**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