

2018 PROGRAMS

March

Date	Organization	Program Topic & Presenter	Program Location	Contact phone & email
3/3 & 3/4 2018	GLFEE	Hands-on 3/3 Stage show 3/4 Floristry, An Everyday Event Tom Simmons AIFD, CFD, CCF	Amway Grand Plaza 187 Monroe Ave NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503	Cindy Ching 517-575-0110 cindy@michiganfloral.org
3/4/18	Louisiana State Florist Assn	Wedding Designs Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	Evangeline Downs 2235 Cresswell Lane Extension, Opelousas, LA 70570	Annie Taylor leonasuesflorist@aol.com 337-234-1421
3/4/18	Oklahoma Unit	Sympathy Designs David Powers AIFD, CFD	Greenleaf Wholesale 4100 Will Rogers Pkwy # 900, Oklahoma City, OK 73108	Jill Tipton 405-275-9057
3/6/18	DC-MD-VA Unit	Events John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF, CAFA	Delaware Valley Wholesale 7587 Montevideo Rd. Jessup, MD 20794	JoAnn Baker joannbaker@mahersflorist.net 410-255-8184
3/9 – 3/11 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	European Design Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	Renaissance Dallas Hotel 2222 North Stemmons Freeway Dallas, TX 75207	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com
3/11/18	Northern California-Nevada Unit with AIFD NW Chapter	Wedding Designs John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF CAFA	Floral Fresh Wholesale 1127 Fee Drive Sacramento, CA	Todd Johnson foothillflorist@yahoo.com 530-273-2296
3/11/18	Colonial VA Unit	Tabletop Trends Tom Simmons AIFD, CFD, CCF	Classic Party Rentals of VA 9313 Burge Avenue Richmond, VA 23237	Cindy Reynolds Cindyreynolds01230@gmail.com 804-897-6100
3/11/18	Valley Floral Wholesale	Spring Open House Joyce Mason- Monheim AIFD, CFD, AAF, PFCI, AzMF	Valley Floral Company 4619 N. Arkansas Wichita, KS 67204	Kerry Sallabedra AIFD kerrys@valleyfloral.com 316-838-3355 ext. 123
3/13/18	Arizona Unit	Spring and Everyday Designs Tom Simmons AIFD, CFD, CCF	Askren & Sons 3828 E. Roeser Rd. Phoenix, AZ 85040	Clara Annis claraannis@gmail.com 480-983-0802
3/13/18	North Texas Unit	Wedding Designs Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	Greenleaf Wholesale 2777 Irving Blvd Dallas, TX 75207	Mary Ann DeBerry thefloristltd@hotmail.com 940-483-1800
3/18/18	New Mexico-WesTexas Unit	Everyday Designs Kevin Ylvisaker AIFD, CFD, PFCI, CAFA	DWF 4717 Lumber Ave NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109	Thia Smith tsmith@silverspringsfloral.com 505-242-7818
3/18/18	Georgia State Florist Association	Dare to Design Differently John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF, CAFA	Macon City Center Marriott 240 Coliseum Dr., Macon, GA 31217	Sherry Moon amoonoverbuckhead@gmail.com 404-233-4446
3/18/18	Illinois State Florists Association	'Start with Color' Gerard Toh AIFD, CFD, CCF	Decatur Conference Center 4191 US 36 West, Decatur, IL 62522	Adam Havrilla adam@artisticbloomschicago.com 773-596-9006
3/21/18	Ohio Buckeye Unit DESIGNER CHANGE	Weddings Julie Poeltler AIFD, PFCI, IMF, CAFA	Nordlie Cleveland 9550 Granger Rd, Cleveland, OH 44125	Patricia Huggins 330-499-4959 Prh224@aol.com
3/21/18	Penn Jersey Unit	Plants Susan Ayala AIFD, CFD, PFCI	Younger & Son 595 Maple Ave Lansdale, PA 19446	Marjie Versagli malvernflowers@gmail.com 610-401-8654

