



We're excited to invite you to join the Cultivating Change Foundation for its third Oregon reception. We'll celebrate the love of agriculture and agriculturists with hors d'oeuvres, drinks, and conversation.

Friday, February 15, 2019  
5:00 to 7:00 pm

**OSU Portland Center**  
**555 SW Morrison**  
**Portland, OR 97204**

RSVP to Kirk Maag at [kirk.maag@stoel.com](mailto:kirk.maag@stoel.com) or (503) 294-9546

This year, we're honored to welcome many leaders within Oregon's agriculture and forest products industries as co-hosts of the reception:

**Alexis Taylor**

*Director, Oregon Department of Agriculture*

**Peter Daugherty**

*Oregon State Forester*

**Dave Dillon**

*Agriculture Association Executive*

**Kristina McNitt**

*President, Oregon Forest & Industries Council*

**Scott Reed**

*Vice Provost / Director, OSU Extension Service*

**Travis Joseph**

*President/CEO, American Forest Resource Council*

**Kristopher Elliott**

*Program Leader, Outdoor School*

**Anthony Davis**

*Interim Dean, OSU College of Forestry*

The Foundation's mission is to value and elevate lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) individuals in the agricultural industry through advocacy, education, and community. The Foundation was formed as an extension of the inaugural Cultivating Change Summit in Atlanta. The Summit started a long-overdue conversation to acknowledge and value the presence of LGBT individuals in the agricultural industry. The Summit is now an annual agricultural industry conference that brings together LGBT individuals and their allies from across the country.

We hope you'll attend the reception to support the Foundation's mission, celebrate our accomplishments, and learn about our goals for 2019. We look forward to conversations about creating positive change for LGBT individuals who are passionate about the agriculture and forest products industries!

**Donations of \$100 will be matched by the Foundation's Board of Directors as part of our effort to raise \$100,000 by May 31, 2019. Let's celebrate cultivating change!**

**Jeff Sherman**

*Owner, Sherman Rental LLC*

*Assistant Director, OSU Outreach and Engagement*

**Kirk Maag**

*Partner, Stoel Rives LLP*

*Secretary, Cultivating Change Foundation*