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Seed Conference Survey
December 6, 2023 7:56 AM MST

## Q1 - I found session 1: human perspectives on seed to be:



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Not at all informative	0.00% 0
2	Somewhat informative	0.00% 0
3	Very informative	92.00% 23
4	I did not attend	8.00% 2

#### Q2 - Please share any comments about this session

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Reminded me of how I thought years ago- and that's a very good thing

Panel was incredible. I very much appreciated hearing a variety of unique, and all equally valuable, perspectives on seed and its preservation. Thank you to the panelists who shared how their cultural connections inform and inspire what they grow and how they grow; our relationships with nature, food, and seed, are undoubtedly informed by our histories, heritage, and cultures. Inspiring and illuminating. Thank you!

I was blown away by the nuance and heart that presenters brought to the discussion of racial perspective on seed. I cried but also felt energized. It felt like there is a path for me as a white person to do seed work as an ally.

It's essentiall to the furtherance of seed saving that events/forums like this be produced to inspire and educate, but also to introduce new seed savers to the possibilities. the relationships that are forged are invaluable. The knowedge that's shared excelerates the process for all.

Loved hearing all the different perspectives, very heartfelt and powerful

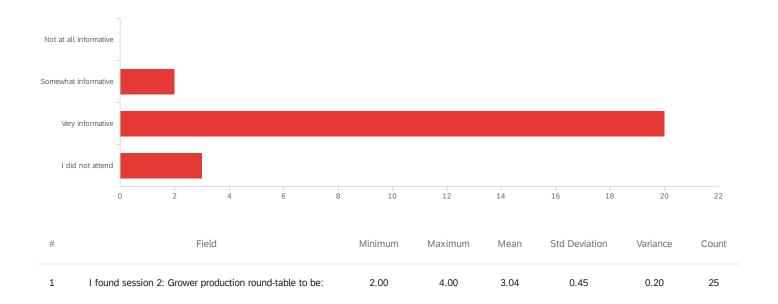
Good to hear a selection of perspectives on seed

Well organized, great speakers

Loved hearing the stories about the history of the seeds. Helps to feel a connection to the seed and its journey to get here.

I will be watching the recording later this weekend!

# Q3 - I found session 2: Grower production round-table to be:



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Not at all informative	0.00% 0
2	Somewhat informative	8.00% 2
3	Very informative	80.00% 20
4	I did not attend	12.00% 3

### Q6 - Please share any comments about this session

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Gained more insight into basic seed production

Honestly, the panelists did a stellar job across the board. Here, I found the discussions surrounding open-pollination and isolation to be quite interesting. Amirah's breakdown of techniques (communication, timing, containment, etc) was excellent and I believe it was Heron who emphasized the importance of understanding each crop one grows—how is it pollinated, for example? I sometimes forget that some plants are self-pollinating, others are pollinated by wind... The discussion inspired a feeling to have an even greater intimate relationship with the crops I grow, which I think is a rather beautiful concept.

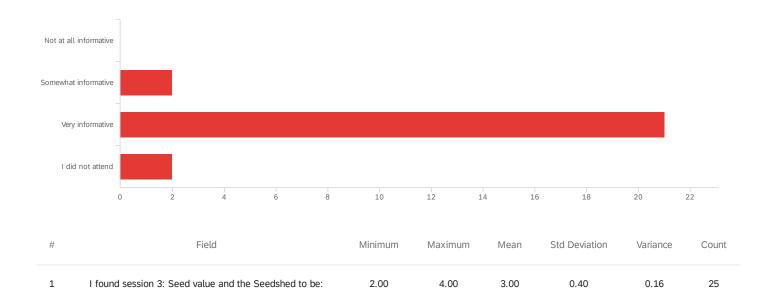
So much helpful information!

A whirlwind introduction to seed growing

I learned a lot, exceeded expectations.

Going to be watching it this weekend!

## Q4 - I found session 3: Seed value and the Seedshed to be:



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1	Not at all informative	0.00% 0
2	Somewhat informative	8.00% 2
3	Very informative	84.00% 21
4	I did not attend	8.00% 2

#### Q5 - Please share any comments about this session

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Really opened up my eyes

To be totally transparent, I loathe to say this one felt less informative, but I say that only as I personally felt overwhelmed. I found the pace challenging to follow, particularly with the spreadsheets and numbers (I can't say that I excel in that area (pun intended)). With that being said, I also want to emphasize that naturally there is a lot of information to take in at this stage and this was intended as an overview, so I've determined my patience is essential to the process! I do believe that, throughout the course, the concepts outlined here will begin to feel more manageable and comprehensible. I have no doubt; I think those spearheading this are doing an incredible job. The reality is there's much to break down here, so it may take time to digest questions concerning things such as: how does one determine the amount of space given to a crop? How does one ensure it's profitability? What are the regulations? Germ tests? How to properly measure for packaging... (let's be honest, right now I count one by one!)

Very thorough!

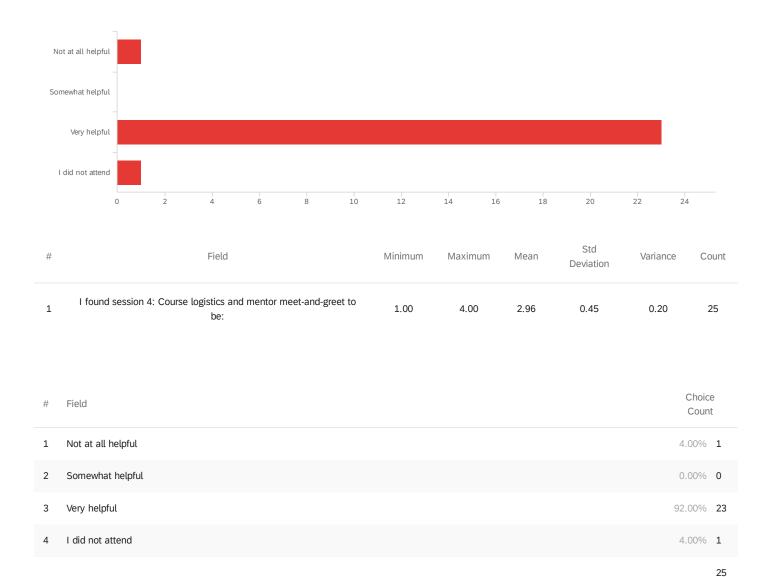
Appreciated that a range of values was represented from seeds feeding a community to the monetary value of commercial seed production

Fantastic practical and accessible knowledge shared.

So many perspectives!

Gotta catch up this weekend!

### Q7 - I found session 4: Course logistics and mentor meet-and-greet to be:



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