

**USDA Northeast Climate Hub Meetings**  
**University of Maryland**  
**University of District of Columbia**  
**April 8-10<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

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Attending from Hub: Erin Lane, David Hollinger, Howard Skinner, Katrina Krause

Hotel: College Park Marriott Hotel & Conference Center, 3501 University Blvd E  
Hyattsville, MD 20783

***SCHEDULE***

**April 8<sup>th</sup>** Travel Day

**April 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Location:** Room 0118 Symons Hall, University of Maryland College Park, 20742  
Ms. Theresa Simmons (301) 405-2462 can help with parking code for the paint branch garage (one block away from the building, Symons Hall).

**8:15** Katrina arrives at Marriott, Meet in Lobby

**8:30** Paul Leisnham to pick up and escort to Symons Hall (room 0118)

**9:00-10:00** Meeting with Dr. Adel Shirmohammadi (Associate Dean for Research & Assoc. Director of MAES) and Dr. Stephen Wright (Associate Dean & Associate Director, University of Maryland Extension)

**10:00-10:15** Break

**10:15-12:00** Climate Research at UMD and Presentation about the Hub  
**Speakers:** Hub presenter(s), Jaison Renkenberger, Natalia Salazar, and Dr. John Lea-Cox.  
We can plan for approximately 20-25 min presentations, allowing plenty of time for questions and discussion

**12:00-1:00** Lunch, either at Stamp Student Union or in Symons Hall

**1:00-2:00** Greenhouse tour with demonstration by John Lea-Cox

**3:00** Howard departs for home

**April 10<sup>th</sup>**

**06:30** Katrina picks up Dave and Erin at Hotel, drive to DC and have coffee

**8:00-1000** UDC schedule is pending