3/21/18	New York Capitol District Unit	Weddings John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF, CAFA	Bill Doran Co. 45 Industrial Park Road Albany, NY 12206	Cheryl Knott 518-982-8927 maloneysflorist@yahoo.com
3/25/18	Maine State Florists Association	Weddings Joyce Mason- Monheim AIFD, CFD, AAF, PFCI, AzMF	Black Bear Inn & Conference Center 4 Godfrey Dr. Orono, ME 04473	Rhonda Little 207-723-9016 millinocketfloral@gwi.net

April

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4/6 – 4/8 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	Profitable Everyday Designs David Powers AIFD, CFD	Phoenix Airport Marriott 1101 North 44 th Street Phoenix, AZ 85008	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com
4/7 & 4/8 2018	WUMFA	Finding the Green Hands-on 4/4 Stage show 4/6 Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	Chula Vista Resort 2501 River Rd, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965	Cindy Ching 517-575-0110 cindy@michiganfloral.org wumfa.org
4/8/18	West Virginia Unit	Prom & Wedding Designs Joyce Mason- Monheim AIFD, CFD, AAF, PFCI, AzMF	Wholesale House of Flowers 1550 Benedum Industrial Dr. Bridgeport, WV 26330	Sheila Larew 304-265-4260 graftonfloralwv@yahoo.com
4/8/18	Oregon-SW Washington Unit	Weddings John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF CAFA	Greenleaf & Floral Supply Syndicate 3628 Leverman St., Portland, OR 97217	Kris Boley 541-593-1300
4/8/18	Arkansas Unit	Everyday Silks With Style Tim Farrell AIFD, AAF, PFCI	Betty's Wholesale 1244 W. Searcy St Kensett, AR 72082	Kay Schlaefli 479-783-3210 kay@expressionsflowers.com
4/8/18	Western Pennsylvania Unit	Vonda LaFever Hands-on:Armatures made easy Stage: The Business of Spring Holidays	DBEC Wholesale Co. 1162 Garden Street Greensburg, PA 15601	John Lechliter Jlechliter87@gmail.com 412-824-2388
4/10/18	Michigan Unit	Wedding and Prom Joyce Mason- Monheim AIFD, CFD, AAF, PFCI, AzMF	Nordlie Inc 25300 Guenther Warren, MI 48091	Jeanette Ballien j.ballien@gmail.com 989-799-2121
4/12/18	Georgia Unit	Weddings Kevin Ylvisaker AIFD, CFD, PFCI, CAFA	Kennicott Crothers 2285 Cook Dr. Doraville, GA 30340	Sherry Moon amoonoverbuckhead@gmail.com 404-233-4446
4/15/18	Montana Big Sky Unit	Profitable Mother's Day & Spring Holidays Gerard Toh AIFD, CFD, CCF	Bitterroot Flower Shop Classroom 811 s. Higgins Avenue Missoula, MT 59801	Lindsay Irwin accounts@bitterrootflowershop.com 406-542-0309
4/15/18	Indiana Unit	Everyday Designs + facility tour Tom Bowling AIFD, PFCI	Syndicate Sales Inc. 2025 N Wabash St, Kokomo, IN 46901	Lana Hale 765-482-1130 Lana_hale@yahoo.com
4/15/18	Minndakota Unit	Plants Kevin Ylvisaker AIFD, CFD, PFCI, CAFA	North American Wholesale 715 S 7 th Avenue Sioux Falls, SD 57104	Laura Baker 605-539-9800 bakersdesign@hotmail.com
4/15/18	Blue Ridge Unit	Weddings Hitomi Gilliam AIFD	TFS Roanoke	Karen Peery cahoonsflowers@aol.com

