



# What's Happening at NCIS

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## Topics this week:

- MPC I Rice School
- CH Corn, Soybeans, Wheat and MPC I Forage School



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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 MPC I Rice School

Approximately 85 adjusters and 20 plot leaders attended the Rice school held in Stuttgart, AR at the Rice Research and Education Center on July 12-13. The two-day school included classroom instruction followed by field training. Classroom training included sessions on appraisals, production worksheets, the Downed Rice endorsement and rice staging. Dr. Jarrod Hardke from the Research Center also led a discussion as well as hands-on training in the field plots. Other trainers included Mitch Latour, Kyle Harper and Dustin Tubbs.



## NCIS Crop-Hail Corn, Soybeans, Wheat and MPC I Forage School

The 2016 NCIS Crop-Hail Corn, Soybeans, Wheat and MPC I Forage School took place at the Southeast South Dakota Experiment Farm in Beresford, SD on July 14. Over 70 participants were briefed by James Houx from NCIS on program integrity and professional conduct. Experienced adjusters taught the various Crop-Hail and MPC I loss adjustment procedures using hands-on training in field plots. Activities included adjusting damage to late V-stage corn, V- and R-stage soybean and ripe wheat.

Training and Education Committee representative, Hunter Hall, gave an NCIS summer school update.



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

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date(s)</b>	<b>Location</b>
<i>2016 Meetings – <a href="#">Click Here</a> to access meeting information. Registration open 4 to 6 weeks prior to date of meeting(s).</i>		
<b>NCIS 2017 Train the Trainer Fall Conference</b>	<b>July 19-20</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>Crop-Hail New Adjuster School</b>	<b>July 20</b>	<b>Lamberton, MN</b>
<b>Crop-Hail Corn and Soybeans School</b>	<b>July 21</b>	<b>Lamberton, MN</b>
<b>MPCI &amp; Crop-Hail Canola (Winter &amp; Spring), Forage, Lentils, Peas and Wheat School</b>	<b>July 26-27</b>	<b>Spokane, WA</b>
<b>Crop-Hail &amp; MPCI Corn, Cotton, Grain Sorghum and Soybeans</b>	<b>July 27-28</b>	<b>Manhattan, KS</b>
<b>Crop-Hail Corn, Soybeans, Wheat in Classroom School</b>	<b>August 3-4</b>	<b>Champaign, IL</b>
<b>NAIC Summer Meeting</b>	<b>August 6-9</b>	<b>San Diego, CA</b>
<b>Crop-Hail New Adjuster School</b>	<b>August 8</b>	<b>Fargo, ND</b>
<b>Crop-Hail Corn, Soybeans, Dry Beans, Wheat/Barley, Sunflowers, Field Peas/Lentils School</b>	<b>August 9-10</b>	<b>Fargo, ND</b>
<b>Crop-Hail &amp; MPCI Row Crops (Barley, Corn, Dry Beans, Soybeans,</b>	<b>August 9</b>	<b>Powell, WY</b>

<b>Sugar Beets, Sunflowers) School</b>		
<b>Crop-Hail Corn and Soybeans School</b>	<b>August 9-10</b>	<b>Ames, IA</b>
<b>MPCI Apples School</b>	<b>August 23-24</b>	<b>Benton Harbor, MI</b>
<b>Board of Directors Meeting</b>	<b>September 21-22</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>MPCI Cotton and Soybeans School</b>	<b>October 11-12</b>	<b>Florence, SC</b>
<b>Training and Education Committee Meeting</b>	<b>November 1</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>NCIS 2017 Train the Trainer Spring Conference</b>	<b>November 2-3</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>MPCI Fresh Market, Blueberries, Citrus &amp; WFRP School</b>	<b>November 9-10</b>	<b>Lake Alfred, FL</b>
<b>Board of Directors Meeting</b>	<b>December 8-9</b>	<b>Offsite</b>
<b>NAIC Fall Meeting</b>	<b>December 10-13</b>	<b>Miami Beach, FL</b>
<b><i>2017 Meetings</i></b>		
<b>MN/ND/SD R/S Meeting</b>	<b>January 4-5</b>	<b>Fargo, ND</b>
<b>CO/WY R/S Meeting</b>	<b>January 5</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>
<b>NCIS 2017 Claims Managers' Conference</b>	<b>January 18-19</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>Southwest R/S Meeting</b>	<b>January 26-27</b>	<b>Fredericksburg, TX</b>
<b>KY/TN R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 2</b>	<b>Nashville, TN</b>
<b>Crop Insurance Industry Convention</b>	<b>February 5-8</b>	<b>Bonita Springs, FL</b>
<b>IL/WI R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 9</b>	<b>Springfield, IL</b>
<b>Gulf States R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 9</b>	<b>Tunica, MS</b>
<b>IN/MI/OH R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 9</b>	<b>Ft. Wayne, IN</b>
<b>KS/OK R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 9</b>	<b>Oklahoma City, OK</b>
<b>IA/NE R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 15-16</b>	<b>Council Bluffs, IA</b>
<b>MO R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 16</b>	<b>Columbia, MO</b>
<b>AZ/CA/NV R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 21-22</b>	<b>Monterey, CA</b>
<b>MT/Northwest R/S Meeting</b>	<b>Feb 28-March 1</b>	<b>Missoula, MT</b>
<b>East/Southeast R/S Meeting</b>	<b>March 7</b>	<b>Savannah, GA</b>
<b>Regional/State Chairman Training</b>	<b>March 28-29</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>NAIC Spring Meeting</b>	<b>April 8-11</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>
<b>NCIS 2018 Train the Trainer Fall Conference</b>	<b>July 18-19</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>NAIC Summer Meeting</b>	<b>August 5-8</b>	<b>Philadelphia, PA</b>
<b>NCIS 2018 Train the Trainer Spring Conference</b>	<b>November 8-9</b>	<b>Overland Park, KS</b>
<b>NAIC Fall Meeting</b>	<b>December 2-5</b>	<b>Honolulu, HI</b>