

2025 San Joaquin Valley Grape Symposium
Wednesday, January 8
UC Kearney REC, 9240 S Riverbend Ave, Parlier, CA 93648

- 7:00 AM **Registration and Refreshments**
- 7:50 AM **Morning Welcome**
George Zhuang, Viticulture Advisor, UCCE Fresno County
- 8:00 AM **Use Bio-fungicides to Control Grape Powdery Mildew and Botrytis**
George Zhuang, Viticulture Advisor, UCCE Fresno County
- 8:30 AM **Grape Virus Management in the San Joaquin Valley**
Dr. Ying Zhai, Research Plant Pathologist, USDA ARS
- 9:00 AM **Status of Hydrogels to Control Vineyard Ants and Vine Mealybug**
David Haviland, Entomology Advisor, UCCE Kern County
- 9:30 AM **Break and Refreshments**
- 9:50 AM Coordinator: *Karl Lund, Viticulture Advisor, Madera, Merced, and Mariposa Counties*
- 10:00 AM **Vineyard Cover Crop Impacts on Soil Health and Yield**
Dr. Lauren Hale, Research Soil Scientist, USDA ARS
- 10:30 AM **The Water Use of Cover Crop in the Vineyard**
Dr. Daniele Zaccaria, Department of Land, Air, and Water Resources, UC Davis
- 11:00 AM **Effect of Heat on Grapevine Production and Fruit Quality**
Dr. Megan Bartlett, Department of Viticulture and Enology, UC Davis
- 11:30 AM **Use RNAi Spray to Battle Grape Powdery Mildew**
Dr. Jyoti Taneja, UC Berkeley
- 12:00 PM **Lunch Sponsored by Allied Grape Growers**
- 2:00 PM **Mechanical Pruning Trial on Sunpreme Raisin Grape**



Continuing Education: 2.0 PCA and 3.5 CCA hours have been requested.

Any questions? Email George Zhuang at: gzhuang@ucanr.edu or call the cell number (559) 231-1143



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