



SCHEDULE

Wednesday, September 27, 2023

7:30-8:00 am	Registration	
8:00-8:15 am	Welcome	President Welcome and Introductions <i>Liz Dunham</i>
8:15-9:00 am	Keynote	Practicing New Naturalism: Site-Specific Plantings in Public and Private Places <i>presented by Kelly Norris</i>
9:00-9:15 am	Session 2	Fabric Liners and Root Pruning for Trees <i>presented by Adam McClanahan</i>
9:15-9:35 am	IPPS Awards	
9:35-9:55 am	Coffee Break/Silent Auction	
9:55-10:45 am	Session 3	Commercial Seed Production at North Creek Nurseries <i>presented by Jaime Manlove</i>
10:45-11:15 am	Session 4	Wood Fiber Media in Young Plant Propagation <i>presented by Daniel Norden</i>
11:15-11:45 am	Panel	Tips, Tricks and Techniques; A Panel Discussion on Propagation with Industry Professionals
11:45 am - 12 pm	Lunch & Board Bus (All Guests will grab boxed lunch)	
	Afternoon Tour	Tour Stops: Connon Nurseries Verbinnen Nurseries NVK Nurseries
	Post Tour	Dinner BBQ Dinner



Thursday, September 28, 2023

8:00-8:45 am	Session 6	Public Gardens; Sentinels of Invasive Plants <i>presented by Kurt Dreisilker</i>
8:45-9:45 am	Session 7	Plant Selection/Breeding trials in GA and MN <i>presented by David Roberts</i>
9:45-10:10 am	Session 8	Pest Issues In Propagation <i>presented by Suzanne Wainwright-Evans</i>
10:10-10:30 am	Coffee Break/Silent Auction	
10:30-10:35 am	Foundation Update	IPPS Eastern Region Foundation Update <i>presented by Brian Decker</i>
10:35-11:05 am	Session 9	Plant Selection, Breeding and Trialing Shrubs at Spring Meadow Nursery <i>presented by Megan Mathey</i>
11:05 - 11:40 am	Panel	Holding the Keys to the Future; A Panel Discussion on Nursery Succession Planning
	Lunch & Board Bus (All Guests will grab boxed lunch)	
	Afternoon Tour	Tour Stops: Westbrook Greenhouse Systems Maple Leaf Nurseries J. C. Bakker Nurseries
	Post Tour	Dinner Conference Banquet



Friday, September 29, 2023

8:00-8:30 am	Session 11	TBA
8:30-8:50 am	Session 12	TBA
8:50-9:20 am	Session 13	Process Improvement for the Horticulture Industry <i>presented by Della Fetzer</i>
9:20-9:55 am	General Meeting	IPPS Eastern Region General Meeting
9:55-10:15 am	Coffee Break/Silent Auction	
10:15-11:00 am	Session 14	Plant Protection and Integrated Pest Management <i>presented by Michael Brownbridge</i>
11:00 - 11:10 am	2024 Conference Preview	
11:10 - 11:30 am	Session 15	Student Research Poster Presentations
11:30 am - Noon	New Plant Forum	