**Host: U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)**

**Location: USDA Whitten Building Press Room 107-A**

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| **Tuesday, Oct 14****1:00 – 5:00 ET** | **Working Group Meetings**  |

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| **Updates and Collaboration Time** |
| Composition, Nucleic Acid, Protein, Website Working Groups |

**Location: USDA South Building (1400 Independence Ave.)**

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| **Wednesday, Oct 15****8:00 – 5:00 ET** | **Presentations and Business Meeting** |

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| **Presentation** | **Speaker** |
| USDA welcome and introduction  |  |
| USDA agencies, mission and programs |  |
| National Security Commission on Emerging Biotechnology (NSCEB) reports on Biotechnology |  |
| Metabolomics |  |
| Parallel breakout sessions* Metabolomics
* Seed testing topics – FGIS proficiency testing program (with Ed Jhee, USDA AMS)
* PWG – Discuss implementation of 2018 EFSA explanatory note
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| AEIC Business Meeting | All |
| USDA Biotechnology Regulatory Service (BRS) – impact of California court on ruling on the SECURE rule |  |
| Crop Life International (CLI) and global regulation of GM Crops |  |

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| **Thursday, Oct 16****8:00 – 2:30 ET** | **Presentations and Tour** |

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| **Presentation** | **Speaker** |
| Seed-X technology – AI-based seed analysis |  |
| Overview of Biotech research at the USDA Agricultural Research Services (ARS) |  |
| USDA ARS Appalachian Fruit Research Station – Biotech to speed up breeding cycles in fruit trees |  |
| GalSafe™ pigs |  |
| Updates from industry associations | All |
| Tour: USDA Museum |  |