Forum Agenda, Day 1, Tuesday, September 17, 2019
Western Kentucky University’s Knicely Center, Regency Room 130
8:00 – 8:30 am Registration

Session 1 – Welcome/Keynote/USDM History
Moderator:
8:30 – 8:55 am Welcome, Announcements, and Forum Objectives
8:55 – 9:10 am Opening Remarks
9:10 – 9:40 am Keynote Address
9:40 – 10:00 am Break
10:00 – 10:30 am Talk 1 Session 1
10:30 – 11:00 am Talk 2 Session 1
11:00 – 11:30 am Talk 3 Session 1
11:30 am – 1:00 pm Lunch (On your own)

Session 2 – USDM Overview
Moderator:
1:00 – 1:30 pm Talk 1 Session 2
1:30 – 1:50 pm Talk 2 Session 2
1:50 – 2:20 pm  Talk 3 Session 2
2:20 - 2:40 pm  Break
2:40 – 3:00 pm  Talk 4 Session 2
3:00 – 3:20 pm  Talk 5 Session 2
3:20 – 4:20 pm  USDM Authors Panel Discussion

**Forum Agenda, Day 2, Wednesday, September 18, 2019**

**Western Kentucky University’s Knicely Center, Recency Room 130**

8:30 – 8:40 am  Welcome and Announcements

**Session 3 – Drought in Kentucky and the Midwest**

**Moderator:**

8:40 – 9:10 am  Local Keynote

9:10 – 9:40 am  Talk 1 Session 3

9:40 – 10:00 am  Talk 2 Session 3

10:00 – 10:20 am  Break

10:20 – 10:40 am  Talk 3 Session 3

10:40 – 11:10 am  Talk 4 Session 3

11:10 – 11:30 am  Talk 5 Session 3

11:30 am – 1:00 pm  Lunch (On your own)

**Session 4 – Drought Impact Reporting**

**Moderator:**

1:00 – 1:20 pm  Talk 1 Session 4

1:20 – 1:40 pm  Talk 2 Session 4

1:40 – 2:00 pm  Talk 3 Session 4

2:00 – 2:20 pm  Talk 4 Session 4

2:20 – 2:40 pm  Talk 5 Session 4
2:40 – 3:00 pm  Break
3:00 – 4:00 pm  Panel Discussion/Group Discussion (open mic)

Session 5 – Drought Updates
Moderator:
4:00 – 4:20 pm  Talk 1 Session 5
4:20 – 4:40 pm  Talk 2 Session 5
4:40 – 5:00 pm  Talk 3 Session 5

Forum Agenda, Day 3, Thursday, September 19, 2019
Western Kentucky University’s Knicely Center, Regency Room 130

9:00 – 9:10 am  Welcome and Announcements

Session 6 – New Drought Monitoring Products
Moderator:
9:10 – 9:30 am  Talk 1 Session 6
9:30 – 9:50 am  Talk 2 Session 6
9:50 – 10:20 am  Talk 3 Session 6
10:20 – 10:50 am  Talk 4 Session 6
10:50 – 11:20 am  Talk 5 Session 6
11:20 – 11:50 am  Talk 6 Session 6
11:50 – 12:00 pm  Wrap Up & Good Byes
12:00 – 1:30 pm  Authors Lunch (On your own)

Session 7 – Authors Only Meeting (1:30 pm – 4:00 pm)

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