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- Partners land-grant universities with disability services organizations. Currently 20 state projects
- National AgrAbility Project: Led by Purdue’s Breaking New Ground Resource Center. Partners include:
  - Goodwill of the Finger Lakes
  - APRIL (Association of Programs for Rural Independent Living)
  - Colorado State University
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Outreach and Assistance for Socially Disadvantaged Farmers and Ranchers and Veteran Farmers and Ranchers (2501 Grant Program)
Assist socially disadvantaged or veteran farmers and ranchers in owning operating and successful farms and ranches;

Improve participation among socially disadvantaged or veteran farmers and ranchers in USDA programs;

Build relationships between current and prospective farmers and ranchers who are socially disadvantaged or veterans and USDA’s local, state, regional, and National offices;

Introduce agriculture-related information to socially disadvantaged or veteran farmers and ranchers through innovative training and technical assistance techniques; and

Introduce agricultural education targeting socially disadvantaged youth, and/or socially disadvantaged beginning farmers and ranchers, in rural and persistent poverty communities.
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**July 8, 2020**
Introduction to the Issues and Challenges

Presenters:
John Jamerson; Denise Jamerson; & Frank Taylor

**August 26, 2020**
Succession Planning Strategies and Resources

Presenters:
Purdue Institute for Family Business – Dr. Maria Marshall; Renee Wiatt; Purdue Extension Succession Planning Team

**October 2020 (tentative)**
Program Wrap-up

Presenters:
To be determined based on the needs, interests, and questions resulting from Sessions 1 & 2.