**31st GRC ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

**MISSION:POSSIBLE**

Aspiring to New Heights

September 25-28, 2022

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| **September 25** |  |  | |
| **3:00 – 7:00 PM** | **Arrival and Networking**  **Dinner on Your Own** | **Hotel Lobby** | |
| **September 26** | | |
| **8:00-10:00 AM** | **Registration**  **Light Breakfast Included**  **Exhibitor Set-Up in Delegal** | **Hotel Lobby/Ballroom** | |
| **10:00-10:30 AM** | **Opening Session: Keynote Address**  **Kellie Ballew Shaw Industries Group**  **Moderator: Jeff Lipscomb, Pratt Industries, GRC 2022 Board President** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **10:30-11:30 AM** | **Networking Session with Exhibitors**  **Sponsored by VLS Environmental Solutions** | **Delegal** | |
| **11:30-12:30 PM** | **Plenary Session: Technology & Innovation**  **Tamsin Ettefagh, PureCycle Technologies**  **Fiona Bell, Novelis North America**  **Moderator: Page Beckwith, Keep Newnan Beautiful** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **12:30-1:30 PM** | **Lunch (Included)** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **1:30-2:45 PM** | **Plenary Session: Reaching for New Heights**  **Jennifer Bogs, Crown Holdings,**  **Brad Rickard, Athens-Clarke Co. Compost**  **Barbara Alfano, EPA Region 4**  **Moderator: Kathy Reed, Keep North Fulton Beautiful** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **2:45–3:30 PM** | **Networking Break with Exhibitors**  **Sponsored by Brightmark** | **Delegal** | |
| **3:30-4:30 PM** | **Plenary Session*:* Technology & Innovation**  **Edel Rodriguez, AMP Robotics**  **Stephen Klemann, Closed Loop Partners**  **Moderator: Scott Terrell, Jacobs Engineering** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **5:30-7:00 PM** | **Networking Reception**  **Sponsored by Pratt Recycling** | **Back Lawn** | |
|  | **Dinner On Your Own** |  | |
| **September 27** | | |
| **7:30-8:30 AM** | **Buffet Breakfast (Included)** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **8:30-9:30 AM** | **GRC Annual Membership Meeting**  **Burns Scholarship Announcement** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **9:30-10:45 AM** | **Plenary Session*-* Boosting Impact**  **Abbey Patterson, NAIMA, AMP Consulting**  **Matt Todd, Foodservice Packaging Institute, RRS**  **Jacqueline Dost, Carroll Co. Tire Management**  **Moderator: Karen Wilson, Greif Recycling** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **10:45-12:00 PM** | **Final Networking Break with Exhibitors** | **Denegal** | |
| **12:00–1:30 PM** | **Lunch Break - On Your Own** |  | |
| **1:30–3:30 PM** | **Breakout Sessions**  **Recycling Program Managers Workshop**  **Abigail West, Athens-Clarke Co Recycling**  **USCC Chapter Organizational Meeting** | **Managers meet in Lanier**  **Breakout 1**  **USCC meet in Lanier**  **Breakout 2** | |
| **3:00-5:00 PM** | **GRC Corn Hole Challenge** | **Back Lawn** | |
| **7:00-7:30 PM** | **“Anniversary” Reception**  **Sponsored by Greif Recycling** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **7:30-9:30 PM** | **Belated Anniversary Celebration**  **Dinner Included** | **Lanier Ballroom** | |

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| **September 28** | | | |
| **8:00-9:00 AM** | **Breakfast (Included)** | | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **9:00-9:45 AM** | **Plenary Session: Education and Outreach**  **Dr. Jasmeet Kaur, Coca-Cola,**  **Mason Towe and Ellie Filston, UGA**  **Moderator: Abbey Patterson, RRS** | | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **9:45-10:30 AM** | **Plenary Session: Pro Perspectives**  **Myles Cohen, Circular Ventures, LLC**  **Michael Timpane, RRS** | | **Lanier Ballroom** | |
| **10:30-11:00 AM** | **Drawings & Adjourn**  **\*Includes drawing for weekend at King & Prince, an attendee registration to 2023 conference, and other premium door prizes immediately following the final session.** | **Lanier Ballroom** | | |