

2015 ADVANCED WEED SCIENCE DAY

Thursday, July 9, 2015

8:30 Registration • 9-11:30 In-field Program • Lunch to Follow

at the
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
Southern Research and Outreach Center

Minnesota soybean and corn farmers are making good progress in diversifying their weed management practices. With the threat of several weed species becoming resistant to multiple classes of herbicides, there is the need to better integrate herbicides with cultural weed control tactics.

TOPICS & SPEAKERS

The event will focus on giant ragweed management in the soybean and corn rotation. Soybean and corn preemergence herbicide options will be evaluated along with timing of postemergence applications. A demonstration of the Enlist corn technology will also be provided.

Cultural weed control practices that influence giant ragweed control that will be addressed include:

- Impact of soybean row spacing
- Impact of soybean planting date
- Impact of zero weed seed thresholds on weed seed bank

Speakers:

Jeff Gunsolus, Extension Weed Scientist
Tom Hoverstad, SROC Research Scientist
Lisa Behnken, Extension Educator, Crops
Fritz Breitenbach, Extension IPM Specialist

**Event will be held
Rain or Shine**

DIRECTIONS TO THE SOUTHERN RESEARCH AND OUTREACH CENTER: Waseca is located 13 miles west of Owatonna and 27 miles east of Mankato. The SROC is on the west edge of Waseca (across from Loon Lake). One mile west of the downtown Waseca stoplight.

