

## 2024 Northeast Region Agribusiness & CCA Advanced Training Schedule

**In-person:** November 19 and 20, 2024 (full days)  
**Virtual:** December 10 and 11, 2024 (8:00 am - 12:30 pm)

### Pest Management\*\*

CCA Sessions				
PM	Live	1	NYS DEC Update*	Anthony LaManno
PM	Live	1	Identification, Epidemiology, and Management of Prominent Diseases of Corn and Soybean in the Northeast	Jaime Cummings
PM	Virtual	1	Future of Pesticide Use in the United States*	Brigit Rollins
Cornell Field Crop Dealer Meeting				
PM	Live	1	Weed Science Research Update*	Vipan Kumar
PM	Live	1	Seed Corn Maggot Risk Assessment*	Mike Hunter, Katja Poveda

*\*Session only offered one time*

*\*\* all Pest Management sessions are approved for NYS DEC Certified Pesticide Applicator Credits*

### Nutrient Management

CCA Sessions				
NM	Virtual	1	Conservation Practices: Lifespans and Continued O&M*	Peter Wright
NM	Virtual	1	N Credits from Cover Crops*	Charlie White, Heather Darby, Kirsten Workman
NM	Virtual	1	Carbon footprint of fertilizer sources*	Emma Long
NM	Live	1	Manure Storage Safety	Kirsten Workman, Jason Oliver
NM	Live	1	4R Program Overview*	NYS 4R Program Board
Cornell Field Crop Dealer Meeting				
NM	Live	1	Managing dairy manure for increased soil health and forage production sustainability*	Juan Carlos Ramos Sanchez, G.Kaur, A. Villanueva, C. Irias, K. Workman, Q. Ketterings

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## Soil and Water Management

CCA Sessions				
SW	Virtual	1	Cows, Climate and Carbon: Challenges and Opportunities for Dairy*	Karl Czymmek
SW	Live	1	Livestock Mortality Management	Jean Bonhotal, Kirsten Workman
SW	Live	1	AEM and USDA Program Updates*	Greg Albrecht, Josh Hornesky
SW	Live	1	BMPs for Concentrated Flows and Gully Erosion	Tom, Eskildsen, Greg Albrecht, Peter Martens
SW	Virtual	1	Manure Storage Covers - case studies	Lauren Ray, Jason Oliver

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## Crop Management

CCA Sessions				
CM	Live	1	Crop Insurance Utilization	Crop Growers Insurance
CM	Virtual	1	Field Crop Weather Outlook*	Eric Snodgras
CM	Live	1	Corn Genetics Update	TBA
CM	Virtual	1	Perennial Forage Establishment and UMaine Legume Variety Trials*	Jaime Garzon
CM	Live	1	Getting the Most Value out of Field Data	Aaron Breimer
Cornell Field Crop Dealer Meeting				
CM	Live	1	NYS Seed Improvement Program*	RJ Richtmyer

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## Professional Development

CCA Concurrent Sessions				
PD	Live	1	NYSABA Business Mtg & Legislative Updates*	Bruce Geiger, Jeanette Marvin
PD	Virtual	1	Crop Economic Outlook*	Veronica Nigh

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## SCHEDULE – ADVANCED TRAINING

