



## **DALE LAYFIELD**

### **Assessing Agricultural Professionals' Awareness and Competencies of Recommended Practices in Synchronous Online Instruction During the COVID-19 Pandemic**

The COVID-19 outbreak put the world in lockdown over the past year, leading to an unprecedented need for use of synchronous online learning tools. However, professionals in agricultural education and cooperative extension were professionally trained in face-to-face techniques. This seminar will share some initial findings from a recent study that assessed their readiness to use synchronous online delivery tools, including issues regarding accessibility.

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