

**Professional Associations
Affiliated with North
Carolina Federation of
Cooperative Extension
Associations**

North Carolina Association of County
Agricultural Agents
(NCACAA)

North Carolina Extension
Association of Family &
Consumer Sciences
(NCEAFCS)

North Carolina Association of
Extension 4-H Agents
(NCAE4-HA)

North Carolina Cooperative
Extension Administrative
Professionals Association
(NCCEAPA)

North Carolina Association of
Cooperative Extension Specialists
(NCACES)

North Carolina Association of
Extension Program Assistants,
Associates & Technicians
(NCAEPAAT)

Epsilon Sigma Phi, XI Chapter
(ESP)

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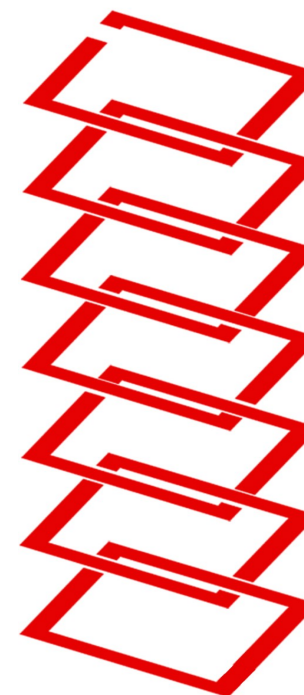
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**North Carolina
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Extension Associations**



Mission

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The North Carolina Federation of Cooperative Extension Associations unifies North Carolina Cooperative Extension and promotes professional development and communicates concerns and needs of its members.

History

The North Carolina Federation of Cooperative Extension Associations is a coalition of NC Association of County Agricultural Agents; NC Association of Extension 4-H Agents; NC Extension Association of Family & Consumer Sciences; NC Association of Extension Specialist; NC Cooperative Extension Secretaries Association; and NC Association of Extension Program Assistants, Associates & Technicians and Epsilon Sigma Phi, XI Chapter.

An umbrella organization of Cooperative Extension professional associations, the Federation was formed in 1974 to foster professional development, to build consensus among member organizations, and to dialogue with Extension Administration.

Vision

- The Federation is committed to and supports the mission of North Carolina Cooperative Extension.
- The Federation is the premier organization representing the professional needs of Extension workers to Extension Administrative Council, the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, the Land Grant University System, the University of North Carolina System and state and county governments.
- We are committed to and provide a mechanism for dialogue and communication for the Extension organization.
- We encourage and support cooperation and communication between Extension associations promoting mutual respect and an appreciation for the diversity of Extension professionals.
- The Federation is committed to and supportive of professional development for all Extension workers.
- We are a full partner promoting the North Carolina Cooperative Extension System among the people of North Carolina.

Federation Forum

Purpose:

Annual meeting of the members.

Date:

Traditionally held the 2nd Friday in December.

Location:

Site selected by the Board of Directors.

Who should attend:

Each member of the Federation Board of Directors, President and Vice President (or President-Elect) of member Associations and 10 additional members from each Association.

Registration Fee:

Annual endowment from NC Soybean Association makes it possible to attend the Forum without requiring a registration fee.

Issues and Concerns:

To be solicited from Association members by the Association Presidents, submitted to the Federation President and then sent on to Administration to review and compile their responses prior to the Forum. Issues and concerns may also be voiced from the floor.