2019 Lake Erie Regional Grape Program Growers’ Conference
March 19, 2020
Williams Center
SUNY at Fredonia Campus

7:00 AM  Tradeshow set up begins
7:30 AM  Registration and Tradeshow open
8:20 AM  Welcome
8:30 - 9:15 AM  Labor Trends and How Will Those Trends Affect Grape Farms in our Region
Richard Stup, Agricultural Workforce Specialist, Cornell University
9:15 - 9:45 AM  Labor Cost in our Region
Kevin Martin, LERGP, Penn State University
9:45 – 10:15 AM  Grape Pest Talk – Speaker TBA
10:15 – 10:45 AM  Break
10:45 – 11:15 AM  Spray Program Strategies to Avoid Resistance
Bryan Hed, LERGP, Penn State University
11:15 – 11:45 AM  Pesticides, 2 ee’s and Spotted Lanternfly
Andy Muza, LERGP, Penn State University
11:45 – 12:15 PM  Fungal Pathogens Show Promise as IPM Spotted Lanternfly Management Strategies
Eric Clifton, Department of Entomology, Cornell University
12:15 - 1:15 PM  Lunch and Visit Tradeshow
1:15 – 1.45 PM  Vineyard Weed Management Strategies
Lynn Sosnoskie, Department of Horticulture, Cornell University
1:45 – 2:15 PM  Hyperspectral Sensors and Plant Pathogens
Kaitlin Gold, Department of Plant Pathology, Cornell University
2:15 – 2:45 PM  VitisGen2: New Technologies Accelerate Disease Resistant Cultivar Development
Lance Cadle-Davidson, USDA, Cornell University
2:45 – 3:15 PM  Sustainable Soil Management Practices for Vineyards
Joseph Amsili, Cornell Soil Health Team, Cornell University
3:15 –4:00 PM  Cold Hardiness and Climate Change
Jason Londo, USDA, Cornell University
4:00 –4:45 PM  Understanding Soil & Petiole Tests and Vine Nutrition
Terry Bates, CLEREL, Cornell AgriTech, Cornell University
4:45 PM  Adjourn