

**Friday, November 3**

8:00a - 9:30a	At the Door Registration Opens	Lobby
8:00a - 4:00p	Honey & Wax Show Entries Accepted	Conference Room
8:00a - 4:00p	Silent Auction Items Accepted	Lobby
9:30a - 10:00a	Welcome, Opening Remarks, & Announcements <i>Harry Fulton, President</i>	General Session Halls B & C
10:00a - 10:30a	<b>Keynote:</b> Varroa Mite Management - Combining Cultural and Chemical Techniques (Including Studies on Amitraz Resistance and Bovitraz/Taktic) <i>Dr. Geoffrey Williams</i>	General Session Halls B & C
10:30a - 11:00a	Dynamics of Viruses Among Mite Populations in Hygienic and Non-Hygienic Honey Bees <i>Dr. Esmail Amiri</i>	General Session Halls B & C
10:30a - 11:00a	Basics and Facts of Honey Bee Nutrition <i>Dr. Priyadarshini Chakrabarti Basu</i>	Breakout Session Hall A
11:00a - 11:30a	<b>Keynote:</b> Tallow Trees - Insect Pollinator Visitors in the Southeast <i>Dr. Geoffrey Williams</i>	General Session Halls B & C
11:30a - 12:00p	Impacts of Pesticides on Honey Bees <i>Dr. Priyadarshini Chakrabarti Basu</i>	General Session Halls B & C
11:30a - 12:00p	An Overview of Research Activity at the Southern Pollinator Health Center, Southern Crop Ecosystems Research Unit <i>Dr. Arathi Seshadri and/or Dr. Catherine Pyri</i>	Breakout Session Hall A
12:00p - 1:30p	<b>Lunch - On Your Own</b>	
1:30p - 2:00p	<b>Keynote:</b> Potential Alternative Miticides for Varroa Control: Screening & Development <i>Dr. Medhat Nasr</i>	General Session Halls B & C
2:00p - 2:30p	Southeast Region Nutrition for Bees and How Management Practices Can Have Implications for Bee Health <i>Dr. Pierre Lau</i>	General Session Halls B & C
2:00p - 2:30p	Harvesting and Processing Honey <i>Dr. Jeff Harris</i>	Breakout Session Hall A
2:30p - 3:00p	<b>Keynote:</b> Why Do Introduced Queens Keep Disappearing & Superceding <i>Dr. Medhat Nasr</i>	General Session Halls B & C
3:00p - 3:30p	<b>Break - Visit Vendors!</b>	Lobby
3:30p - 4:00p	How Pesticides and Other Stressors Affect the Health of Honey Bee Digestive System <i>Dr. Yu Cheng Zhu</i>	General Session Halls B & C
3:30p - 4:00 p	The Effects of the Alkaloid, Gelsemine, Found in Wild Yellow Jasmine on Queen <i>Drs. John Adamczyk/Mike Goblirsch</i>	Breakout Session Hall A
4:00p - 4:30p	Nectar Producing Plants of Mississippi <i>Harry Fulton, President</i>	General Session Halls B & C
4:30p - 5:00p	<b>Door Prizes &amp; Announcements, Visit Vendors!</b>	Halls B & C
5:00p - 5:30p	<b>Affiliate Clubs Meeting &amp; Representative Election</b>	Hall A
6:00p	<b>Banquet, Awards, Entertainment (Ticket Purchase Required)</b>	Halls B & C

**Saturday, November 4**

8:00a - 9:00a	At the Door Registration Opens <b>Honey &amp; Wax Show Entries MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 8:30AM*</b>	Lobby
9:00a	Honey & Wax Show Judging Begins <i>Dr. Jeff Harris</i>	Conference Room
9:00a - 9:30a	AHPA Updates and Tallow Report Steven Coy	General Session Halls B & C
9:30a - 10:30a	Door Prizes and MBA Business Meeting (MBA Members)	Halls B & C
10:30a - 11:00a	<b>Break - Visit Vendors!</b>	Lobby
11:00a - 11:30a	The Art of Splitting Colonies <i>Harry Fulton, President</i>	General Session Halls B & C
11:30a - 12:00p	Beekeeping Products and Their Health Effects <i>Mrs. Jane Collins</i>	General Session Halls B & C
11:30a - 12:00p	Effects of Commercial Plastic Queen Cell Cups on Queen Success <i>Dr. Esmail Amiri</i>	Breakout Session Hall A
12:00p - 1:30p	<b>Lunch - On Your Own</b>	
1:30p - 2:00p	<b>Keynote:</b> Bees Without Borders: Canadian Requirements for Importing Honey Bees <i>Dr. Medhat Nasr</i>	General Session Halls B & C
2:00p - 2:30p	Queens: Receiving, Handling, and Introduction Into Colonies <i>Austin Smith</i>	General Session Halls B & C
2:00p - 2:30p	Pollens of Mississippi <i>Dr. Priya darshini Chakrabarti Basu (Recorded Presentation)</i>	Breakout Session Hall A
2:30p - 3:00p	<b>Break - Visit Vendors!</b> <b>LAST CHANCE FOR SILENT AUCTION - ENDS AT 3:00PM!</b>	Lobby
3:00p - 3:30p	Unfortunate 2023 Experiences with Clothianidin Treated Corn Seed <i>Harry Fulton, President</i>	General Session Halls B & C
3:30p - 4:00p	Silent Auction Winners Grand Prize Winners Honey & Wax Show Winners	Halls B & C Halls B & C Halls B & C
4:00p	Final Announcements and Adjournment	Halls B & C