

Building Soils for Better Crops

2016 CONFERENCE

November 29th, Moses Lake, WA
Big Bend Community College, ATEC Building

- 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 *Check-in and On-site Registration*
- 9:00 – 9:05 **Welcome**
Andy McGuire, WSU CSANR
- 9:05 – 9:55 **Nutrient Placement in Strip-till and No-till**
Fabian Fernandez, University of Minnesota
- 9:55 – 10:45 **Emerging Soil amendments: Promises, Potential, and Pitfalls**
Kristin Trippe, USDA-ARS, Corvallis OR
- 10:45 – 11:00 *Break*
- 11:00 – 11:50 **Humic Substances, Uses and Abuses**
Mir M Seyedbagheri, University of Idaho (retired)
- 11:50 – Noon *Discussion and questions*
- Noon – 12:40 *Lunch*
- 12:40 – 1:20 **Practical Insights from the Current Views of Soil Organic Matter**
Andy McGuire, WSU CSANR
- 1:20 – 2:10 **Soil Acidification, Liming on Western soils**
Haiying Tao, WSU
- 2:10 – 2:25 *Break*
- 2:25 – 3:05 **Soil Health at NRCS**
Jennifer Moore Kucera, NRCS Soil Health Division, West Regional
Team Leader
- 3:05 – 3:35 **Economics of Soil Building**
Eric Williamson, Grower, George WA
- 3:35 – 4:15 **Results of Soil Improvement practices in Columbia Basin**
David Granatstein, WSU CSANR
- 4:15 – 4:30 *Questions and wrap-up*

Moderators: David Granatstein and Andy McGuire

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