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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20TH

4:00 PM TO 6:00 PM - OCEAN CONSERVANCY FARM
TOUR OF PENSACOLA BAY OYSTER HATCHERY

(SPACE IS LIMITED - CONTACT RYAN ONO
RONO@OCEANCONSERVANCY.ORG)

THURSDAY, FEB. 21ST

9:00 AM TO 11:00 AM - OCEAN CONSERVANCY FARM
TOUR OF NAVY COVE OYSTERS

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2:00 PM TO 4:30 PM - OCEAN CONSERVANCY PANEL:
WHEN DEAD SHELLFISH AREN'T YOUR FAULT -
OCEAN ACIDIFICATION AND OTHER
ENVIRONMENTAL MORTALITY EVENTS

DISCUSSION PANEL (GULF ROOM, ISLAND HOUSE
HOTEL)

7:00 PM TO 9:00 PM - DIRECTOR'S WELCOME
RECEPTION, PLAYA RESTAURANT

FRIDAY, FEB. 22ND

8:00 AM TO 8:30 AM - COFFEE

8:30 AM TO 8:45 AM - WELCOME, BETH WALTON

8:45 AM TO 9:00 AM - EFFICACY OF BIOFOULING
MITIGATION METHODS FOR FLOATING CAGE
PRODUCTION OF SOUTHEASTERN TRIPLOID
EASTERN OYSTERS, SHANNON KIRK,
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

9:00 AM TO 9:15 AM - COMPARING OFF-BOTTOM
OYSTER AQUACULTURE TECHNIQUES IN THE
NORTHERN GULF OF MEXICO ON BIOFOULING,
ELLIS CHAPMAN. LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

9:15 AM TO 9:30 AM - RETURN ON INVESTMENT
OF FLOATING CAGE PRODUCTION, JULIE DAVIS

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9:30 AM TO 9:45 AM - ASSESSMENT OF FINANCIAL
RISK IN OFF-BOTTOM CULTURE ON FLORIDA'S GULF
COAST, LESLIE STURMER, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

9:45 AM TO 10:00 AM - INVESTIGATING SUMMER
MORTALITY IN TRIPLOIDS IN THE NORTHERN
GULF OF MEXICO, SARAH BODENSTEIN,
AUBURN UNIVERSITY

10:00 AM TO 10:15 AM - EFFECTS OF GEAR TYPE AND
SEASON ON VIBRIOS IN FARMED OYSTERS AFTER
ROUTINE HANDLING, VICKI PRUENTE,
AUBURN UNIVERSITY

10:15 AM TO 10:40 AM - REFRESHMENT BREAK

10:40 AM TO 11:00 AM - OYSTER FARMING AS
RESTORATION, PETE MALINOWSKI,
BILLION OYSTER PROJECT

11:00 AM TO 11:20 AM - REVENGE OF THE NERDS:
EFFECTS OF DEBT FINANCING ON YOUR HEAVY,
SHARP ROCK FARM, MATTHEW PARKER,
UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

11:20 AM TO 11:40 AM - RESEARCH FARM NETWORK,
DIANE MURPHY, CAPE COD COOPERATIVE
EXTENSION & WOODS HOLE SEA GRANT

11:40 AM TO NOON - RETHINKING HOW WE THINK
ABOUT SEED TRANSFERS, RYAN CARNEGIE,
VIRGINIA INSTITUTE OF MARINE SCIENCE

NOON TO 1:30 PM - LUNCH (WILL'S FARM FOODS)

1:30 PM TO 2:00 PM - NEED FOR SEED PANEL
DISCUSSION, MODERATED BY JULIE DAVIS

2:00 PM TO 2:30 PM - LESSONS FROM THE STORMS
PANEL DISCUSSION, MODERATED BY CHUCK WEIRICH,
NORTH CAROLINA SEA GRANT

2:30 PM TO 3:10 PM - IMPACTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE
PANEL DISCUSSION, MODERATED BY SALLY MCGEE,
THE NATURE CONSERVANCY

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3:10 PM TO 3:50 PM - THREE MINUTE TECH TALKS,
MODERATED BY JASON RIDER & CHUCK WEIRICH,
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES

4:00 PM TO 5:30 PM - TRADE SHOW & HAPPY HOUR

7:00 PM TO 9:00 PM - FRIENDS & FARMERS,
FISHER'S DOCKSIDE RESTAURANT

SATURDAY, FEB. 23RD

7:00 AM TO 8:00 AM - THE SHELLFISH GROWERS
CLIMATE COALITION WILL HOST BREAKFAST FOR
ANYONE INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT
THE COALITION. THIS WILL BE AN INFORMAL
DISCUSSION WITH COALITION MEMBERS FROM
THE SOUTHEAST AND GULF OF MEXICO, AND THE
NATURE CONSERVANCY.

(RSVP TO SALLY MCGEE AT
SMCGEE@TNC.ORG BY FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8.)
8:00 AM TO 9:00 AM - COFFEE

9:00 AM TO 9:20 AM - UNDER THE OYSTER SOUTH
HOOD, BETH WALTON

9:20 AM TO 9:40 AM - FINDING YOUR TRIBE,
BECKY WASDEN, TWO GIRLS ONE SHUCK

9:40 AM TO 10:20 AM - THE IMPORTANCE, OR NOT,
OF QUALITY PANEL DISCUSSION,
MODERATED BY BILL WALTON

10:20 AM TO 10:40 AM - REFRESHMENT BREAK

10:40 AM TO 11:00 AM - AN EDUCATED STAFF,
JULIA SULLIVAN, HENRIETTA RED

11:00 AM TO 11:20 AM - LESSONS FROM COCKTAILS,
CAROLINE ROSEN, TALES OF THE COCKTAIL

11:20 AM TO NOON - TELLING THE STORY PANEL
DISCUSSION, MODERATED BY ERIN BYERS MURRAY
AND JENNIFER KORNEGAY