International Certified Crop Adviser Quarterly Board of Directors Meeting (Hybrid)

Aug. 19-20, 2025, Denver, CO (Mountain Daylight Time Zone)

**Virtual**: Join Zoom Meeting: [**https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84797119424**](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84797119424)
Find your local number: <https://us06web.zoom.us/u/kct5EYHmTJ>

**In-Person:** Hyatt Place Denver Downtown, 440 14th St, breakfast buffet, 6:30-10:00am

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| ICCA Board of Directors |
| ICCA Executive Committee:Karl Wyant, ChairSandy Endicott, Past Chair Aaron Breimer, Vice ChairAndy Knepp, ASA Board ICCA Rep.Isaac Wolford, ARA Rep. | Staff: Lara Bryant, Component Relations Associate DirectorJim Cudahy, CEOAnn Edahl, Educational Programs Senior ManagerLacey Edwardson, Support Center LeadDawn Gibas, Assessments ManagerLuther Smith, Chief Administrative OfficerSara Uttech, Governance Director |
| [ICCA Board of Directors Roster](https://www.agronomy.org/membership/committees/view/A092.4/members)Google Doc with Attendance: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1LGNkTpJb31J19Z9pbKZAK4HHABIAdFchOea2S6AKWPQ>  |

**Monday Aug. 18 - Travel Day**

5:30-7:30pm All Admins Invited to Social Event at Tarantula Billiards Bar & Grill, 1520 Stout St. (walk from hotel) – Component Relations Assoc Director Lara Bryant

**Tuesday Aug. 19: Hyatt Longs Peak Meeting Room**

8:00am Welcome to Denver – Chair Karl Wyant, Colorado Chair Alex Park

* Recognize ICCA of the Year Matt Montgomery, Beck’s Superior Hybrids, IL
	+ View: [*Crops & Soils* article](https://www.sciencesocieties.org/publications/crops-soils/2025/march/meet-matt-montgomery-this-years-cca-of-the-year)

8:15 Introductions & Overview – Chair Karl Wyant

* Request Motion, Second, Vote to Approve Consent Agenda – Chair Karl Wyant
	+ Aug. 19-2025, 2025 ICCA Board Agenda (Document 1)
	+ June 12, 2025 ICCA Board Minutes (Document 2)

8:50 Updates: Certification

* 2025 ICCA Financials – Vice Chair Aaron Breimer
* 2025 Certification Review – Component Relations Assoc Director Lara Bryant
* Organic Specialty Certification – Chair Karl Wyant
* Retailer Award Update – Chair Karl Wyant

9:20 Presentation: ICCA Strategic Plan, 2026-2030 – CEO Jim Cudahy

10:15 Break

10:30 Exercise: ICCA Strategic Plan – CEO Jim Cudahy/Assoc Director Lara Bryant

12:00pm Lunch – Hyatt Flatirons Room

1:00 Presentation: Professional Agrologists in Canada – Vice Chair Prairie Board Wendy McDonald

1:20 Discussion & Vote: Extend ICCA Officer Terms – Taskforce & Western Region Chair Steve Vasquez

2:05 Break

2:20 Discussion & Vote: In-person Exam Proctor option (Document 3) – Illinois CCA Board

3:00 Discussion & Vote: ICCA Strategic Plan – CEO Jim Cudahy/Assoc Director Lara Bryant

3:45 Wrap-up: Day One – ICCA Executive Committee

4:00 Adjourn

5:30-7:00 Reception – Hyatt Flatirons

* Admin Excellence Award Janice Welsheimer, Ohio – Chair Karl Wyant
	+ View: [*Crops & Soils* article](https://www.sciencesocieties.org/publications/crops-soils/2025/august/welsheimer-receives-administrative-excellence-award)
* Recognition of Past Board Chair Sandy Endicott – Chair Karl Wyant

**Wednesday Aug. 20 - Hyatt Longs Peak Meeting Room**

8:00am Welcome Day Two – Chair Karl Wyant

8:05 Presentation and Q&A: Brazil CCA Program – Brazil Chair Luiz Lucchesi

8:30 Board Share: New Ideas and Needs Round Robin – Chair Karl Wyant

10:00 Break

10:15 Implementation: ICCA Strategic Plan – CEO Jim Cudahy & Assoc Director Lara Bryant

* Call for Volunteers: CCA Application Process Task Force

10:50 Updates:

* Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) – Joe Ziobro, Katie Flahive
* Ag Retailers Association (ARA) – Donnie Taylor
* American Society of Agronomy (ASA) – CEO Jim Cudahy

11:45 Wrap-up: Questions, Feedback, Items from the Board – ICCA Executive Committee

 Noon Announce: Adjourn – Chair Karl Wyant

 Box Lunches available

**Optional Tour: CSU-Spur Campus - 4780 National Western Dr., Park North of Terra Building** *Colorado & Western Region CCA Boards Hosting Tours*

* Meet in Hyatt lobby at 12:45pm, **Leave Hyatt: 1:00 pm via Ubers**
* Arrive @ Terra Lobby: 1:25 pm, Tour of CSU Spur: 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm
* Q+A in Alfalfa Classroom: 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm
* **Depart CSU-Spur Campus: 5:00 pm via Ubers**
* **3 Board Approved CEUs (scan QR code):**
	+ **Nutrient Management CEUs**: 0.5
	+ **Soil & Water Management CEUs**: 0.5
	+ **Integrated Pest Management CEUs**: 0.5
	+ **Crop Management CEUs**: 0.5
	+ **Professional Development CEUs**: 1

**Thursday Aug. 21: Optional Tours to CSU Research Farm & Budweiser Research Farm**

*Colorado & Western Region CCA Boards Hosting Tours*

* Meet in Hyatt Lobby @ 7:30am, **Leave for CSU-ARDEC @ 7:45am**
* Arrive CSU-ARDEC @ 9:00am
	+ Farm Tour @ 9:00am – 11:00am
	+ Livestock Research Lab
	+ Plant Science Farm
	+ Foundation Seed Farm
	+ Seed Lab
* Lunch – ARDEC @ 11:00am–12:30pm
* Leave for Budweiser Research Farm @ 12:30pm
* Budweiser Research Farm Tour @ 1:00-2:30pm
* Leave for New Belgium @ 2:30pm
* Beers @ New Belgium Brewery @ 3:00-5:00pm
* **Leave for Hyatt @ 5:00pm**
* **5 Board Approved CEUs (scan QR Code):**
	+ **Nutrient Management CEUs: 0.5**
	+ **Soil & Water Management CEUs: 1**
	+ **Integrated Pest Management CEUs: 0.5**
	+ **Crop Management CEUs: 1**
	+ **Professional Development CEUs: 1**
	+ **Sustainability CEUs: 0.5**
	+ **Precision Ag CEUs: 0.5**