



# Forestry Forum 2019



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**FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 2019**

**8 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

**WEST MONROE CONVENTION CENTER  
901 RIDGE AVE., WEST MONROE, LA 71291**

REGISTRATION 8:00 – 8:30 a.m.  
Program begins at 8:30 a.m.

8:30am	Welcome – Dr. Michael Blazier, Hill Farm Research Station, LSU AgCenter; Luke Stamper, Area Wildlife & Forestry Agent, Northeast Region, LSU AgCenter	10:00am	BREAK
8:45am	Tax Topics for Timberland Owners – Paul D. Spillers, Board Certified Tax Attorney & Tree Farmer, Theus, Grisham, Davis and Leigh	10:15am	Forestry Update – Buck Vandersteen, Director of Louisiana Forestry Association
9:15am	Farm Bill – Kevin Norton, LA NRCS State Conservationist	10:45am	Tree Value, Harvesting, and Best Management Practices – Rick Williams, NRCS State Forester
9:35am	The Morehouse Project: A New Project to Enhance Health of Northeast Louisiana/Southeast Arkansas Forests – Dr. Michael Blazier, Hill Farm Research Station, LSU AgCenter	11:15am	Market Opportunities for Northeast Region – Dr. Shaun Tanger, Agriculture Economics, LSU AgCenter
9:50am	Activities of the Louisiana Feral Hog Management Advisory Task Force – Dr. Kim Tolson, Advisory Task Force Chair, Professor of Biology, ULM	11:45am	Wildlife Management in Louisiana – Ashley Long, Extension Wildlife Specialist, LSU AgCenter
		12:00pm	Adjourn

## EARLY REGISTRATION FORM

**\* Due by Friday, January 11, 2019 \***

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ # attending \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed (\$15 per person) \_\_\_\_\_ Parish of residence \_\_\_\_\_

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