For 69 years, Extension professionals have met to interact, share recent research, and strategically align programmatic efforts for the year ahead. The 2023 conference will be held in Kansas City, Missouri August 14 & 15, 2023. Conference registration and suggested lodging can be found on the conference webpage: [https://shorturl.at/mtvX7](https://shorturl.at/mtvX7). A full schedule with speakers will be shared as soon as it is finalized. The schedule will follow this format.

### Sunday, August 13th
- **6:00 pm** Casual dinner for those in town (Old Chicago - in hotel)

### Monday, August 14th
- **9:00 - 11:00 am** North Central Farm Management Committee Meeting (agenda to come)
- **11:00 am - 12:30 pm** Lunch on your own
- **12:30 pm** Welcome - 2023 Planning Committee
- **12:40 - 5:15 pm** Outlook Presentations
  - U.S. Climate and Weather
  - U.S. Macroeconomic and Labor Outlook
  - U.S. Agricultural Policy
  - Farm and Ag Finance Outlook
  - Livestock Outlooks (Beef, Dairy, & Pork)
- **6:30 pm** Dinner on your own (some may go to the KC Royals game)

### Tuesday, August 15th
- **7:45 am** Breakfast and State Marketing Specialist Committee Meeting
- **8:15 am** State Crop Status Discussion with NASS and State Specialists
- **9:00 am - 12:15 pm** Crop Outlooks (Corn, Soybeans, Wheat, Sorghum, Cotton, and Biofuels)
- **12:15 pm** Lunch provided
- **1:00 - 3:30 pm** Afternoon Presentations
  - Panel: Labor Shortages and Mitigation Efforts
  - Strategic Planning for Grain and Livestock Marketing Education