

THURSDAY 5/11

**Physics Bldg. Rm. 1001
Landscape & Ornamentals – L&O**

07:00 AM – 08:30 AM

Registration and Exhibitor Set-up Physics Bldg. Lobby

08:30 AM – 09:20 AM

L&O: IFAS Fertility Recommendations – Compliance for Fertilizer
Bryan Unruh, PhD, University of Florida

09:20 AM – 09:40 AM

Break

09:40 AM – 10:30 AM

CORE: Insecticide Selection and Use for Safe and Effective IPM Programs
Adam Dale, PhD, University of Florida

10:30 AM – 10:50 AM

Break

10:50 AM – 11:40 AM

L&O: Managing Insect Pests on Wildlife-friendly Ornamentals
Bernie Mach, PhD, University of Florida

11:40 AM – 12:50 PM

Lunch

12:50 PM – 01:40 PM

L&O: Graduate Student Research Updates
Lynhe Demesyieux – Biology and Management of Nematodes on Ornamental Plants
Agustin Boeri – Managing Mixed Species Lawns for Enhanced Environmental Services

01:40 PM – 02:30 PM

CORE: The Importance of Creating and Properly Maintaining Buffer Zones Around Ponds
Michelle Atkinson, MS, University of Florida

02:30 PM – 02:40 PM

Break

02:40 PM – 03:50 PM

L&O: Updates on Turfgrass Weed Management Programs
Pawel Petelewicz, PhD, University of Florida

03:50 PM – 04:40 PM

L&O: Research Field Tour at the IFAS Tree Unit with Gail Hansen
Gail Hansen, PhD, University of Florida



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NOTICE: With the exception of the Sapp - Walkup Tailgator Steak Dinner Tuesday night there will be no sponsored meals this year. Food options are available at the Reitz Union and other vendors within a short drive or walk.

Monday 5/8

04:00 PM - 06:00 PM

TUESDAY 5/9

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**Physics Bldg. Rm. 1002
ACE Training and Exam**

ACE Training Review
Rebecca Baldwin, PhD & Crew, University of Florida

ACE Exam
Rebecca Baldwin, PhD, University of Florida

**Physics Bldg. Rm. 1001
General Household Pests - GHP**

GHP: Mosquito Control by the MCD's and How the Pest Control Operator Can Help
Whitney Qualls, PhD, Anastasia Mosquito Control District

Break

GHP: Effective Perimeter Pest Control Techniques
Larry Stretz, MS, MBA, BCE

Break

GHP: Small Flies, Big Problems!
Bennett Jordan, PhD, BCE, Ecolab

SEPMC, Urban Entomology Lab, and FPMA Partners in PCO Education

Lunch

GHP: The Joro Spider: Lessons on Invasive Species
Dan Suiter, PhD, University of Georgia

GHP: Pest Ants
David Oi, PhD, USDA-ARS

Break

CORE: Pesticide Safety for Employees and Businesses
Paul Mitola, Environmental Consultant, FDACS

CORE: Bee Safety
Jon Simkins, Insect IQ

Sapp - Walkup Tailgator Steak Dinner
Parking garage on Gale Lemerand Drive

SAPP-WALKUP TAILGATE TICKET REQUIRED. TICKETS ARE REQUIRED.
Free tickets available with paid registrations.
Extra tickets are \$20 while supply lasts.

Fish and chili provided by:



The University of Florida

**25th Annual
Southeast Pest Management Conference**

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**Physics Bldg. Rm. 1001
Wood Destroying Organism (WDO)**

Exhibitor Registration and Set-up

WDO Calculations for WDO treatment
Cory Goeltzenleuchter B.C.E., P.H.E., CP-FS, McCall Service

Break

WDO Situational Termite Treatments - Overcoming the Good, the Bad, and the Just Plain Ugly
Michael Bentley, PhD, BCE, NPMA

Break

WDO Formosan Termite Update
Johanna Welch, Environmental Specialist III, FDACS

Lunch

WDO The Perils of Colony Foundation in Subterranean Termites
Thomas Chouvenec, PhD, University of Florida.

WDO Wood-Destroying Beetles, Bees and Ants
Danny Dye, A.C.E., Emeritus

Break

CORE: Pesticides and their Toxicity
Roberto Pereira, PhD, University of Florida

CORE: What Makes a Bug a Pest
Dini Miller, PhD, Virginia Tech University

**Physics Bldg. Rm. 1002
Fumigation - FUM**

FUM: Fumigation Update
Eric Hobelmann & Colleagues, Douglas Products