



## **2026 LTA Annual Conference Agenda**

**January 8, 2026**

**Stadium Club South in Tiger Stadium**

**7:00 am – Registration and Vendor Visits**

**8:00 am – LTA Welcome/AgCenter Update** – *Dr. Eric DeBoer, LSU AgCenter*

**8:30 am – How & Why Using Technology Benefits an Agronomic Program** – *Mr. Kevin*

*Cooper, Syngenta*

**9:30 am – Landscape Equipment Sustainability Strategies** – *Dr. Paul Bartley, Auburn University*

**10:15 am – Break**

**10:30 am – Shifting the Game: Trends and Innovation in Turfgrass** – *Ms. Erin Wilder, Sod Solutions*

**11:15 am – Pesticide Application Calibration and Considerations** – *Mr. Bryan Gueltig, LSU AgCenter*

**12:00 pm – Lunch/Door Prizes/Networking**

**LTA Business Meeting** – *LTA President Nick Simoneaux, Complete Turf Care*

**1:15 pm – Turfgrass Irrigation and Water Resource Management** – *Dr. Stacia Davis-*

*Conger, LSU AgCenter*

**2:00 pm – The Importance of PGRs in Athletic Field Management** – *Mr. Jeremy Tredway, LSU Athletics*

**2:45pm – Pesticide PPE, Safety, and Storage** – *Mr. Bryan Gueltig, LSU AgCenter*

**3:30pm – Pesticide Recertification – LDAF** – *Mr. Joe Ingrao*

