



Institute Agenda

Tuesday July 24

5:00 pm to 7:00 pm	Registration <i>Seward Co-op Creamery Café - 2601 E Franklin Ave, Minneapolis</i>
5:00 pm to 8:00 pm	Opening Reception – Networking & Co-op Showcase <i>Seward Co-op Creamery Café - 2601 E Franklin Ave, Minneapolis</i>

Wednesday July 25

7:00 am to 9:00 am	Registration <i>Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management – University of Minnesota 321 Nineteenth Avenue South Suite 4-300 Minneapolis</i>
7:00 am to 8:00 am	Breakfast <i>Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management – University of Minnesota</i>
8:00 am – 8:30 am	Opening Remarks: Andréa Renaud, Char Vrieze, William Nelson <i>Carlson L-110</i>
8:30 am to 9:00am	Steve Dubb (introduced by Jessica Gordon Nembhard), <i>Telling Co-op Stories Tales from the Field</i> <i>Carlson L-110</i>
9:00 am to 9:30am	Me'Lea Connelly (introduced by Jessica Gordon Nembhard), <i>The Development of Village Trust Financial Cooperative and the ways Black Americans are reclaiming cooperative roots</i> <i>Carlson L-110</i>
9:30 am to 9:45 am	Break <i>Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management – University of Minnesota</i>

9:45 am to 11:00 am

Breakout Sessions:

Andréa Renaud, Jean-François Parent, Christian Giroux (introduced by Ellen Goddard), *Shared Machinery and Workforce*

Agricultural Cooperatives

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Jason Rodney, Nat Locke and Margaux Buehl (introduced by Cathy Statz), *Community Engagement in Cooperative Economy*

Carlson L-118

Rod Kelsay (introduced by Oscar Colon Rivera), *Cooperatives and the Next generation of Leaders*

Carlson L-126

11:00 am to 12:15 pm

Breakout Sessions:

Bob Cohen, Ivory Harlow and Hannah Scott, Roberta Severson (introduced by Rod Kelsay), *Cooperatives and Technology*

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Pascal Billard and Eveline Lemieux (introduced by Andréa Renaud), *New Generation Co-ops*

Carlson L-118

Sarah Pike and Emile Nadeau (introduced by Oscar Colon Rivera), *Cooperatives and Innovation*

Carlson L-126

12:15 pm to 1:15 pm

Lunch

Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management – University of Minnesota

1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

John Flory, Jaime Villalaz, Rodrigo Cala and Aaron Blyth (introduced by Rod Kelsay),

Organizing Agricultural Cooperatives with Immigrant Farmers

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2:00 pm to 3:15 pm

Breakout Sessions:

Esther West and Charity Schmidt, Patricia Cumbie and LaDonna Redmond (introduced by Jessica Gordon Nembhard), *Cooperatives and Diversity*

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	<p>Tom Bigg (introduced by Ellen Goddard), <i>Future Youth Nation Workshop</i> <i>Carlson L-118</i></p>
	<p>Michel Lafleur, Sofia Burtak, Daniel Côté (introduced by Andréa Renaud), <i>Cooperative Governance Best Practices</i> <i>Carlson L-126</i></p>
3:15 pm to 3:30 pm	<p>Break <i>Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management – University of Minnesota</i></p>
3:30 pm to 4:00 pm	<p>William Nelson (introduced by Cathy Statz), <i>Legacy Building for the Future of Cooperative Education: The Ralph K. Morris Foundation</i> <i>Carlson L-110</i></p>
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm	<p>Christina Clamp, Carol Coren, Eklou Amendah (introduced by Cathy Statz), <i>Health Co-ops</i> <i>Carlson L-110</i></p>
5:00pm to 6:30 pm	<p>Break <i>Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management – University of Minnesota</i></p>
6:30 pm to 9:30 pm	<p>Banquet <i>Courtyard, Downtown Minneapolis Hotel</i></p>

Thursday July 26

7:00am to 8:00am	<p>Breakfast <i>Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management– University of Minnesota</i></p>
8:00am to 8:30am	<p>Char Vrieze (introduced by Rod Kelsay), <i>Rural Health Care Initiative Examined</i> <i>Carlson L-110</i></p>
8:30 am to 9:30 am	<p>ACE Annual General Meeting <i>Carlson L-110</i></p>
9:30 am to 10:00 am	<p>Presentation of the tours) <i>Carlson L-110</i></p> <p>Tour A – Destinations TBA</p>

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	<p>Minneapolis St-Paul urban <i>*Lunch will be served on the tour</i></p> <p>Tour B – Destinations TBA Rural themes <i>*Lunch will be served on the tour</i></p>
3:30 pm	Tours Return to the Carlson School of Management
3:30 pm to 4:45 pm	<p>Co-creation Activity: Co-op Support Group <i>Carlson Atrium, Carlson School of Management – University of Minnesota</i></p>
4:45 pm to 5:15 pm	<p>Michael Boland (introduced by Ellen Goddard), <i>Cooperatives in the European Union</i> <i>Carlson L-110</i></p>
5:15 pm to 5:30 pm	<p>Closing Remarks <i>Carlson L-110</i></p>

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