			3441 Brandon Ave SW # 200, Roanoke, VA 24018	540-473-2601
4/17/18	Big Apple Unit	Field to Vase Helen Miller AIFD, CF, CAFA	East Meadow Garden Club Co-Op 832 Merrick Ave. East Meadow NY 11554	Theresa Soto sototheresa@optonline.net 516-481-1277
4/20 – 4/22 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	Testing, Testing 1,2,3 Kevin Ylvisaker AIFD, CFD, PFCI, CAFA	Chicago Marriott O'Hare 8535 West Higgins Road Chicago, IL 60631	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com
4/22/18	New Hampshire-Vermont Unit	Wedding & Event Designs Jerome Raska AIFD, AAF, PFCI, CF	Josiah's Meetinghouse 521 Calefs Hwy Epping, NH 03042	Michelle Launsby 603-742-1165 office@sweetmeadowsflorist.com
4/22/18	Wisconsin – Upper Michigan Unit	Gerard Toh AIFD, CFD, CCF	The Florian Gardens Conference Center 2340 Lorch Ave Eau Claire, WI	Sharon Spindell-Wojnarowitz 414-429-9426 262-320-4114
4/24/18	North Carolina Unit	Weddings Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	Cleveland Plant & Flower 4200 Atlantic Ave #166 Raleigh, NC 27604	Susi Gordon Hawksflorist1974@yahoo.com 336-969-6551

May

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5/20/18	Lewis & Clark Unit	Color, Trends and Contemporary Designs Hitomi Gilliam AIFD	Tiger Garden 2-34 Agriculture Building Columbia, MO 65201	Lesliegh Kraft cravensle@missouri.edu 573-882-2625
5/23/18	Ohio Buckeye Unit	Everyday Designs Tim Farrell AIFD, AAF, PFCI	Canton Wholesale Floral 7575 Supreme Ave. NW North Canton, Ohio 44720	Patricia Huggins ohiobuckeyeunit.teleflora@gmail.com 330-499-4959

June

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6/1 – 6/3 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	Everything But The Bouquet Tom Simmons AIFD, CFD, CCF	Sheraton Vancouver Airport 7551 Westminster Hwy Richmond, BC, V6X 1A3	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com
6/10/18	Florida State Florist Association	A Celebration of Life Jerome Raska AIFD, AAF, PFCI, CF	Marriott Orlando Airport Lakeside 7499 Augusta National Drive Orlando, FL 32822	Bob Tucker 352-787-6806 eventsbymissdaisy@gmail.com
6/22 – 6/24 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	The Business of Design Vonda LaFever AIFD, CFD, PFCI	Renaissance Orlando Airport 5445 Forbes Place Orlando, FL 32812	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com

July

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7/13 – 7/15 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	Extraordinary Events John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF, CAFA	Westin Baltimore Washington Airport 1110 Old Elkridge Landing Road Linthicum, MD 21090	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com
7/22/18	Oklahoma State Florist Association	Events John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF, CAFA	Conoco Phillips OSU Alumni Center 201 Conoco Phillips OSU Alumni Center Stillwater, OK 74078	Lenzee & Lacey Bilke madelinesflowers@sbcglobal.net 405-834-2220 (Lenzee) 405-834-2224 (Lacey)
7/25/18	Upstate NY Unit	Wedding Designs John Hosek AIFD, PFCI, CF, CAFA	Barbagallo's 6344 E. Molloy Rd. E. Syracuse, NY 13057	Vicky Munson donsownflowershop@yahoo.com 315-789-2554
7/25/18	WI-Upper MI Unit	Weddings/Corporate Events DESIGNER PENDING	Bill Doran Co. 1739 W. St.Paul Ave Milwaukee, WI 53233	Rhonda Deaver rhonda@snapdragonneg.com 414-464-6330
7/29/18	Arizona State Florist Association	Back to our Roots...Bloom & Grow Gerard Toh AIFD, CFD, CCF	Black Canyon Conference Center 9440 N 25 th Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85021	Brian Vetter AAF, AIFD, PFCI, CFD, AzMF bvetter.aifd@yahoo.com 602-908-9024

