

NC140 Technical Committee Meeting
Auburn University Hotel and Dixon Conference Center
Nov 2-3, 2022
2022 Chair: Dr. Elina Coneva, Auburn University, Auburn, AL
2022 Recording Secretary: TBD

Wednesday, Nov. 2, 2022

8:30am-12:00pm- Legacy Ballroom I

Welcome – Dr. Arthur Appel, Associate Dean of Research, College of Agriculture,
Associate Director, AAES, Auburn University
Dr. Desmond Layne, Head, Department of Horticulture, Auburn University

Administrative Business

- Approval of agenda.
- Approval of 2021 NC140 meeting minutes
- Approval of new members
- Approval of site for 2023 meeting
- Selection of site for the 2024 meeting
- Report from administrative adviser, Dr. Carolyn Lawrence-Dill of Iowa State University

Website Report - Jon Clements

Coffee Break

Rootstock Trial Coordinator Reports (Needs to be confirmed)

- 2010 Sweet Cherry Rootstock & Training Systems trial – Greg Lang
- 2013 Pear training/spacing/rootstock trial - Todd Einhorn
- 2014 Honeycrisp Apple rootstock trial – John Cline
- 2015 Organic Apple rootstock trial – Wes Autio
- 2017 Peach Rootstock trial – Ioannis Minas
- 2017 Tart Cherry rootstock trial – Greg Lang
- 2017 Sweet cherry systems X rootstock trial – Greg Lang
- 2019 Apple rootstock trial - Todd Einhorn
- 2020-2021 Apricot rootstock trial – Greg Lang
- 2021 Pear and Quince rootstock trial – Todd Einhorn
- 2021 Cherry rootstock trial – Greg Lang

Future Trials

- 2022 Cider apple rootstock trial - Greg Peck
- 2023 Peach rootstock/training system – Ioannis Minas
- Other future trials?

12:00pm – 1:00pm

- Lunch provided for the group (Legacy Ballroom II)

1:00pm – 2:00pm

- Roof Top Tour of the AU Tony & Libba Rane Culinary Science Center

2:00pm - 5:00pm

- State Reports

6:00pm - 8:00pm

- Group dinner (Legacy Ballroom II)

Thursday November 3, 2022

8:00am-9:30am Legacy Ballroom I

- State Reports

9:30am- 9:45am

- Coffee break

9:45am – 11:30am

- State reports
- Open Discussion

11:30am-12:00pm

- Boxed lunch provided for the group (Legacy Ballroom II)

12:00pm – 6:00pm

- Tour NC-140 Peach and Apple rootstock research plots at the Chilton Research and Extension Center, Clanton, AL
- Commercial Orchard Tour in Chilton County, AL

6:00pm – 7:00pm

- Dinner at the Neighborhood Grill & Catering, 309 7th Street North, Clanton, Ph: (205)-775-2220. Each person pays own dinner cost.

7:00pm – Back to hotel at Auburn