

14th Annual DESERT HORTICULTURE CONFERENCE

MAY 20, 2005

ASave It - Until a Rainy Day.....Horticulture=s Future in a Drought @

Tucson Convention Center, Tucson, AZ

8:00 - 8:50

Recognize and Stop Excessive Pruning - *John Eisenhower, Integrity Tree Service, Inc., Scottsdale*

What the Hort Industry Needs to Know about Tucson=s Water Plan: 2000-2050 - *Tim Thomure, Senior Hydrologist, Tucson Water; Fernando Molina, Conservation Program Mgr, Tucson Water*

Designing with Nature - *Judy Mielke, Logan Simpson Design, Tempe*

Secrets to Beautiful Low Voltage Lighting / Secretos de luces bellas de baja voltaje- *John G. Binkele, FX Luminaire Inc., San Diego*

9:00 - 9:50

Tough Palms for Tough Places - *ML Robinson, U Nevada Cooperative Extension*

Effects of Reclaimed Water on Salt-Sensitive SW Nursery Crops - *Dr. Ursula Schuch, UA Dept Plant Sciences*

Creative Hardscape Elements - *Steve Martino, Martino & Associates, Phoenix*

Care of Ornamental Shrubs - Let 'Em Show their Stuff! / Cuidado de arbustos ornamentales - dejalos mostrar su belleza! - *Steve Priebe, Arborist, - City of Phoenix*

9:50 - 10:15 – BREAK

10:15 - 11:30 **Extended Sessions**

Small Trees and Tree Care in Confined Spaces - *Greg Corman, Gardening Insights, Inc.*

Water Harvesting: Use the Rainy Day . Panel Discussion - *Ann Philips, Tucson Audobon Society; Scott Calhoun, Civano Nursery, Tucson; Dr. Jim Riley - UA Dept Soil, Water, Environ. Science; Brad Lancaster - Tucson educator*

Garden Art and Style with Junque. Panel Discussion - *Margaret Joplin, Design Collaborations, Tucson; Val Little, Water CASA; Janet Rademacher, Mt States Wholesale Nursery*

Essentials of Successful Irrigation Systems / Los esenciales de sistemas de riego exitosos - *Carl Kominsky, Landscape Architect, Tucson*

11:30 - 12:30 LUNCH/ COMIDA – networking, book sales, authors, sponsor displays

12:30 - 1:20

Propagation of Native Trees - Dr. *Ed Mulrean, Arid Zone Trees, Phoenix*

Drop Your Water Use: a Nursery Plant Tagging Program to Promote Efficient Water Use
- *Christina Bickelmann, Water Conservation Specialist, ADWR*

A Landscape Designer=s Favorite Plants - *Margaret West, MWest Designs*

Preventing Employee Heat Stress / Preveniendo estres de calor en empleados - *Dr. Howard Rosenberg, UC Berkeley, Dept Ag /Resource Economics*

1:30 – 2:30

Trees of Sonora - *Matt Johnson, Botanist, Desert Legume Program, Tucson*

Yikes, Desert Drought! Now What do We Do? - *Val Little, Water CASA, Tucson*

UA=s Water Harvesting / Water Quality Demonstration Landscape - *Ron Stoltz, UA School Landscape Architecture, Todd Briggs, TenEyck Landscape Architects, Phoenix*

Challenges and Tricks to Maintaining Beautiful Cacti and Succulents / Desafillos y trucos de manteniendo cactus y suculentos bellos - *Jack Kelly, Pima County Cooperative Extension*

2:30 – CEUs