

**2025 EPAF/UF/IFAS Extension Symposium Conference**  
**May 12-15, 2025**  
**Hilton Daytona Beach Oceanfront Resort**

**Monday, May 12**

10:00 AM	5:00 PM	Set-Up <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Registration / Information Center: North Tower</li><li>• IFAS Bookstore Set-up: Dolphin Room</li><li>• Exhibits: Pre-function North Tower</li><li>• Auction Storage: Manatee Room</li></ul>
10:00 AM	6:00 PM	Registration Open: North Tower Registration Desk
10:00 AM to 12:30 PM		EPAF Board Meeting & Lunch for board: Oceanview Room & Terrace

**Association Board Meetings**

1:00 PM to 2:15 PM	FACAA Board Meeting: Grand Salon 1-3
1:00 PM to 2:15 PM	FEAFCS Board Meeting: Ponce DeLeon Room
1:00 PM to 2:15 PM	FAE4HA Board Meeting: Coquina A
1:00 PM to 2:15 PM	FANREP Board Meeting: Coquina B
1:00 PM to 2:15 PM	ESP Board Meeting: Grand Salon 4
1:00 PM to 2:15 PM	FACDEP Board Meeting: Coquina C

**Association Membership Meetings**

2:30 PM	4:00 PM	FACAA Membership Meeting: Grand Salon 1-3
2:30 PM	4:00 PM	FEA4-HA Membership Meeting: Coquina A
2:30 PM	4:00 PM	FEAFCS Membership Meeting: Ponce DeLeon Room
2:30 PM	4:00 PM	FANREP Membership Meeting: Coquina B
2:30 PM	4:00 PM	FACDEP Membership Meeting: Coquina C
4:10 PM	5:30 PM	ESP Membership Meeting: Grand Salon 4

**Tuesday, May 13**

6:30 AM	7:00 AM	Healthy Living Activity: Volusia B
7:00 AM	6:00PM	Registration Open: North Tower Registration Desk IFAS Bookstore: Dolphin Room Exhibits Open: Coquina Pre-Function North

7:00 AM		Breakfast buffet Opens: Coquina Pre-Function <b>Communication Award Plaques need to be placed on the tables in the front before 7:15am</b>
7:45 AM	9:00 AM	<b>Communications Award Breakfast:</b> Coquina DE Slide Presentation for awards and winners walk across stage to receive plaques. Pictures will be taken up front at the side with Association Presidents for individuals who want a picture.
9:00 AM	9:45 AM	Welcome: Dr. Scott Angle, Senior Vice President of Agriculture and Natural Resources
9:45 AM	10:15 AM	Vonda Richardson, Extension Administrator, Florida A&M University <b><i>Host and Ticket Takers: FEAFCs</i></b>
		<b><u>Oral Presentations</u></b>
10:30 AM	11:45 AM	<b>Oral Presentations</b>  FEAFCS: Ponce DeLeon Room FACAA: Grand Salon 1-3 FAE4-HA: Coquina A ESP: Grand Salon 4 FANREP: Coquina B FACDEP: Coquina C
12:00 PM	1:00 PM	Lunch: Coquina DEFGH Welcome from Volusia County: Dr. Brad Burbaugh, Volusia County Community Services Director <b><i>Host and Ticket Takers: ESP</i></b>
		<b>Oral Presentations</b>
1:00 PM	4:30 PM	FEAFCS: Ponce DeLeon Room FACAA: Grand Salon 1-3 FAE4-HA: Coquina A ESP: Grand Salon 4 FANREP: Coquina B FACDEP: Coquina C
4:30 PM	6:30 PM	Photo Shoot: Coquina Pre-Function Networking for others
6:30 PM	9:30 PM	Buffet Served: and doors opened

**DSA, Friends of Extension & Retirees Banquet:**  
 Coquina DEFGH  
 Honor Retirees  
 Friends of Extension & Outstanding Agriculturalists  
 Awards, Program Staff of the Year, Hall of Fame,  
 DSA Awards and Specialists Awards  
 ESP Memorial Service  
***Host and Ticket Takers: FACDEP***

