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“The Industrialization of Agriculture: Implications for Arkansas”

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General Session: Auditorium

8:00-8:30 Registration/Coffee & Rolls

8:30-8:45 Welcome

Dr. Keith Rogers, Dean, College of Agriculture, Arkansas State University
Moderator

Dr. Leslie Wyatt, President
Arkansas State University

Dr. Frank Oldham, Chairman and CEO
Boatmen’s Bank of Northeast Arkansas

Dr. Milo Shult, Vice President of Agriculture
University of Arkansas

8:45-10:00 Trends and Implications of the Industrialization of Agriculture

Dr. Bert Greenwalt, Moderator

Dr. Michael Boehlje, Professor of Agricultural Economics
Purdue University

Dr. Harold Breimyer, Professor and Extension Economist
University of Missouri

10:00-10:20 Questions

10:20-10:40 Coffee Break

Concurrent Commodity Sessions:

10:40	Auditorium	Room A-B	Room C
	Rice Industry Issues and Market Outlook Mr. Curtis Wolf Anheuser-Busch Co., Inc. St. Louis, MO	Cotton Industry Issues and Market Outlook Dr. John Flanagan Flanagan Trading Corp. Memphis, TN	Livestock Industry Issues and Market Outlook Mr. Doug Helms Townsend of Arkansas Batesville, AR
	Mr. Michael Shook Riceland Foods, Inc. Stuttgart, AR	Dr. Mark Lange National Cotton Council Memphis, TN	Dr. Ronald Plain University of Missouri Columbia, MO
11:40-12:00	Questions	Questions	Questions

Lunch: Main Arena, Mezzanine Level

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12:15-2:00 The New Congress, the Budget Deficit and Agricultural Policy

Dr. William Brown, Professor of Political Science
Central Michigan University