### *In-person* Day 1, Tuesday

Day	Time	Area	Room	Topic	Speakers	
	8:00 - 9:00	<b>Registration, Coffee</b>				
	9:00 – 10:00	NM	A	Manure Storage Safety	Kirsten Workman, Jason Oliver	
	9:00 – 10:00	SW	B	AEM and USDA Program Updates*	Greg Albrecht, Josh Hornesky	
	10:00 – 11:00	PD	A	NYSABA Business Mtg & Legislative Updates*	Bruce Geiger, Jeanette Marvin	
	10:00 – 11:00	SW	B	Manure Storage Covers - case studies	Lauren Ray, Jason Oliver	
	11:00 – 12:00	NM	A	Manure Storage Safety	Kirsten Workman, Jason Oliver	
	11:00 – 12:00	SW	B	Manure Storage Covers - case studies	Lauren Ray, Jason Oliver	
Lunch	12:00 - 1:00					
<b>Cornell Field Crop Dealer Meetings</b>						
	1:00 – 2:00	CM	<b>A&amp;B</b>	NYS Seed Improvement Program*	RJ Richtmyer	
	2:00 – 3:00	NM	<b>A&amp;B</b>	Managing dairy manure for increased soil health and forage production sustainability*	Juan Carlos Ramos Tanchez, G.Kaur, A. Villanueva, C. Irias, K. Workman, Q. Ketterings	
Break	3:00 - 3:30					
	3:30 - 4:30	PM	<b>A&amp;B</b>	Seed Corn Maggot Risk Assessment*	Mike Hunter, Katja Poveda	
	4:30 - 5:30	PM	<b>A&amp;B</b>	Weed Science Extension Program*	Vipan Kumar	
	5:30-6:30	<b>Social Hour</b>				

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### *In-person* Day 2, Wednesday

Day	Time	Area	Room	Topic	Speakers
	8:00 - 9:00	SW	A	Livestock Mortality Management	Jean Bonhotal, Kirsten Workman
	8:00 - 9:00	CM	B	Getting the Most Value out of Field Data	Aaron Breimer
	9:00 - 10:00	CM	A	Crop Insurance Utilization	Crop Growers Insurance
	9:00 - 10:00	PM	B	Identification, Epidemiology, and Management of Prominent Diseases of Corn and Soybean in the Northeast	Jaime Cummings
Break	10.00 - 10.30				
	10:30 - 11:30	CM	A	Crop Insurance Utilization	Crop Growers Insurance
	10:30 - 11:30	SW	B	Livestock Mortality Management	Jean Bonhotal, Kirsten Workman
	11:30 - 12:30	CM	A	Getting the Most Value out of Field Data	Aaron Breimer
	11:30 - 12:30	SW	B	BMPs for Concentrated Flows and Gully Erosion	Tom, Eskildsen, Greg Albrecht, Peter Martens
Lunch	12:30 – 1:30	<b>Lunch</b>			
	1:30 – 2:30	NM	A	4R Program Overview*	NYS 4R Program Board
	1:30 – 2:30	CM	B	Corn Genetics Update	TBA
	2:30 – 3:30	PM	A	NYS DEC Update*	Anthony LaManno
	2:30 – 3:30	SW	B	BMPs for Concentrated Flows and Gully Erosion	Tom, Eskildsen, Greg Albrecht, Peter Martens
	3:30 – 4:30	CM	A	Corn Genetics Update	TBA
	3:30 – 4:30	PM	B	Identification, Epidemiology, and Management of Prominent Diseases of Corn and Soybean in the Northeast	Jaime Cummings

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## Day 1, Tuesday *Virtual*

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	8:00 - 9:00	SW	Cows, Climate and Carbon: Challenges and Opportunities for Dairy	Karl Czymmek
	9:00 - 10:00	NM	N Credits from Cover Crops	Charlie White, Heather Darby, Kirsten Workman
Coffee Break	10.00 - 10.30			
	10:30 - 11:30	CM	Field Crop Weather Outlook	Eric Snodgras
	11:30 - 12:30	PM	Future of Pesticide Use in the United States	Brigit Rollins

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	8:00 - 9:00	SW	Conservation Practices: Lifespans and Continued O&M	Peter Wright
	9:00 - 10:00	NM	Carbon footprint of fertilizer sources	Emma Long
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### Registration Questions

Contact : Jeanette Marvin ([nysagri@gmail.com](mailto:nysagri@gmail.com))

### CCA Basic Training

The Basic Training is designed to help aspiring CCA's prepare for Northeast Region CCA exam and will consist of a combination of one in-person session (Nov. 19th) and five virtual sessions (Jan. 2025).

**Participants are STRONGLY encouraged to attend ALL sessions.**

*As a bonus, the basic training registration includes access to Advanced Training Sessions (Nov. 20, in-person, and Dec. 10 & 11, virtual)*

Training Registration: <https://www.northeastregioncca.com/>

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