

**ALABAMA FORAGE CONFERENCE
UNIVERSITY OF WEST ALABAMA – LIVINGSTON, AL
DECEMBER 10, 2009**

- 7:30-8:30 Registration - Exhibits Open**
- 8:30-8:40 Welcome And Opening Comments**
- 8:40-9:20 Low, Medium, And High Input Pasture Systems For Blackland
Soils- Dr. Gerald Evers, Texas A & M University**
- 9:20-10:00 Forage Crop Influence On Meat Quality Of Grassfed Beef-
Dr. Susan Duckett, Clemson University**
- 10:00-10:30 Break**
- 10:30-11:10 Hay That Gets The Job Done- Tom Keene, University of Kentucky**
- 11:10-11:50 Opportunities With Improved Forage Varieties- Joe Bouton**
- 11:50-12:00 Discussion/Announcements**
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch**
- 1:00-1:40 Tall Fescues Of The Future- Jimmy Ray Parish
Mississippi State University**
- 1:40-2:15 New And Neglected Forage Crops- Dr. John Andrae, Clemson
University**
- 2:15-2:45 Producer Panel- What Works For Me- Jim Lavender, Eric Smith**
- 2:45-3:15 Break**

CLOVER SESSION

- 3:15-3:25** **It's Time To Get Excited About Clovers- Dr. Garry Lacefield, University of Kentucky**
- 3:25-3:35** **A New Pasture Paradigm- Dr. Don Ball**
- 3:35-4:00** **Recycling Nitrogen In Pasture Systems- Dr. Gerald Evers**
- 4:00- 4:20** **Opportunities With Perennial Clovers- Dr. Garry Lacefield**
- 4:20-4:40** **Managing Annual Clovers For Persistence- Dr. Gerald Evers**
- 4:40-5:00** **Reflections & Summary- Dr. Don Ball**

EQUINE SESSION

- 3:15- 3:50** **Basics Of Horse Pasture Production- Dr. Mary Goodman, Auburn University**
- 3:50-4:25** **Nutritional Issues Related To Horses On Pasture- Dr. Betsy Wagner, Auburn University**
- 4:25-5:00** **What You Need To Know About Hay For Horses- Tom Keene**

PEST MANAGEMENT SESSION

- 3:00-3:45** **Invasive Plants- Dr. Steve Enloe, Auburn University**
- 3:45-4:30** **Pasture Weed Control- Dr. John Byrd, Mississippi State University**
- 4:30-5:00** **Control Of Fire Ants- Dr. Kathy Flanders, Auburn University**