



**2023 Multi-Commodity Education Program  
Sponsored by The Cotton Foundation and John Deere  
June 25-30, 2023 – Idaho**

**Objectives**

- Provide current and emerging agricultural leaders an opportunity to better understand conditions and challenges faced by their peers in other geographic regions.
- Provide an opportunity for participants to meet their counterparts in other geographic regions to gain a better understanding, through firsthand observation and discussion, of agronomic practices, technology utilization, cropping patterns, marketing plans, and operational structure.
- Observe production, harvesting, and processing of various crops in the areas visited
- Visit research facilities, processing operations and other facilities of relevance to the local economy.
- Provide John Deere with an opportunity to establish stronger relationships with producers who are current and future leaders.

**Tentative Activities**

- Arrival city – Pocatello, ID (June 25)
- Departure city – Idaho Falls, ID (June 30)
- Host organization orientation
- Farm tours – barley, wheat, potatoes, dairy
- Ag research and processing facility tours

**Host Organizations**

- Idaho Barley Commission
- Idaho Grain Producers Association.

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