



# Practical Economic Insights for Ag Lenders in 2026

Tuesday, November 4, 2025, Center for Soy Innovation

## *Program Agenda*

9:00-9:30	Registration and Networking	
9:30-9:40	Welcome and Introductions	<b>Rachel Hopkins</b> , Field Specialist, Agricultural Business and Policy, MU Extension
9:40-10:15	Outlook for Row Crop Markets in 2026	<b>Ben Brown</b> , Extension Specialist, Agricultural Business and Policy, MU Extension
10:15-10:30	Break	
10:30-11:15	Outlook for Livestock Markets in 2026	<b>Wyatt Thompson</b> , Professor, Agricultural & Applied Economic, University of Missouri
11:15-12:00	Macroeconomics, Input Costs, and 2025 Enterprise Budgets for Crops, Forages and Livestock	<b>Ryan Milhollin</b> , Assistance Extension Professor, Agribusiness Management and <b>Ben Brown</b>
12:00-12:45	Lunch and Networking	
12:45-1:20	Experience with Grazing Milo	<b>Rusty Lee</b> , Field Specialist, Agronomy, MU Extension
1:20-1:45	Stocker Cattle Financial Tracking	<b>Rachel Hopkins</b>
1:45-2:10	Land Values and Cash Rent Survey Results and Discussion	<b>Rachel Hopkins</b>
2:10	Wrap-up and Evaluation	<b>Rachel Hopkins</b>

