b> Dr. Julie Pasche, <i>NDSU Plant Pathologist</i>	<b>Weed Control Issues</b> Dr. Brian Jenks, <i>NDSU Weed Scientist</i>

<b>3:15-3:45</b>	<b>Exhibitors' Break</b>	<i>Coliseum Room</i>
<b>3:45</b>	<b>Pest Management App</b> Andrew Friskop, PhD, <i>NDSU Extension Pathologist</i>	<i>Exhibition Room</i>
<b>4:15</b>	<b>Bruce Vincent— Keynote Speaker</b>	<i>Exhibition Room</i>
<b>5:00—7:00</b>	<b>Research Poster Session</b>	<i>Aegean Room</i>
<b>5:30p.m.</b>	<b>Exhibitors' Social</b>	<i>Coliseum Room</i>
<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Exhibitors' Dinner</b>	<i>Coliseum Room</i>

### **TUESDAY, January 28th**

<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Registration &amp; Coffee with Exhibitors</b>	<i>Coliseum Room</i>
<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Brunch and Business— General Session— Exhibition Room</b> (Free hot breakfast buffet for all during business meeting-8:00-9:30)	
<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Welcome to Attendees— General Session—Exhibition Room</b> Chris Westergard, <i>NPGA President</i>	
<b>8:35 a.m.</b>	<b>Messages from Congressional Representatives</b>	
<b>8:45 a.m.</b>	<b>NPGA Annual Business Meeting/Elections</b> Chris Westergard, <i>NPGA President</i> /Shannon Berndt, <i>NPGA Exec. Director</i> <b>NPGA Update—Chris Westergard/Shannon Berndt</b>	
<b>9:20 a.m.</b>	<b>USADPLC Update &amp; Policy Positions</b> Tim McGreevy, <i>CEO—USA Dry Pea &amp; Lentil Council</i> Beau Anderson, <i>USADPLC Chair</i>	
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Platinum Sponsor Update</b>	
<b>10:20—10:50 a.m.</b>	<b>Exhibitors' Break</b>	<i>Coliseum Room</i>
<b>10:50 a.m.</b>	<b>Trade Issues/International Markets</b> TBA	<i>Exhibition Room</i>
<b>11:20 a.m.</b>	<b>TBA xxxxxxxxx</b>	
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Awards Luncheon</b>	<i>Ionian &amp; Mediterranean Room</i>
<b>2:00</b>	<b>NPGA Board Meeting/Re-Organization</b>	<i>Aegean Room</i>