

Southern Virginia Bioenergy: Making Innovation Work

Tuesday, October 6, 2009

Institute for Advanced Learning and Research (IALR) 150 Slayton Avenue, Danville, Virginia

- 9:00 a.m. Welcome Dr. Liam Leightley, Executive Director IALR
- 9:10 a.m. **25 x 25** Brent Bailey
25 x 25 Alliance – America’s Energy Future
- 9:30 a.m. **Virginia Renewable Energy Agenda**
The Honorable Charles R. Hawkins, Tobacco Indemnification and Community Revitalization Commission
- 10:30 a.m. *Break*
- 10:45 a.m. **From Idea to Reality – Session I**
BioSAT. Biomass Site Assessment Tool Tim Young, University of Tennessee
Ethanol Mini Bio Refineries. Allard Research & Development, Florida
Mobile Gasification Unit: Christian Brodbeck , Auburn University
Production of Biooil using Fast Pyrolysis Mississippi State University
- 12:30 p.m. **Lunch & Table Discussions with Idea to Reality Speakers**
- 1:00 p.m. **Exhibit Visits & Discussions**
- 1:30 p.m. **From Idea to Reality – Session II**
Co-firing: Pittsylvania Power Station (Dominion Virginia Power), Hurt, Virginia
Anaerobic Digester: Van Der Hyde Dairy, Chatham, Virginia
Ethanol: Appomattox Bioenergy (Osage Bio Energy), Hopewell, Virginia
Canola: Red Birch Energy, Martinsville, Virginia
- 2:45 p.m. **Lessons Learned** Dr. Liam Leightley
- 3:00 p.m. *Break*
- 3:15 p.m. **Public Meeting of the Virginia Commission on Energy and the Environment: Discussion of Legislative Initiatives**
- 5:00 p.m. Exhibit Visits & Networking

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