International Grassland Congress
Announces 2023 Venue in the United States

“Grassland for Soil, Animal, and Human Health”

Berea, Kentucky — The American Forage and Grassland Council is excited to announce the XXV International Grassland Congress, which will be held in Covington, Kentucky from May 14 to 19, 2023. This is the first time that the event will be hosted by the U.S. since 1981.

"Every three to four years, the International Grassland Congress attracts the leading grassland researchers and practitioners from over 80 countries around the world," says Dr. Ray Smith, current chair of the International Grassland Congress Continuing Committee.

The conference features academic presentations that highlight research on grassland ecology, forage production and utilization, livestock production systems, grassland sustainability and ecosystems, and grassland policies and social issues. Another highlight of the event will be tours of grasslands throughout the Midwest, Southeast, and Pacific Northwest regions of the United States.

"The USA's bid for the 2023 International Grassland Congress was overwhelmingly accepted by the continuing committee, and we all look forward to returning to the U.S. after more than 40 years," Smith says.

Imagine a field with no fences, a country with no borders, and a world with no boundaries – a world that promotes the interchange of information on all aspects of natural and cultivated grasslands and forage crops. This defines the International Grassland Congress, where producers, researchers, and scientists come together to share information and tour the region’s grasslands to better understand and appreciate forage production. Plan now to join grassland colleagues from around the world to explore “Grassland for Soil, Animal, and Human Health.”

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