

# AGENDA

## Fall IPM Seminar November 15, 2023

8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Agenda times may vary depending on setting needs and speakers' travel time.

8:15 AM – 8:30 AM	<b>Introduction</b> Welcome <i>Janet Hurley</i>	CEU Credit SPCS/AG
8:30 AM – 9:30 AM	<b>Manuel Chavarria - Program Approach to Weed Control</b>  <i>Dr. Chavarria will present on common Texas turf varieties and the weed species found in the landscape. Additionally he will discuss proper IPM tactics used to control weeds in the landscape.</i>	Weed/General
9:30 – 9:45	Break	
9:45 – 10:45	<b>Greg Church - Improving Plant Health in North Texas Landscapes</b>  <i>Dr. Church will provide information on the management of common diseases, pests, and problems that impact plant health for trees, shrubs, and perennials.</i>	L&O/general
11:00 – noon	<b>Katerina &amp; Brad - How to develop a successful IPM Program</b>  <i>Mrs. Graham and Mr. Voss will present various methods to ensure a proper IPM approach is in place when controlling various pests. They will present on various Agricultural, Urban Landscape, and Structural IPM techniques.</i>	IPM/IPM
12:15 – 12:45	Catered Lunch	
12:45 – 1:45	<b>Janet Hurley – Updates on TDA and SPCS regulations</b>  <i>This session will cover the latest in rule updates including a discussion on the EPA's new rules regarding the Endangered Species Act including future restrictions of rodenticides.</i>	L&R/L&R
1:45 – 2:00 PM	Break	
2:00 – 3:00 PM	<b>Sonja Swiger – Public pests of concern</b>  <i>This session will cover fleas, flies, mosquitoes, bed bugs, and all insect pests that can cause harm to humans, animals, and the environment. Dr. Swiger will cover what applicators need to know when it comes to monitoring and treatment.</i>	Pest/General
3:00 – 4:00 PM	<b>Bryant McDowell – IPM of Wood Destroying Insects in Texas</b>  <i>Mr. McDowell will cover IPM Programs specific to various Structural WDI Pests such as termites and beetles commonly encountered.</i>	Termite
4:00 – 4:30	Wrap up and Certificates	