**Wednesday, May 14**

6:30 AM	7:00 AM	Healthy Living Activity: Volusia B
7:30 AM	6:30 PM	Registration Open: North Tower Registration Desk Exhibits Open: Coquina Pre-Function North IFAS Bookstore
7:00 AM		Breakfast Buffet line open: Coquina Pre-Function Breakfast: Coquina DEFGH
8:15 AM	9:00 AM	Educational Time Chip Blalock/Sunbelt Expo Executive Director, Sunbelt Agricultural Exposition
9:00 AM	9:30 AM	Dr. Andra Johnson, Dean and Director, UF/IFAS Extension
9:30 AM		Wrap up & direction to Concurrent Session Rooms <b><i>Host and Ticket Takers: FACAA</i></b>
9:30 AM	11:30 AM	Symposium Concurrent Sessions  Grand Salon 4 - Initiative 1 Ag and Hort. Grand Salon 3 - Initiative 2 Water Coquina A – Initiative 3 Nat Res. and Environ. Ponce DeLeon - Initiative 4 Sustainable Communities Coquina C – Initiative 5 Healthy Lives Grand Salon 1-2 – Initiative 6 Com. Res./Development Coquina B – Initiative 7 Youth
11:30 AM	1:30 PM	Lunch Presentation: Coquina DE Keynote Speaker: Dr. Brent Hales, Assoc. VP for Research & Extension UC Agriculture & Natural Resources, Davis, California <b><i>Host and Ticket Takers: FAE4-HA</i></b>

2:15 PM	3:15 PM	<p>Symposium Concurrent Sessions</p> <p><u>Grand Salon 3</u> The 4-H Thrive Model: A Framework for Youth Engagement in Extension Brent Broadus</p> <p><u>Grand Salon 1&amp;2</u> Introduction to PEARS Sara Fluer</p> <p><u>Coquina C</u> EDIS: What is an EDIS Doc Diana Hagan</p> <p><u>Coquina B</u> Conducting Quantitative Needs Assessments Matt Benge &amp; Peyton Beattie</p> <p><u>Ponce DeLeon</u> Florida Sea Grant Extension Updates Maia McGuire</p> <p><u>Grand Salon 4</u> Preparing for Hurricane Season: Disaster Mgmt. &amp; Assessments Angie Lindsey &amp; Christa Court</p> <p><u>Coquina A</u> Extension Online Learning is Leveling Up: Discover, Strategize, &amp; Succeed Katrina Alford, Kaelyn Nelson, &amp; Barbra Larson</p>
3:30 PM	4:30 PM	<p>Symposium Concurrent Sessions</p> <p><u>Grand Salon 3</u> The Power of Doing: Engaging Youth Through Experiential Learning Derby Sale &amp; Stacey Ellison</p> <p><u>Grand Salon 1&amp;2</u> AI in Action: Youseful Demos &amp; Tools Joe Gasper</p>

Grand Salon 4

EDIS Panel

Diana Hagan, Amy Simonne, Katie Stofer,  
Saqib Mukhtar, & Marcello Wallau

Coquina B

Quantifying Impacts

Sebastian Galindo

Ponce DeLeon

UF/IFAS Hurricane & Disaster Communication Plan

Angie Lindsey, Christa Court, Darryl Palmer, Chris  
Vivian, & Meredith Bauer

Coquina A

BINGO! Developing & Teaching Engaging Extension

Online Learning Courses

Katrina Alford, Kaelyn Nelson, & Barbra Larson

5:30 PM

Doors OPEN to Look at Auction Items Coquina  
DEFGH

6:00 PM

9:30 PM

**Deans Dinner and EPAF Auction**

(Live & Silent) and

ICS Takes group photo

***Host and Ticket Takers: FANREP***

**10:00 PM**

**All Posters & Exhibit Tables Down**

**Thursday, May 15**

6:30 AM

7:00 AM

Healthy Living Activity: Volusia B

7:00 AM

8:00 AM

Registration: North Tower Registration Desk

7:30 AM

9:30 AM

Breakfast: Coquina DEFGH

***Ticket Takers: FEAFCs***

9:30 AM

11:30 AM

**Administrative Update:** Coquina DEFGH

12:00 PM

1:30 PM

EPAF Board Meeting with Lunch: Oceanview Room