

Ginger & Turmeric

FIELD DAY



Agenda

November 16, 2017

VSU Randolph Farm

4415 River Road • Petersburg, VA

8:00 Registration

8:15 Welcome and Greeting -

Dr. M. Ray McKinnie, Dean, VSU College of Agriculture

8:20 Ginger and Turmeric Food Demonstration and Samples -

Ms. Wanda Johnson, Associate Extension Specialist, Culinary Demonstrations

8:45 Health Potential of Turmeric Clinical Research Findings -

Dr. Shobha Ghosh, VCU Medical Center

9:10 Ginger and Turmeric 101-

Dr. Reza Rafie, VSU College of Agriculture

9:30- Casslemonte Farm Experience Growing Ginger-

Mr. Bill Cox, Powhatan, VA

9:50 The Farm at Red Hill Experience Growing Ginger and Turmeric-
Mr. Richard Harrison, The Farm at Red Hill

10:15 The Planet Earth Diversified Farm Experience with Ginger and Turmeric Seed-piece production - Mr. Michael Clark, Planet Earth Diversified

10:30 Growers Buyers Networking

11:00 Field Visit



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