

MANRRS35 NATIONAL VIRTUAL CONFERENCE 2021 AGENDA

All times are listed in EST.

TUESDAY – APRIL 6TH

11:00 AM – 1:30 PM

Contest

UG Public Speaking
 Impromptu Speaking
 3-Minute Thesis
 Elevator Speech
 Business Pitch
 Research Discussion
 Interview Contest
 UG Oral Research – Div. I
 UG Oral Research – Div. II
 GR Oral Research – Div. I
 GR Oral Research – Div. II
 UG Research Poster – Div. I/Div. II
 GR Research Poster – Div. I/Div. II

1:30 – 2:30 PM

Break

2:30 – 3:15 PM

Diversity Summit **LIVE**

Opening & Keynote with **Khalil Muhammad** (Co-Sponsored by BASF and CHS, Inc.)

3:15 – 3:20 PM

Break

3:20 – 4:05 PM

Diversity Summit **LIVE**

Leading Change and Innovation through Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion.

4:05 – 4:10 PM

Break

4:10 – 4:35 PM

Diversity Summit **LIVE**

Closing

WEDNESDAY – APRIL 7TH

Career Preview Day

ALL DAY

Launch Pre-Recorded Sessions

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Opening General Session **LIVE**

Reclaiming Our Time with **Dr. Antomia Farrell**

12:30 – 12:35 PM

Break

12:35 – 1:25 PM

Breakouts **LIVE**

Breakout 1A - Empowering New Voices in Agriculture Policy

Breakout 1B - Understanding the Impact of Climate Change

Breakout 1C - Jobs in the Food and Agriculture Economy

1:25 – 1:30 PM

Break

1:30 – 2:20 PM

Breakouts **LIVE**

Breakout 2A - Navigating Graduate & Professional School: The Good, Bad, & Ugly

Breakout 2B - Hemp & Cannabis in Agriculture: Farming & Future Implications

Breakout 2C - Innovation & Entrepreneurship: What's the Next Big Idea in Ag?

2:20 – 2:35 PM

Break

2:35 – 3:30 PM

General Session & Keynote with **Janie Hipp** **LIVE**

Reclaiming Our Territory

3:30 – 5:00 PM

Networking Lounge



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THURSDAY – APRIL 8TH

ALL DAY	Pre-Recorded Sessions
11:30 AM – 1:00 PM	General Session <i>LIVE</i> Executive Leadership Panel: <i>Inspiring Leaders for Today</i>
1:00 – 5:00 PM	Career Fair
2:30 – 3:30 PM	Chapter Advisor Breakouts <i>LIVE</i> Breakout 3A - (New Advisors/ <i>Potential</i>) How to Build and Sustain a Thriving MANRRS Chapter Breakout 3B - (Returning) Chapter RE-building after COVID: Brainstorming & Sharing Ideas

FRIDAY – APRIL 9TH

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM	Meeting Undergraduate Graduate Professionals
12:30 – 1:30 PM	Break & Tally
1:30 – 3:30 PM	Business Meeting & Voting
3:00 – 3:30	Break
3:30 – 4:30	General Session & Award Ceremony <i>LIVE</i> Reclaiming our Triumph with Dr. Olga Bolden-Tiller
6:30 – 8:30 PM	Jr. MANRRS Kick-Off Event/ Scavenger Hunt <i>LIVE</i>

SATURDAY – APRIL 10TH

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	Jr. MANRRS Contest Public Speaking Impromptu Speaking
12:30 – 12:40 PM	Break
12:30 – 1:05 PM	High School Symposium <i>LIVE</i> Opening & Keynote with Justin Shaifer
1:05 – 1:10 PM	Break
1:10 – 2:00 PM	High School Symposium <i>LIVE</i> Ice Cream Saturday with Dr. Maya Warren Breakout 1A - Graphic Design & Social Media Usage Breakout 1B - The Collegiate Journey
2:00 – 2:05 PM	Break
2:05 – 2:55 PM	High School Symposium <i>LIVE</i> Breakout 2A - Graphic Design & Social Media Usage Breakout 2B - Careers that Rock in Food, Agriculture, and Natural Resources
2:55 – 3:05 PM	Break
3:05 – 3:30 PM	High School Symposium <i>LIVE</i> Closing Ceremony & Awards

