

# AgrAbility National Training Workshop

March 20-23, 2017 • Early registration discounts if registered March 4th!

REGISTRATION ENDS MARCH 16th • NO ONSITE REGISTRATION

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## MONDAY, MARCH 20

### PRE-CONFERENCE SESSIONS

We hope you will be able to join us for one of our pre-conference tours or breakout sessions that will take place from 1:00-4:00 p.m. on Monday, March 20. Transportation will be provided.

#### New Staff Training

This session gives an overview of the AgrAbility Program for new staff members or those wanting a refresher. Some topics covered include a perspective from the USDA, the role of the National Project, resources available, evaluation procedures, and sources of help inside and outside AgrAbility. Participants will also have opportunities to network with one another, NAP staff members, and USDA contacts.

#### Reducing the Risk of Secondary Injury and Enhancing Emergency Preparedness for AgrAbility Clientele

This professional development session will focus on the problem of secondary injuries including occupation-related deaths and their impact on agricultural producers and workers. Additional topics include emergency preparedness for people with disabilities in rural areas and farm safety issues, such as tractor safety. The fee for this session is \$25.00

## CONFERENCE REFUND POLICY

Full refunds are available before March 14. After that date, a \$100 processing fee will be charged on all refunds. Please contact Pamela Walker-Stokes for more information.

For registration information, contact Conference Registration at 866-515-0023 or e-mail: [confreg@purdue.edu](mailto:confreg@purdue.edu)

## REGISTER ONLINE

[www.conf.purdue.edu/nta17](http://www.conf.purdue.edu/nta17)

## THURSDAY, MARCH 23

### CONFERENCE TOURS

#### OPTION 1

(Full Day Tour)

**Discover AT at UT.** Participants will spend the day discovering Assistive Technology and tools as well as assessing worksites while on the UT campus. AT vendors will provide details on products, and opportunities to test them out and see them in action. Worksite Assessment activities will be woven into the day, providing participants with real opportunities for looking at the best alternatives to meet client needs and discuss options others may have utilized.

#### OPTION 2

(Full Day Tour with mid-day drop off at hotel)

**Organics, Value-added Agriculture and More!** Visit a farm that is maximizing value with a winery, vineyard, beef operation, farm store and custom CSA. Learn how this farmer-veteran has made the most of his land and opportunity. Afternoon stops will include the East Tennessee Ag Research and Education Center (ETREC) Organic Crops Unit, where research emphasizes sustainable and organic crop production, and a hydroponics farm. This tour will drop interested participants at the hotel location at approximately noon, providing options for afternoon air travel.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

For information about the conference content, contact:  
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*All workshops and tour stops are subject to change. Please visit the website for the most current details at:*

[HTTP://WORKSHOP.AGRABILITY.ORG/NTW](http://WORKSHOP.AGRABILITY.ORG/NTW)

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## Fees

I will be attending a pre-conference session (select one below):

- NewStaffTraining–NOFEE
- Worksite Assessments for Assistive Technology – \$25

Early Registration Fee (on or before March 4) – \$400

Late Registration Fee (after March 4) – \$450

Registration Fee - Farmer/Rancher – \$325

Registration Fee - Student – \$200

One-Day Registration – \$225

Select Day:  Tuesday  Wednesday

One-Day Farmer/Rancher Registration – \$100

Select Day:  Tuesday  Wednesday

One-Day Student Registration – \$75

Select Day:  Tuesday  Wednesday

Wednesday Evening Guest Banquet Only – \$50

Guest Thursday Tour Fee for those attending with full conference participant – \$50

Guest Name \_\_\_\_\_

Tour Selection \_\_\_\_\_

Commercial Exhibitor Fee – \$150

Non-Profit Exhibitor Fee – \$125

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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I request the following accommodations:

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I require accessible transportation.

I have the following dietary needs: \_\_\_\_\_

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I am interested in participating as a conference vendor. Please contact me.

I will be attending the reception on Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at 5pm

I will be attending the following tour on Thursday (check one):

- Option 1: **Exploring AT at UT**
- Option 2: *Hydroponics, Organics, /Value-Added and More*
- I will not be attending a Thursday tour

**Payment Method** Payment is required upon submission of registration.

Enclosed is a check made payable to **Purdue University**.

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