



5th Arizona School IPM Conference

In person April 18-19, 2022

Location: Maricopa Cooperative Extension Office,
4341 E. Broadway Road, Phoenix 85040.

Time: 7:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Online April 25 – May 31, 2022

6 PUG/PUC CEUs and 6 PMD CEUs approved



Day 1: Monday, April 18, 2022 – Track 1 (Outdoor Environments)

Topics applicable to all landscape, residential and commercial turf, and outdoor environments

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| 7:30 – 8:00 am | Registration, coffee, welcome |
| | Topics |
| 8:00 – 9:00 am | Plant health care: Pests, diseases and disorders. <i>Instructor: Rebecca Senior.</i> |
| 9:00 – 10:00 am | Optimizing pre- and post-emergence herbicide applications for difficult-to-control weeds. <i>Instructor: Kai Umeda.</i> |
| 10:00 – 10:15 am | Break |
| 10:15 – 11:15 am | Low maintenance landscape plants for the low desert. <i>Instructor: Ursula Schuch.</i> |
| 11:15 am – 12:15 pm | Are your plants becoming weeds? A look at garden invaders. <i>Instructor: Michael Chamberland.</i> |
| 12:15 – 1:00 pm | Lunch (Provided) |
| 1:00 – 2:00 pm | Abiotic stresses affecting landscape plants, and their management. <i>Instructor: Ursula Schuch.</i> |
| 2:00 – 2:15 pm | Break |
| 2:15 – 3:15 pm | Clear up the confusion: know how to select the right herbicide. <i>Instructor: Kai Umeda.</i> |
| 3:15 – 4:15 pm | Plant-insect interactions: Implications for landscape pest management. <i>Instructor: Shaku Nair</i> |
| 4:15 – 4:30 pm | Networking, adjourn |

Day 2: Tuesday, April 19, 2022 – Track 2 (Indoor/Built Environments)

Topics applicable to all community environments (schools and childcare, homes and residential buildings, medical facilities, parks and outdoor spaces etc.)

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| 7:30 – 8:00 am | Registration, coffee, welcome |
| | Topics |
| 8:00 – 8:15 am | Recap, announcements <i>Shaku Nair</i> |
| 8:15 – 9:15 am | Mosquito management in school /sensitive environment settings. <i>Instructor: James Will, Maricopa County Vector Control.</i> |
| 9:15 – 10:15 am | Pigeons: Biology, Behavior and Management. <i>Instructor: Dawn H. Gouge, University of Arizona.</i> |
| 10:15 – 10:30 am | Break |
| 10:30 – 11:30 am | Arizona pesticide application rules and regulations update; What pesticide inspectors look for during an inspection. <i>Instructors: Vince Craig, Hector Duran, AZ Department of Agriculture.</i> |
| 11:30 am – 12:30 pm | Food safety and pesticide concerns. <i>Instructor: Shujuan (Lucy) Li, University of Arizona.</i> |
| 12:30 – 1:15 pm | Lunch (Provided) |
| 1:15 – 2:15 pm | Pesticide Risks in Sensitive Environments: How IPM Can Help. <i>Instructor: Al Fournier, University of Arizona.</i> |
| 2:15 – 2:30 pm | Break |
| 2:30 – 3:30 pm | Pesticides and the environment. <i>Instructor: Jennifer Weber, University of Arizona.</i> |
| 3:30 – 4:00 pm | Closing remarks, Q&A |
| 4:00 – 4:30 pm | Networking, adjourn |



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