



# What's Happening at NCIS

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## Topics this week:

- National Ag Day



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*Another active week at NCIS. With many new and important developments taking place in our industry, we bring you a “round-up” of NCIS activities, meetings, projects and progress. A list of future events will also be included in each edition.*

*We welcome your comments and look forward to sharing this update with you.*



NCIS Vice President of Public Relations, Laurie Langstraat, attended the 2015 National Ag Day activities in Washington D.C. last week. National Ag Day is a day to recognize and celebrate the abundance provided by agriculture. On Tuesday, Agri-Pulse Communications sponsored a “Farm to Fork Politics” panel discussion “Unleashing Innovation in Agriculture.” Wednesday’s events included an exhibit of photographs featuring women working in various roles in agriculture taken by Marji Guyler-Alaniz, President and Founder of FarmHer; a breakfast and briefing on “Innovation and the Future of Agriculture” sponsored by the National Wheat Foundation; a luncheon hosted by Orion Samuleson and featuring the Outstanding Young Farmer; and, a Google Hangout hosted by Deputy Secretary Krysta Harden to celebrate women involved in farming and ranching.



**How is your bracket doing?**

**Future Meetings and Events Calendar**  
**(Regional/State Meetings and Schools in Orange)**

<i>Event</i>	<i>Date(s)</i>	<i>Location</i>
<b><u>2015 Meetings</u></b>		
<b>Regional State Chairman Training</b>	<b>March 24-25</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
NAIC Spring Meeting	March 28-31	Phoenix, AZ
TIP Committee Meeting	April 7-8	Overland Park, KS
Communications & Outreach Committee Meeting	April 9	Overland Park, KS
Underwriting & Operations Committee Meeting	April 14-15	Overland Park, KS
MPCI PPLA Committee Meeting	April 21-22	Overland Park, KS
CH PPLA Committee Meeting	April 28-29	Overland Park, KS
CH A&S Committee Meeting	May 12	Overland Park, KS
PDC Committee Meeting	May 27-28	Overland Park, KS
Board of Directors Meeting	June 29-30	Offsite
NCIS 2016 Fall Train the Trainer Conference	July 14-15	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Summer Meeting	August 14-17	Chicago, IL
Board of Directors Meeting	September 15-16	Overland Park, KS
AIAG (International Association of Agricultural Production Insurers)	September 27-30	Kansas City, MO
NCIS 2016 Spring Train the Trainer Conference	November 4-5	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Fall Meeting	November 19-22	Washington, D.C.
Board of Directors Meeting	December 9-10 or 10-11	Offsite
<b><u>2016 Meetings</u></b>		
2016 Claims Managers Conference	January 20-21	Overland Park, KS
Crop Insurance Industry Convention	February 14-17	Indian Wells, CA
Board of Directors Meeting	February 17	Indian Wells, CA
NAIC Spring Meeting	April 3-6	New Orleans, LA
NCIS 2017 Train the Trainer Fall Conference	July 12-13	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Summer Meeting	August 6-9	San Diego, CA
NCIS 2017 Train the Trainer Spring Conference	November 2-3	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Fall Meeting	December 10-13	Miami Beach, FL