



# What's Happening at NCIS

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## Topics this week:

- CIPA Conference Presentation
- NCIS Guest Lecture at Texas A&M



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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.*



## ***Crop Insurance Professional Association (CIPA) Conference***

NCIS participated in the Crop Insurance Professional Association (CIPA) conference in Austin, TX on October 17. Tom Zacharias, NCIS President, provided an assessment of issues facing the crop insurance industry.

## ***NCIS Guest Lecture at Texas A&M***

NCIS President, Tom Zacharias, was invited to teach a section of the "Agricultural and Food Policy" class at Texas A&M University on October 18. The class instructor is Dr. Joe Outlaw, Co-Director of the Agricultural and Food Policy Center at Texas A&M. The class is comprised primarily of juniors and seniors. The class is currently focusing on the farming safety net and its role in agricultural policy.

**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>		
NCIS Crop-Hail A&S Committee Meeting	October 27-28	Savannah, GA
Training and Education Committee Meeting	November 1	Overland Park, KS
NCIS 2017 Train the Trainer Spring Conference	November 2-3	Overland Park, KS
<b>MPCI Fresh Market, Blueberries, Citrus &amp; WFRP School</b>	<b>November 9-10</b>	<b>Lake Alfred, FL</b>
Board of Directors Meeting	December 8-9	Offsite
NAIC Fall Meeting	December 10-13	Miami Beach, FL
<i>2017 Meetings</i>		
<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>
NCIS 2017 Claims Managers' Conference	January 18-19	Overland Park, KS
<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>IN/MI/OH R/S Meeting</b>	<b>February 2</b>	<b>Ft. Wayne, IN</b>
Crop Insurance Industry Convention	February 5-8	Bonita Springs, FL
<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>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>
NAIC Spring Meeting	April 8-11	Denver, CO
NCIS 2018 Train the Trainer Fall Conference	July 18-19	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Summer Meeting	August 5-8	Philadelphia, PA
NCIS 2018 Train the Trainer Spring Conference	November 8-9	Overland Park, KS
NAIC Fall Meeting	December 2-5	Honolulu, HI