

At the forefront of Long Island horticulture for over 25 years...

We invite you to join us for the 28th annual Long Island Horticulture Conference! Landscapers, nursery growers, arborists, landscape architects and designers, turf managers, and others in the horticulture industry throughout Long Island and beyond are invited to attend.



DEC Pesticide recertification credits: Pending - call for information: Mina Vescera, 631-727-7850 x 213 or email mv365@cornell.edu.

ISA Certified Arborist CEUs: ISA certified arborists can earn a total of 6 credits for the day, or 3 credits per session.

Landscape Architecture: This program offers a total of 5.5 hours of NYSED (HSW) continuing education units under the subjects of horticulture, and vegetative management for registered landscape architects. General Session: 2.50 credit hours, HSW, Landscape or Nursery Sessions: 3 credit hours.

CNLP recertification education credits available for the NYS Nursery & Landscape Association's Certified Nursery & Landscape Professional Program: 3 for the AM General Session, and 3 each for the Nursery and Landscape Sessions.

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28th Annual

LONG ISLAND HORTICULTURE CONFERENCE

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st, 2018

Brookhaven National Laboratory
Upton, NY 11973
Berkner Hall (Bldg. 488)
7:30 AM to 4:30 PM



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GENERAL SESSION

7:30-8:30 AM	Sign-in/Refreshments
8:30-8:45	Welcome and Announcements <i>Mina Vescera, CCE-Suffolk & Timothy Green, Brookhaven National Laboratory</i>
8:45 – 9:15	DEC Updates: Handling Your Pesticide Inventory <i>Joyce Rodler, Pesticide Control Specialist, Bureau of Pest Management, NYSDEC Region 1</i>
9:15 – 9:45	Southern Pine Beetle Update: The Aftermath and Outlook <i>John D. Wemet, Regional Forester, Division of Lands and Forest, NYSDEC Region 1</i>
9:45 – 10:45	What Biochar Can and Cannot Do for Ornamental Horticulture <i>Deborah Aller, Ph.D., Agricultural Stewardship Specialist, CCE Suffolk</i>
10:45 – 11:00	SHORT BREAK
11:00 – 12:00	Evaluating Pollinator Support of Native Shrubs and Nativars <i>Jessica Lubell, Ph.D., Associate Professor in Horticulture, University of Connecticut</i>
12:00 – 1:00 PM	LUNCH

LANDSCAPE SESSION

1:00 – 1:30	Great Natives for Northeastern Green Roofs <i>Jessica Lubell Ph.D., Associate Professor in Horticulture, University of Connecticut</i>
1:30 – 2:00	Getting it Together: The Ins and Outs of Sampling Trees, Shrubs and Herbaceous Plants for Diagnosis <i>Margery Daughtrey, Senior Extension Associate, Section of Plant Pathology and Plant-Microbe Biology, Cornell University</i>
2:00 – 3:00	Merged and Emerging: New(er) Pests of Ornamentals <i>Dan Gilrein, Extension Entomologist, CCE-Suffolk</i>
3:00 – 3:15	SHORT BREAK

3:15 – 4:15 **Don't Look Now: Invasive Plants Sneaking Up on You and Around Regulations!**
Tamson Yeh, Turf and Land Manager Specialist, CCE Suffolk

4:15 – 4:30 **Wrap-up and Continuing Education Credits**

NURSERY SESSION

1:00 – 2:00 **General Considerations on the Management of Micro-Irrigation in Field Nurseries**
Raul I. Cabrera, Ph.D., Nursery Production & Management Extension Specialist, Rutgers University

2:00 – 3:00 **Managing pH and Plant Nutrition in Containers**
Fred Hulme, Ph.D., Technical Services Director, Ornamental Horticulture, ICL Specialty Fertilizer

3:00 – 3:15 **SHORT BREAK**

3:15 – 3:45 **Update of Recent Developments in Weed Management for Long Island Nurseries**
Andy Senesac, Ph.D., Weed Science Specialist, CCE Suffolk

3:45 – 4:15 **Boxwood Blight: What We Know So Far**
Margery Daughtrey, Senior Extension Associate, Section of Plant Pathology and Plant-Microbe Biology, Cornell University

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How to earn Continuing Education Units (CEUs): Please read this important message.
Pesticide Applicator Recertification Credits: Participants must sign in before the start of each session, and present their applicator's license identification card in order to sign-in. A certificate of attendance is given at sign-in of each session and will be stamped at the end of each session. If you fail to present your pesticide applicator's license (or acceptable photo ID), or if you arrive after the sign-in sheet has been removed, you will not be given a certificate of attendance. Sign-in sheets will be removed a few minutes into the first presentation of each session.
NYS Licensed Landscape Architects: Landscape architects interested in earning CEUs are required to sign in before the start of each session. Sign-in sheets will be removed a few minutes into the first presentation. A certificate of attendance is given at sign-in, and must be stamped at the end of each session. If the sign-in sheet has been removed, you will not be given a certificate of attendance.
CNLP Professionals & ISA Certified Arborists: Participants interested in earning professional credits must be present for the entire workshop. At the end of the workshop, you'll need to sign an attendance sheet before leaving.

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Long Island Horticulture Conference
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Cost*: Pre-registration fee is \$80 per person. After February 23rd, registration and walk-in fee is \$100.

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