

Tuesday, January 16, 2024



	General Sessions - <i>Plants Day</i>	Irrigation Training
7:30 - 8:30	Registration & Check-In Time with Exhibitors	
8:30 - 9:30	Gardens for our Changing Climate Presented by Jeff Epping	Irrigation Design Fundamentals Presented by Hunter Industries 8:00 am - 12:00pm NOTE: 8AM Start Time
9:30 - 9:45	<i>BREAK</i>	
9:45 - 10:45	Planning and Planting for the Future Presented by Chad Rigsby	
10:45 - 11:00	<i>BREAK</i>	
11:00 - 12:00	Bad Ass Trees for Piss Poor Places Presented by Scott Beuerlein	
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch & Exhibit Time Women's Networking Gathering (Breakout Room)	
1:00 - 2:15	Industry Round Table	The Wonderful World of Wi-Fi Presented by Hunter Industries 1:00pm - 5:00pm
2:15 - 2:30	<i>BREAK</i>	
2:30 - 3:30	Acknowledging Your Roots: The Idiosyncrasies of the Midwest Presented by Ed Lyon	
3:30 - 3:45	<i>BREAK</i>	
3:45 - 4:45	Cultivating Plants: Understanding the Need for Improved Characteristics (Panel)	
6:00 - 9:00	Dinner & Trivia Social Event Little Beaver Brewery <i>Separate ticketed event that requires registration prior to January 5, 2024</i>	

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	Breakout # 1	Breakout # 2	Breakout # 3	Irrigation Training
7:30 - 8:30	Registration & Check-In Time with Exhibitors			
8:30 - 9:30	<i>Opening Day Keynote - General Session</i> Underused Trees & Shrubs for More Interesting Landscapes Presented by Scott Beuerlein			Low Voltage Electrical Troubleshooting Presented by Hunter Industries
9:30 - 10:00	<i>Exhibitor Time</i>			
10:00 - 11:00	Trees & Shrubs for Pollinators Heather Prince	Going Native: A Balanced Perspective Ed Lyon	BFD: Boring Fungicide Details Janna Beckerman	
11:00 - 11:15	<i>BREAK</i>			8:00 am - 12:00pm NOTE: 8AM Start Time
11:15 - 12:15	Ornamental grasses New, Old, and in the Future Brent Horvath	Favorite American Plants of European Gardeners Jeff Epping	Edible Plants in the Landscape Lisa Hilgenberg	
12:15 - 1:15	Lunch & Exhibit Time Raffle Drawing			
1:15 - 2:15	Designing for Curb Appeal Vallari Talapatra	Identify and manage plant diseases during plant selection and installation Stephanie Adams	What Impacts Decision-Making in Plant Production Pete Worth, Mike Mennenoh, and Matt Fredrickson	Two Wire Presented by Hunter Industries 1:00pm - 5:00pm
2:15 - 2:30	<i>Break</i>			
2:30 - 3:30	Hidden Treasures: Herbaceous Plants you should use more often Nikki Melin and Shannon McEnerney		Caught with your plants down: Landscape Diagnostics Janna Beckerman	
3:30	<i>Event concludes for non-irrigation attendees</i>			

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