Gather to Grow Conference Short Agenda



Friday, March 22nd, 2024

Forest Farming Field Day Extravaganza At the Catawba Sustainability Center (Limited to 80 participants, Optional Add-on to Conference Registration)	9 am - 4 pm
Forest Farming Reception Kick-off for the GTG Conference at Hotel Roanoke (Included in Conference Registration).	5 pm - 7 pm

Saturday, March 23nd, 2024, Hotel Roanoke

Opening Remarks Dr. John Munsell, VA Tech	8:30 am
Morning Keynote Speaker Dr. Jeanine Davis, NC State University	8:40 am
Track and Youth Program 1 Five Session Options	9:45 - 10:45 am
Track and Youth Program 2 Five Session Options	11 am - 12 pm
Lunch	
Track and Youth Program 3 Five Sessions Options	1:45 - 2:45 pm
Track and Youth Program 4 Five Session Options	3 - 4 pm
Social Hour	5 - 6 pm
Evening Keynote Speaker Olivia Watkins, Black Farmer Fund	6 - 7:30 pm
Appalachian Square Dance	7:30 - 8:30 pm

Sunday, March 24nd, 2024, Hotel Roanoke

Bonus Tracks and Breakout Sessions	8:30 - 9:30 am
Regional Planning Sessions For All Conference Participants	9:45 - 10:45 am
Youth Presentation	11 - 11:20 am
American Forest Farming Association Announcement & Closing Remarks	11:20 am - 12 pm