



North Dakota Wheat Commission  
CROP OUTLOOK and  
U.S. Durum Growers Association  
INTERNATIONAL DURUM FORUM  
November 10, 2009 ▼ Holiday Inn Riverside, Minot

- 7:30 a.m. Registration
- 8:00 **Welcome: Building Bigger Better Markets**  
▪ Harlan Klein, Chairman, N.D. Wheat Commission, Elgin
- 8:10 **U.S. Hard Red Spring and Durum Wheat 2009 Quality**  
*Durum Review*  
• Erica Olson, Marketing Specialist, N.D. Wheat Commission  
*HRS Review*  
• Jim Peterson, Marketing Director, N.D. Wheat Commission
- 8:50 **Trends in Wheat Products and Research**  
• Dr. Frank Manthey, Durum Quality Specialist, NDSU  
• Dr. Senay Simsek, HRS Quality Specialist, NDSU
- 9:30 BREAK
- 9:50 **World and U.S. Wheat Situation and Price Outlook**  
Dan Manternach, Editor, Doane's Agricultural Report
- 10:50 **World Financial Situation & Impact on Grain Trade**  
Candace Roper, Senior Vice- President, CoBank
- 11:50 **Marketing the 2009 Crop**  
Delane Thom, Manager, CHS-Southwest Grain  
Brad Haugeberg, Manager, CHS-SunPrairie Grain
- 12:15 p.m. **Joint Luncheon**  
Dan Manternach, Editor Doane's Agricultural Report

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- 1:15 Welcome and Review of 2009 – Larry Neubauer, USDGA President
- 1:30 Doug Goehring, N.D. Commissioner of Agriculture
- 1:45 Durum Wheat Breeding, Dr. Elias, Durum Breeder, NDSU
- 2:10 2009 Fungicides and Other Research Studies, Kent McKay, Vision Research
- 2:35 Weather Outlook & 2010 Projections, Leon Osborne, Meridian Environmental Technology, Inc.
- 3:20 Break
- 3:35 Average Crop Revenue Election Program, Aaron Krauter, State Executive Director, Farm Service Agency
- 4:05 U.S. Durum Growers Association Annual Meeting
- 5:00 Social
- 5:30 Banquet
- Washington AG Outlook, Will Hollier, Hollier and Associates
- Durum Contest Winners
  - Amber Award

- You Tube Pasta Contest Winners
- Durum Person of the Year
- Keynote Speaker