

## **Tickets are now available for 2026 Kentucky Crop Health Conference**

**February 5, 2026 – Bowling Green, KY**

**PRINCETON, Ky.** — Mark your calendars for a supercharged crop health conference scheduled just a few weeks before the 2026 planting season starts to accelerate.

Tickets are now on sale for the Kentucky Crop Health Conference, scheduled for Thursday, February 5, 2026, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. CST, at the National Corvette Museum conference room in Bowling Green, Ky. Sign-in will begin at 8 a.m. CST, when museum doors open. Breakfast and lunch will be included in the ticket price.

For conference tickets, visit <https://kchc2026.eventbrite.com>.

In its fourth year, this unique conference offers guidance on integrated pest management from University of Kentucky Extension specialists and pest management specialists from across the United States.

Guest speakers for 2026 include Horacio Lopez-Nicora from Ohio State University; Jocelyn Smith from University of Guelph, Ridgetown in Canada, and Rodrigo Werle from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Also speaking this year will be the University of Kentucky's Matthew Springer, who will discuss methods to reduce wildlife losses in row crop production. They will join University of Kentucky Extension specialists Travis Legleiter, Kiersten Wise, Carl Bradley and Raul Villanueva for in-depth discussions in the disciplines of weed science, plant pathology and entomology.

Educational credits include 6 CEUs in IPM for Certified Crop Advisors. Kentucky pesticide applicators will receive 5 CEUs for Category 1A and 1 CEU for Category 10. Tennessee applicator credits will also be available.

For more information on the 2026 Kentucky Crop Health Conference, contact UK Extension associate Jason Travis at (859) 562-2569 or email [jason.travis@uky.edu](mailto:jason.travis@uky.edu). Ticket sales close on January 29, 2026. Refunds will not be issued after that date.

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