



Schedule of Events (tentative):

Tuesday, August 2, 2022

- 2-5 PM Registration Open at Embassy Suites Hotel
- 5-7 PM Opening Night Reception at Embassy Suites Hotel
- 7-? PM Dinner on Your Own

Wednesday, August 3, 2022

- 6-8 AM Breakfast at the Embassy Suites Hotel
- 7:30-9 AM AAS Judge's Meeting
- 9-10 AM Roundtable and "Hot Seat" Discussions at Embassy Suites Hotel
- Robert D. Ray Asian Garden Walk
- Greater Des Moines Botanical Garden tour
- Tour and Lunch at "The Hall"
- World Food Prize presentation and lunch
- State Fair Grounds tour
- Better Homes & Gardens tour and Downtown Des Moines Sculpture Park
- 6-8 PM Dinner with Peers in various Des Moines locations

Thursday, August 4, 2022

- 6-7 AM Breakfast at the Embassy Suites Hotel
- 7-8 AM Bus drive to Ames, Iowa
- 8-9 AM Private Garden Tours, Group A
- 8-9 AM Seed Testing Lab Tour, Group B
- 9-10 AM Private Garden Tours, Group B
- 9-10 AM Seed Testing Lab Tour, Group A
- 10 AM – 1 PM HGSA Trials, Brewery Tour, CSA Tour and Lunch
- 1-1:30 PM Drive back to Ames
- 1:30-2:30 [Jack Trice Stadium](#) Tour
- 2:30-4:30 Reiman Garden Tour (AAS Trials and Display Garden)
- 4:30-5:30 Consumer Focus Group at Reiman Garden
- 5:30-6:00 Cocktail hour
- 6-8 PM Dinner at Reiman Gardens
- 8-9 PM Drive back to Des Moines hotel