

North Central Regional Meeting

Thursday, May 13th

Participants:

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Discussion: How was the end-of-semester? Commencement?

- Going full capacity for the fall, vaccinations are strongly encouraged. Upload documentation to the school's system. Campus testing and vaccinations have been widely available on some campuses.
- Some universities are in their final weeks while other universities have celebrated commencement. These have been celebrated in various ways to accommodate for social distancing.
- Faculty now planning ahead for the fall semester.

Regional Website

- Tara is putting together a webpage for the APS Regions. Any comments/suggestions/content for this page is welcomed. <https://www.aplu.org/members/commissions/food-environment-and-renewable-resources/board-on-agriculture-assembly/academic-programs-section/aps-regions.html>
- Find a common goal that the North Central Region can solve together to build upon in future meetings.

Ag Course Sharing Network

- [Quottly](#) – platform for university agriculture course sharing
 - Considering subscription costs, value. Hit and miss about who is being approached about this program, some members are hesitant to try this program. Potentially disruptive to university operations and ability to transfer credits.
 - Going forward, will keep the group updated on their program presentation. Connect with John Dole and Dan Moser as they are the chairs of AgIdea.