## Beginning Farmer Service Organization Professional Development Training October 28-30, 2013

Century House, 997 New Loudon Rd, Latham, NY 12110

#### **Advanced Organic Vegetable Production Agenda**

### Monday, October 28, 2013

Time	Theme-Location	Presenter/Facilitators		
9:00-9:25 AM	<b>WELCOME:</b> Review Goals, Expectations – White Ballroom	Anu Rangarajan		
Workshop 1 – East Room				
9:30-10:30 AM	Organic Rotation Planning: Presentation	Chuck Mohler		
10:30-11:30 AM	Participant Presentations and Teaching Methods Sharing	Tianna Dupont		
11:30-12:15 PM	Group Discussion, Action Plan, and Evaluation	Ryan Maher		
Lunch: 12:30-1:15 PM – White Ballroom				
Workshop 2 - East Room				
1:30-2:30 PM	Organic Weed Management: Presentation	Eric Gallandt		
2:30-3:30 PM	Discussion and Teaching Methods Sharing	Brian Caldwell		
3:30-4:15 PM	Group Discussion, Action Plan, and Evaluation	Ryan Maher		
Dinner: 5:15-6:45 PM – Main Ballroom				
Roundtable – Commons Room				
7:00-9:00 PM	Cultural Competency: Improving Cultural Competencies, Inclusiveness and Communication to Reach Diverse BF Audiences	Gail Myers, Mary Peabody, Eduardo Gonzalez, and Joanna Green		

### Tuesday, October 29, 2013

Time	Theme - Location	Presenters/Facilitators		
9:00 -9:25 AM	Review of Previous Day and Process – White Ballroom	Anu Rangarajan		
Workshop 3 – East Room				
9:30-10:30 AM	Organic Soil Management: Presentation	Elsa Sanchez and Brian Caldwell		
10:30-11:30 AM	Participant Presentations and Teaching Methods Sharing	Tianna Dupont		
11:30-12:15 PM	Group Discussion, Action Plan, and Evaluation	Ryan Maher		

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Lunch: 12:30-1:15 PM – White Ballroom				
Workshop 4 – East Room				
1:30-2:30 PM	Organic Insect Management: Presentation	Ruth Hazzard		
2:30-3:30 PM	Participant Presentations and Teaching Methods Sharing	Tianna Dupont		
3:30-4:15 PM	Group Discussion, Action Plan, and Evaluation	Ryan Maher		
Dinner: 5:15-6:45 PM – Main Ballroom				
Roundtable – Commons Room				
7:00 – 9:00 PM	Cultural Competency: Engaging Veterans, African Americans, Hispanics and other non-Traditional BF Audiences	Tia Christopher, Joanna Green, Gail Myers, Mary Peabody, Karen Washington, Christopher Wayne		

## Wednesday, October 30, 2013

Time	Theme - Location	Presenters/Facilitators		
9:00 -9:25 AM	Review of Previous Day and Process – White Ballroom	Anu Rangarajan		
Workshop 5 – East Room				
9:30-10:30 AM	Organic Disease Management: Presentation	Meg McGrath		
10:30-11:30 AM	Participant Presentations and Teaching Methods Sharing	Tianna Dupont		
11:30-12:00 PM	Group Discussion, Action Plan, and Evaluation	Ryan Maher		
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