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Returning to the Farm, 303 Filley Hall, UNL-East Campus, Lincoln, NE 68583-0922

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\$300 for the first 4 family members  
+ \_\_\_\_\_ x \$35  
\$35 per person after the first 4  
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### Presenters

The conference will be presented by University of Nebraska—Lincoln Department of Agricultural Economics and Extension personnel:

*Dave Goeller* - Farm/Ranch Transition Specialist and Beginning Farmer Program Coordinator

*Darrell Mark* - Associate Professor and Extension Livestock Marketing Specialist

*Doug Jose* - Professor and Extension Farm Management Specialist

*Brad Lubben* - Assistant Professor and Extension Public Policy Specialist

*Dave Aiken* - Professor and Water and Agricultural Law Specialist

*Tina Barrett* - Director, Nebraska Farm Business Association

*Megan Voss* - Program Coordinator

*Roger Wilson* - Budget Analyst, Farm Management

*John Baker* - Attorney, Beginning Farmer Center, Iowa State University Extension

### For More Information:

Megan Voss

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## Returning to the **FARM**

Workshop is held over two weekends.

**December 11 & 12, 2009**

and

**January 8 & 9, 2010**

Attendance is required at both weekend  
sessions

Located at the  
Holiday Inn Downtown  
141 N. 9th Street  
Lincoln, NE



# Returning to the Farm

## A program for students, beginning farmers, and their parents

Bringing a young person into a farm/ranch operation presents challenges. However, the family *can* accomplish numerous goals by helping the young person get a solid start in the operation, keeping the farm/ranch in the family and ensuring a comfortable retirement for all involved.

However, success does not come automatically, but it requires effort. Blending a variety of talents and personalities into one farming or ranching operation takes planning, communication, and management.

The Returning to the Farm program is designed to assist families in developing a financial plan and successful working arrangements that will meet the needs of multiple families.

During the program participants will:

- \* Review financial feasibility, balance sheets and trend sheets
- \* Identify estate planning issues
- \* Develop a farm/ranch transition plan
- \* Set both personal and professional goals
- \* Look at the communication process between family members

### Program Dates

We strongly recommend that **all** members of the management team attend all four days of sessions. Each day will build on material from the previous sessions.

#### First Weekend

Friday, December 11, 2009: 2:00—9:00 pm

Saturday, December 12, 2009: 8:30 am—3:30 pm

#### Second Weekend

Friday, January 8, 2010: 2:00—9:00 pm

Saturday, January 9, 2010: 8:30 am—3:30 pm

### Location

Holiday Inn Downtown  
141 N 9th, Lincoln, NE 68508  
402-475-4011

A block of rooms is available for \$89 + tax per room. Ask for the Retuning to the Farm block when making your reservation. Book rooms by November 30, 2009 to get rooms at that rate.

### Registration Information

Complete the registration form and send it to the address listed. The registration deadline is:

**November 30, 2009**

Registrations received after the Nov. 30 deadline will be charged an additional \$25. Registration is limited to the first 15 families with paid registrations.

### Cost

The cost of the conference is \$300 for the first 4 family members, plus \$35 for each family member after the first 4. This fee covers instruction, handout materials, meeting room costs, refreshment breaks, Saturday continental breakfast and most meals. *Please inform Megan if there are any special dietary needs.*

### UNL College Credit

One Credit Hour of AECN 399B (in spring semester) is available for University of Nebraska students. Details are available by calling the Megan at the Ag Econ office.

### For More Information:

Contact: Megan Voss  
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402-472-0079  
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### **Returning to the Farm Registration Form Due November 30, 2009**

*Please indicate their role in family (father, daughter, business partner, etc)*

Name and role: \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee 3 name and role: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Major and year in school: \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee 2 name and role: \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee 4 name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Major and year in school: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Please include additional people attending on an additional piece of paper.*