

# LEADING AND LEARNING TOGETHER



## Early Career Elements

**WHO:** Ag educators in their 1st-5th year of teaching

**WHAT:** PD focused on early career professionals needs including time management, relationship building, and more.

**HOW:** 8-10 hour intensive program



## XLR8

**WHO:** Ag educators in their 5th-15th year of teaching

**WHAT:** PD focused on shaping skills related to career life balance, delegation, prioritization, and wellness to increase career satisfaction and retention of teachers in the profession.

**HOW:** 8-10 hour intensive program



## Agriscience Inquiry Institute (Ag I2)

**WHO:** Ag educators of all stages of their career

**WHAT:** PD designed to strengthen teachers' inquiry-based instructional practices that promote deeper student engagement and critical problem-solving

**HOW:** 15 hour intensive program or 60-75 minute stand alone workshops



## Ag Teacher Resiliency

**WHO:** Ag educators of all stages of their careers.



**WHAT:** PD aimed at cultivating educator resilience to promote long-term career fulfillment and sustainability in the profession

**HOW:** 60 or 90 minutes session or 3 hour deep dive session.

## NEXT STEPS

If you would like to learn more about bringing a NAAE professional development program to your state, use the QR Code below to learn more and apply. Space for programming in 2026 is limited, so secure your dates now.



 <h3>PD Certificates</h3> <p>PD Certificates at a click of a button at MyNAAE.</p>	 <h3>Tailored to Your Goals</h3> <p>Meet your members where they are by working with NAAE to support your specific professional development goals.</p>
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**Workshop Title:**

**Growing Strong: Building Resilience as an Ag Educator presented by NAAE**

**Workshop Description:**

Being an ag teacher is demanding work, but it's also some of the most meaningful work out there. Between long hours, competitions, classroom management, and community commitments, it's easy to feel stretched thin. But just like the crops and students we nurture, we can grow stronger through challenges.

Join us for an engaging, supportive session focused on building your personal and professional resilience. You'll explore ways to rediscovering joy in your teaching. Come connect with fellow ag educators, share experiences, and leave re-energized with tools and ideas to sustain a fulfilling career, through every season of teaching.

**Target Audience:** Ag educators is all stages of their career.

**Length:** 60 - 90 minutes standalone session or a 3 hour Deep Dive Session

**Workshop Title:**

**Saying No, So You Can Say Yes to the Most Important Things presented by NAAE**

**Workshop Description:**

Often times, we get caught up in the slippery slope of saying yes to everything that comes on to our plate. We do things just because they have always been done that way. But with every yes, we ultimately are saying no to something else. Let's spend some time during the session focusing on our purpose and discussing why it is important to us as ag ed professionals to understand how we can say no so we can say yes to the most important things that will advance our careers and personal lives.

**Target Audience:** Ag educators is all stages of their career.

**Length:** 60 - 90 minutes standalone session

**Workshop Title:**

**Refilling Your Ag Teacher Bucket: From Empty to Recharged presented by NAAE**

**Workshop Description:**

As an agricultural educator, you pour your time, energy, and passion into your students, your program, and your community. But what happens when your own bucket runs dry? This engaging and interactive workshop will help you recognize the signs of burnout, explore strategies to reignite your passion, and discover ways to maintain balance in your career. Through reflection, discussion, and practical takeaways, you'll leave with a refreshed mindset and actionable steps to keep your Ag teacher bucket full and ensuring you stay motivated, fulfilled, and recharged for the rewarding work you do every day.

**Target Audience:** Ag educators is all stages of their career.

**Length:** 60 - 90 minutes standalone session