

FSLI-Encore

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What will Land-grant Universities Look Like in the Future?

Registration/Coffee/Refreshments	8:00 – 8:30
Welcome & Introductions	8:30 – 8:45
Session I – Stephen Gavazzi, Co-Author of Land-grant Universities of the Future	8:45 – 9:30
Q&A	9:30 – 9:45
Break	9:45 – 10:00
Session II – Teaching Mike Boehm, University of Nebraska- Lincoln	10:00 – 10:45
Activity	10:45 – 11:15
Session III – Research Glenda Humiston, UC Agriculture & Natural Resources	11:15 – 12:00
Activity	12:00 – 12:30
Working Lunch	12:30 – 1:15
Session IV – Outreach Laura Perry Johnson, University of Georgia Extension	1:15 – 2:00
Dawn Mellion-Patin, Southern University Agriculture Research and Extension Center	
Activity	2:00 – 2:30
Break	2:30 – 2:45
Summary and Next Steps	2:45 – 3:30



FSLI Encore Theme

The cultural and political climate of our country brings with it challenges for the success of Land-grant institutions.

The Land-grant institutions were grounded in the spirit of helping the average person sustain a living by educating him or her in technical curricula, as well as with professional and vocational training. Our world and social ecological systems continue to change. What should the future Land-grant mission be, and how are we to reach the students of the future?

This discussion is prompted in part by the book "Land-Grant Universities of the Future: Higher Education for the Public Good", by Stephen M. Gavazzi and E. Gordon Gee, Johns Hopkins University Press, 2018. We bring one of the book's authors together with thought leaders in Land-grant education, research, and outreach, to have an in-depth, honest discussion and brainstorming session about the future of our land-grant institutions.