

# **Farm to Market 2014**

*The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Foodways Texas Symposium*

*(Subject to change)*

## **Thursday, March 20**

### **The Veranda** (Bryan)

5:30pm

***Registration Happy Hour***

6:30pm

***Welcome***

Marvin Bendele, Foodways Texas Executive Director

7:00pm

***Texas Spring Picnic***

Molly McCook, Ellerbe Fine Foods, Fort Worth

## **Friday, March 21**

### **Texas A&M Agrilife Center**

8:30am

***Breakfast***

Brian Light, Ronin Cooking, Bryan

9:00am

***Farm to Market 2014 Primer***

Marvin Bendele, Foodways Texas Executive Director, Austin

9:30am

***Defining Local / Organic***

Benjamin Mason, Down House, Houston

Leslie McKinnon, Organic Certification Consulting, San Marcos

Brad Stufflebeam, Home Sweet Farm, Brenham

Susie Marshall (Moderator), GROW North Texas, Dallas

10:30am

***The Miracle of Feeding Cities***

Robyn Metcalf, The University of Texas, Austin

11:15am

***Behind the Scenes with the 1015 Onion***

12:00pm

***Gulf Coast Lunch***

Randy Evans, Haven, Houston

2:15pm

***Texas Terroir***

Dr. Justin Scheiner, Texas A&M University, College Station

2:45pm

***Tuscan Texas***

Saundra Winokur, Sandy Oaks Olive Orchard, Elmendorf

3:15

**Break**

3:30pm

***Texas Grapefruit***

Dr. John da Graca, Texas A&M University, Kingsville Citrus Center, Weslaco

Dennis Holbrook, South Texas Organics, Weslaco

Laura Davenport (moderator), Houston

**Ronin Cooking & Farm** (Bryan)

6:30pm

***Happy Hour***

7:30pm

***Dinner***

Todd Duplechan, Lenoir, Austin

**Saturday, March 22**

**Texas A&M Agrilife Center**

8:30am

***Breakfast***

Confituras, Austin

Salt and Time, Austin

Empire Baking Company, Dallas

Blue Heron Farm, Fayetteville

9:00am

***Foodways Texas Update / Meet the Board***

Elizabeth Engelhardt, The University of Texas, Austin

Levi Goode, Goode Company Restaurants, Houston

9:30am

***Seito Saibara and Texas Rice***

Todd Romero, The University of Houston

10:00am

***Break***

10:15am

***Rice and Water***

Jay Davis, Coastal Rice and Futures, Inc., East Bernard

Neena Satija, Texas Tribune, Austin

Dr. Ted Wilson, Agrilife Research Center, Beaumont

MM Pack (moderator), Austin

11:15am

***On the Move: Black Growers in the City***

Naya Jones, The University of Texas, Austin

12:00pm

***Lunch***

Jesse Perez, Arcade Midtown Kitchen, San Antonio

2:15pm

***Shankleville Oral History Project***

2:45pm

***Break***

3:00pm

***Innovative Urban Farming***

Max Elliott, Urban Roots, Austin

James Jeffers, Eat the Yard, Dallas

Colleen O'Donnell, Plant It Forward, Houston

Kristi Willis (Moderator), Austin

**The Veranda** (Bryan)

6:30pm

***Happy Hour Book Signing***

7:30pm

***Dinner***

Sharon Hage, Dallas