

2019 PROGRESSIVE RANCHER WORKSHOP

<u>Monday, December 9</u>	SESSION TOPIC: Managing the Land	SESSION TOPIC: Achieving Success in the Beef Market	SESSION TOPIC: Managing the Business
SESSION I 10:00 – 10:50 AM	Flexible Herd Management-Multi-Species Grazing <i>Dr. Derek Scasta, Rangeland Extension Specialist, UW</i> <i>Dr. Whit Stewart, Extension Sheep Specialist, UW</i>	BQA Certification—Session #1 <i>Dr. Steve Paisley, Beef Extension Specialist, UW</i> NOTE: Producers must participate in both Session to be BQA Certified.	Managing Ranch Labor – Hiring & Retaining Ranch Workers <i>John Hewlett, Agriculture & Applied Economics, UW</i>
SESSION II 11:00 – 11:50 AM	The Art of Targeted Grazing & What to Avoid <i>Dan Tekiela, Invasive Plant Ecology Extension Specialist, UW</i>	BQA Certification—Session #2 <i>Dr. Steve Paisley, Beef Extension Specialist, UW</i> NOTE: Producers must participate in both Session to be BQA Certified.	Value-added Beef Opportunities <i>Ron Gullberg, WY Business Council, Lisa Johnson, Orbit Advantage (Invited) WY Food Coalition</i>
Noon Luncheon and Make It with Wool Program			
SESSION III 2:00 – 2:50 PM	Flexible Herd Management-Multi-Species Grazing <i>Dr. Derek Scasta, Rangeland Extension Specialist, UW</i> <i>Dr. Whit Stewart, Extension Sheep Specialist, UW</i>	Unconventional Advocacy – Engaging with folks on (and off) Social Media <i>Terryn Drieling, Rancher, 2018 Beef Advocate of the Year</i>	Using Drones in Ranching—Effectively & Legally <i>Kosha Olsen, WY Beef Council; WYDOT, Aeronautics Division, Brian Lee</i>
SESSION IV 3:00 – 3:50 PM	A New Approach to Grazing Management in Larkspur Habitat <i>Kevin Jablonski</i> <i>Research Scientist</i> <i>Colorado State University</i>	Management Tools for Beef Producers <i>Bridger Feuz, Extension Educator, UW</i>	Avoiding Common Pitfalls in Financial Planning for the Next Generation <i>Joe Farley, Pepper Jo Six, Markle Financial</i>