



# Alberta Seed Growers 88th Annual General Meeting Agenda

Welcome to Alberta Seed Growers, British Columbia Branch of Canadian Seed Growers' Association, and seed industry participants

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 29, 2017

Devonian Room

2:00 p.m.–6:00 p.m.

**Registration**

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3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Champions for Alberta's Agriculture Industry**

Alberta Seed Growers board presentation on the future direction and activities of the ASG

Spencer Graling – 2016 Senior Champion of the Canadian Young Speakers for Agriculture

North Foyer

6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m.

**Reception, Registration & Exhibits Open**

Manitoba/Saskatchewan Room

6:45 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

**Banquet**

International Year of Pulses in Review: Allison Ammeter

Keynote Address: Graham Sherman

## **Graham Sherman**

**Co-owner, Tool Shed Brewing Company**

Graham Sherman is a self-professed "high level geek" who has used his love of technology to help him master the craft of brewing artisan beer. Together with his partner, Graham launched the Tool Shed Brewery four years ago, and has never looked back.

Prior to starting Tool Shed, Graham and his Tool Shed partner worked on contracts for the Canadian and US governments and military forces, installing encrypted, tactical communication networks. By day, they rolled around Afghanistan in armoured vehicles, "geeking out" in the world of satellite communications. By night, they aimed their obsessive, high-level thinking at mastering everyday tasks such as coffee, learning to control their homes in Canada remotely with their iPhones....and finally, perfecting batches of beer.

Now sold in over 1000 locations in Western Canada, Tool Shed has its 15,000 square foot headquarters in Calgary, and the team behind the brand has also been nominated as Canadian Entrepreneur of the year, the world's most prestigious business award for entrepreneurs, with programs in 145 cities in 60 countries. They were also named as two co-winners of the "40 Under 40" recognition from *Avenue* magazine.



## **MONDAY, JANUARY 30, 2017**

*Manitoba/Saskatchewan Room*

7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m. **Buffet Breakfast**

7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **Registration & Exhibits Open**

### **Concurrent Alberta /British Columbia AGM Business Meetings**

8:00 a.m – 9:00 a.m. **Alberta Seed Growers: Business Meeting**

Call to Order  
Approval of Agenda  
Welcome Address:  
Honourable Oneil Carlier, Minister of Agriculture and Forestry  
President's Address: Glenn Logan  
Disposition of Annual Minutes  
Appointment of Nominations Committee: Don Sendziak  
Appointment of Resolutions Committee: Ward Oatway  
Auditor's Report  
Appointment of Auditor  
Budget  
Disposition of Resolutions

*Director's Room*

8:00 – 10:00 a.m.

**British Columbia Branch CSGA Annual General Meeting**

*Manitoba/Saskatchewan Room*

9:00 a.m.–9:30 a.m. **Alberta Seed Guide and [seed.ab.ca](http://seed.ab.ca) Report**  
Shawn Brook, Issues Ink

9:30 a.m.–10:10 a.m. **Plant the Seed to Farm Safety**  
Donna Trottier, Alberta Wheat Commission

10:10 a.m.–10:30 a.m. **Refreshment Break & Exhibits Open**

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **CSGA Report**  
President remarks – Kevin Runnalls, CSGA  
National Committee Updates – Richard Stamp & Ron Markert,  
ASG-National Directors  
Vision for the Future – Shawn Brook, Issues Ink

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Lunch**

1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Breeding and Commercialization Possibilities of Pulses from CDC**  
Dr. Kofi Agblor

1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

### Alberta Seed Quality

Crystal Dentman, President CSAAC, BioVision Seed Labs

2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

### Canadian Seed Institute Update

Danielle Fletcher, CSI Western Canada Representative

2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

### Your real cost of seed production

Richard Stamp, ASG - National Director

3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

### Managing Wheat on a Cultivar Basis

Sheri Strydhorst

3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

### Break & Exhibits Open

3:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

### Alberta Seed Growers – Members-Only Session:

Call for Nominations

Election of Directors

Open Forum

Resolutions

Adjourn

(ASG Board Meeting)

**EVENT CONCLUDES**