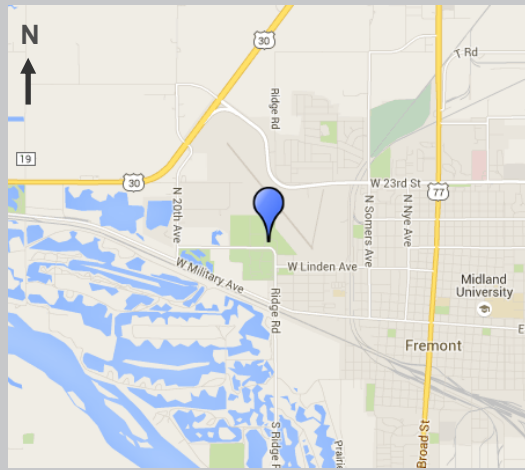


### Fremont Corn Expo Location



### Christensen Field Main Arena

1730 West 16th St., Fremont NE 68025



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## FREMONT CORN EXPO

January 7, 2016

8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Christensen Field

- *Finding Profit in 2016* -

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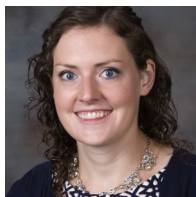
A block of rooms have been reserved for Jan. 6 at the Fremont Holiday Inn Express, located at 2415 N. Lincoln Ave. at a reduced price. Call 402-753-3850 to make lodging arrangements

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**Laura Thompson**

*Nebraska On-Farm Research Coordinator, Extension Educator*

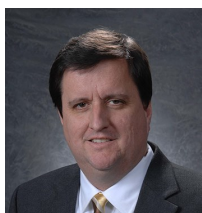
Discussion on how On-farm Research serves as a valuable tool to evaluate how products and practices impact farm productivity and profitability.

**Bob Nielsen**

*Professor of Agronomy, Extension Corn Specialist, Purdue University*



Cost-efficient crop production practices should always be important to growers, low grain prices drive home the importance of sound agronomic decision making. Bob will share thoughts and opinions on several key agronomic decisions that impact profitable corn production.



**Eric C. Thompson**

*Associate Professor of Economics, Director of the Bureau of Business Research, UNL*

Dr. Thompson's research on the Midwest and national economy examines competitive factors affecting state and local economic growth, the role of agriculture in the economy, and the economics of infrastructure.

**Tamra Jackson-Ziems**

*Nebraska Extension Specialist - Corn Plant Pathology*



In this session, Tamra will discuss ways to predict and manage diseases to maintain high yield and to reduce cost for increased profitability.

# Fremont Corn Expo Schedule

- 8:00 Breakfast - View Exhibits**  
"The Waffle Man" serves up breakfast  
*Compliments of Fremont Area Chamber Agribusiness Council*
- 8:50 Welcome - City and Business Representatives**  
Scott Getzschman, Mayor, City of Fremont  
Fremont Area Chamber Agribusiness Council Representative
- 9:00 Utilizing On-Farm Research to Evaluate Practices for Profitability**  
Laura Thompson, NE Extension On-Farm Research Coordinator (0.5 CEU)
- 9:30 Corn Production Challenges for 2016 (1 CEU)**  
Bob Nielsen, Purdue University Extension Corn Specialist
- 10:30 Break - View Exhibits - Featuring Mom's Popcorn for a snack!**
- 11:00 Panel Discussion: Things We Learned from the Corn Yield Contest**  
John McNamara, Plattsmouth  
Mike Scholting, Louisville  
Brent Hopkins, Rogers  
Tony Johanson, Oakland
- 11:30 Business & Industry Update**  
Nebraska Farm Bureau (Dodge & surrounding counties)  
Fremont Area Chamber of Commerce  
Nebraska Corn Growers Association  
Colfax-Dodge County Corn Growers  
Nebraska Corn Board
- 12:00 Lunch - View Exhibits**  
*Dee's Catering - Compliments of Nebraska Farm Bureau*
- 1:00 Economic Impact of Expanding Livestock Production (1 CEU)**  
Eric Thompson, Associate Professor of Economics at UNL
- 1:50 Tackling Tough Corn Diseases in Eastern Nebraska (1 CEU)**  
Tamra Jackson-Ziems, Nebraska Extension Corn Pathology Specialist
- 2:40 Door Prize Winners Announced By Colfax-Dodge County Corn Growers**
- 3:00 Nitrogen Certification & Water Conservation Training Class**  
*For Lower Platte North NRD producers in small meeting room*

The Fremont Corn Expo...

*"is worth attending every year!"*

-2015 attendee



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