August

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8/3 – 8/5 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	Growing Your Design IQ Tim Farrell AIFD, AAF, PFCI	Sheraton Cleveland Airport 5300 Riverside Drive Cleveland, OH 44135	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com
8/5/18	Kentucky Florist Association	Everyday for Less John Hosek AIFD, OFCl, CF, CAFA	Holiday Inn 1325 S Hurstbourne Pkwy, Jeffersontown, KY 40223	Michael Gaddie lloydsflorist@aol.com 502-777-8578
8/5/18	WesTexas-New Mexico State Florist Association	'Tapestry' Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	MCM Elegaté Hotel & Suite 801 Ave Q Lubbock, Texas 79401	Jan Brush 806-788-0607 OR Donice Strickland 575-309-5888
8/12/18	North Carolina State Florist Association	Look to the Future Kevin Ylvisaker AIFD, CFD, PFCI, CAFA	Embassy Suites Hotel 204 Centreport Drive Greensboro, NC 27409	Bill McPhail Mcpfail.bill@yahoo.com 910-988-8637
8/15/18	New England Unit	Holiday Designs DESIGNER PENDING	Delaney House 3 Country Club Road Holyoke, MA 01040	Heather Sullivan heather@durocherflorist.com 413-785-5148
8/18/18	Arkansas State Florist Association	Darla Pawlak AIFD CFD, PFCI	Hot Springs Convention Center 134 Convention Blvd Hot Springs, AR 71901	Shane Cranford scanford@swflorists.com 501-837-0647
8/19/18	Tennessee State Florist Association	ROOT 66 Tim Farrell AIFD, AAF, PFCI	Cool Springs Marriott Hotel and Convention Center Franklin, Tennessee 37067	Kevin Coble kcoblefleur@aol.com 901-834-8347

September

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9/12/18	Penn Jersey Unit	Holiday Designs DESIGNER PENDING	Norman Smith 624 W Broad Street Paulsboro, NJ 08066	Edith Schmidt eliteflorals@comcast.net 267-251-8949
9/21 – 9/23 2018	Teleflora Scholarship Academy	Wedding Bouquets Joyce Mason- Monheim AIFD, CFD, AAF, PFCI, AzMF	Denver Airport Marriott at Gateway Park 16455 E. 40 th Circle Aurora, CO 80011	Lottie McKinnon or Jennifer Zeidman teleflorascholarship@teleflora.com
9/26/18	Connecticut Unit	Weddings DESIGNER PENDING	Best Western 201 Washington Ave. North Haven, CT 06473	Alice Porter-Flagg 860-677-1684 alice@haworthsflowers.com
9/30/18	South Dakota State Florist Association	Body Flowers/Wedding Joyce Mason- Monheim AIFD, CFD, AAF, PFCI, AzMF	Cedar Short Resort 1500 Shoreline Dr, Oacoma, SD 57365	Chad Kruse SDCF chad@desmetflowers.com 605-854-3773

October

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10/3/18	Minndakota Unit	Everyday with a hint of Holiday DESIGNER PENDING	Kennicott 2265 W County Rd C Roseville, MN 55113	Laura Baker bakersdesign@hotmail.com 605-539-9800
10/4/18	Big Apple Unit	What to do with Weekly Specials Tim Farrell AIFD, AAF, PFCI	Black Forest Haus 2015 New Hwy, Farmingdale, NY 11735	Sue Feldis 516-771-1070
10/7/18	Montana State Florist Association	TBC DESIGNER PENDING	Best Western Gran Tree Inn 1325 N 7th Ave, Bozeman, MT 59715	Linda Robbins anniegt@fiberpipe.net
10/9/18	Tennessee Unit	Holiday Fresh & Permanent Kevin Ylvisaker AIFD, CFD, PFCI, CAFA	Flowers Direct 1601 E 27 th Street Chattanooga, TN 37404	Susan Holt 423-312-8448 Susanholt1@charter.net
10/14/18	New Mexico-WesTexas Unit	Pure Imagination Hitomi Gilliam AIFD	DWF 4717 Lumber Ave NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109	Thia Smith tsmith@silverspringsfloral.com 505-242-7818
10/24/18	Penn Jersey Unit	Wedding Designs Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	Pennock Co. 7135 Colonial Ln. Pennsauken, NJ 08019	Debra Brown Greenery6376@aol.com 610-842-1420

November

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11/4/18	Maine Unit	Wedding Designs Jenny Thomasson AIFD, PFCI, EMC	Black Forest Haus 2015 New Hwy, Farmingdale, NY 11735	Sue Feldis 516-771-1070

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