

## **Southern San Joaquin Valley Grape Symposium**

Tulare County Agricultural Building  
4437 S. Laspina St. Tulare, CA 93274

**Thursday, February 8, 2024**

*Sponsored by University of California Cooperative Extension &  
Consolidated Central Valley Table Grape Pest and Disease Control District*

**Registration fee:** \$15

**Registration link:** <https://surveys.ucanr.edu/survey.cfm?surveynumber=41970>

- 7:45 am**      **Sign-in** (*refreshments provided*)
- 8:25 am**      **Welcome/Introduction:** *Joy Hollingsworth-UCCE Tulare*
- 8:30 am**      **PCA Requirements:** *Nicole Motley-Tulare Ag Commissioners Office*
- 9:00 am**      **Managing Winter Weeds in Table Grapes:** *Jorge Angeles-UCCE Tulare*
- 9:30 am**      **Research Update on Grapevine Trunk Diseases and Management Options:** *Akif Eskalen, UC Davis*
- 10:00 am**      **Break**
- 10:20 am**      **Cover crop impacts on soil health and water budget in an Autumn King table grape vineyard:** *Lauren Hale, USDA ARS*
- 10:50 am**      **Improving berry firmness and color in red table grapes:** *Tian Tian, UCCE Kern*
- 11:20 am**      **Optimizing the Use of Ethylene-Releasing Compounds in Table Grapes:** *Ashraf El-Kereamy, UC Riverside and UC Lindcove REC*
- 11:50 am**      **Summary of recent work/wrap up:** *Joy Hollingsworth, UCCE Tulare*
- 12:00 pm**      **Lunch**

**3.0 CCA and 1.5 DPR credits have been approved**