# 2025 WASHINGTON STATE SHEEP PRODUCERS CONVENTION

"Tools & strategies to enhance profitability"

October 30 - November 1, 2025

Pullman, WA

### DRAFT SCHEDULE

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#### **Location: Ensminger Pavilion, WSU Campus**

6:00 pm - Welcome Dinner

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7:00 pm - Advancements in Genetic Testing & Selection with Dr. Brenda Murdoch & Dr. Kim Davenport

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9:00 am - Rotate between:

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- WADDL tour with Dr. Kevin Snekvik
- WSU Veterinary Hospital tour with Dr. Craig McConnell

12:00 pm - Lunch

1:00 pm - Reproductive anatomy & physiology with Dr. Martin Maquivar

2:00pm - Fall lambing: Logistics, markets, and return on investment with Dino Vinci

• Travel to the University of Idaho Sheep Center

6:00 pm - Dinner, WSU Update

7:00 pm - Awards, Auction, Kids Trick or Treat Activity

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9:00 am - Concurrent Workshop (choose one):

• <u>Fiber workshop</u>: Fleece skirting demo with Dr. Nancy Irlbeck, Aniroonz Sheep Co. (Ensminger Pavilion)

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• <u>Meats workshop</u>: Maximizing value from different carcass types with Dr. Jan Busboom (WSU Meat Lab)

12:00 pm - Lunch

1:00 pm - Annual Meeting and Business Meeting

5:00 pm - Drone presentation with Caleb Berquist (to confirm)

6:00 pm - Dinner

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## **LOGISTICS**

#### **Hotel Block:**

Hampton Inn and Suites 1190 SE Bishop Blvd, Pullman, WA Breakfast and shuttle to/from campus each day are provided

### **Parking on WSU Campus:**

Visitor parking passes are required near the Ensminger Pavilion on weekdays from 8:00am - 5:00pm. Passes can be obtained virtually for day use on Friday. No parking passes are needed near Ensminger Pavilion on the weekends or after 5:00pm on weekdays.