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Subject: Future Applied Stats in Ag Conference updates

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- (1) I received the 2018 participants list from K-state; thanks Nora for taking care of this. I will send out a Doodle poll to judge the level of interest.
- (2) The target date for the conference would be Sunday April 26 - Tuesday April 28, 2020. This is at the tail end of Finals week and the weekend before the Spring graduation madhouse.
- (3) I will meet with the IFAS conference planning staff next week. They offer two conference packages viz. Basic Service and Full Service (<https://conference.ifas.ufl.edu/index.html>). I have spoken to some people who have used their services; my contacts were satisfied with the level of support they received.
- (4) Do I remember correctly that Guilherme Rosa, Bruce Craig, and Xian Dai 'volunteered' to be on the program planning committee. Other are certainly welcome. I am looking for ideas for an overarching theme for the conference as well as leads for a workshop clinician.
- (5) Also, I'd like to float the following name for the conference 'Applied Statistics in Agriculture, Animal Health, and Natural Resources'

I'll keep you posted on further developments

In God we trust, all others need to bring data.

Docendo discimus

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