**Illinois Leadership Council for Agricultural Education(ILCAE) Meeting   
Thursday, August 29, 2019**, **12 pm – 4 pm**   
After the Farm Progress Show, Richland Community College, Decatur   
Exhibit Hall of the National Sequestration Education Center(NSEC). The NSEC building   
is located next to the U of IL Extension building and is across from the USDA/SWCD   
building just West of the SW corner of Progress City.

11:30 am – Taco bar lunch  
  
12 pm – Meeting (working lunch if arriving at or after 12 pm)  
  
**Working Agenda**-Introductions  
-Public Comment  
-Approval of June 18, 2019, Meeting Minutes   
-Host Welcome - Jess Smithers  
-Illinois Committee for Agriculture Education(ICAE) Update – Becky Ropp  
-ITCS Resources Status - Dave Rosch, University of Illinois  
-Cutting Edge Curriculum Acquiring CAERT Update – Doug Falk, Mindy McDermott, Jay Runner  
-FY20 Legislative Initiatives & Advocacy Report – Jake Butcher/Jesse Faber   
 -Ag Education Pre-Service Internship Project  
 -Ag Courses Fulfilling University Entrance Requirements  
 - LEAP (Legislator Education in Agriculture Programs)  
 -Others  
-365 Campaign Report – Jesse Faber/Mindy Bunselmeyer  
-FY19 Ag Ed Line Item Budget Recap – Dean Dittmar and Erica Thieman  
-FY20 Ag Ed Line Item Budget Proposal and Grants Update – Dean Dittmar and Erica Thieman  
-Illinois Virtual School(IVS) Update/Enrollment – Kip Pygman  
 -Three ag courses are: Introduction to Ag, Ag Science, Vet Science  
 -Three ag teachers are: Ben Alexander, Mallory Jenness, JC Walker   
-Illinois Agri-Food Alliance: Attracting Talent in a Changing Agri-Food Alliance – Tyler Strom  
-Illinois Workforce Innovation Board (IWIB) Partnership – Mike Massie  
-Annual Meeting Awards Selection  
 **Excellence in Agribusiness**   
 **Excellence in Media**   
 **Jim Guilinger Legislative Award**  
 **Bill Johnson Excellence in Education Award**  
 **Perry Schneider Special Recognition**  
-Election of Officers – Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary  
-Appointment of an Executive Secretary  
-ILCAE Membership – 30 members with 1, 2, 3 year membership rotations determined randomly  
-Constitution Revision Committee Volunteers  
-University Council Update – ISU, UIUC, SIUC, WIU  
-FFA Center Update – Mindy Bunselmeyer and Gage Miller  
-ISBE Update – Erica Thieman  
-FCAE Update – Dean Dittmar and Program Advisors  
-Affiliate Organization Updates   
-Next Meeting Dates  
 -Tuesday, November 19, 2019 - Location TBA  10 am – 3 pm  
 -Friday, January 31, 2020 - Springfield area  10 am -3 pm