

2010 Fall IPM Training for Master Gardeners

All MG's volunteering at the Helplines are encouraged to attend. All MG's are welcome. (Daily 8:30 start times are confirmed; instructors, sequence and other details for each topic are subject to change)

Sept. 1, Wednesday:

Session 1A – 8:30 CDT

Bauske and Kelly (UGA/MSU) - **Intro to IPM** – review the principles of integrated management, disease triangle, plant placement/selection, etc

Session 1B – 9:00 CDT

Kelly – **Plant Identification** - key identification traits on select plant groups

Session 2 – 10:00 CDT

Smith - Pest ID (ACES) - **Garden CSI** – learn a diagnostic sequence, helpful equipment, handling samples, etc.

Lunch - 11:15/11:30

Session 3 – 12:30 – 2:00 CDT

Afternoon Activities – Making sense of plant nomenclature - John Manion, Curator Kaul Wildflower Garden

Sept. 8, Wednesday:

Session 3 – 8:30

Bradley (NCSU) – **Garden Management** - BMPs, plant selection, bio control, physical controls, pesticides, handling pesticides

Session 4 – 10:00

Pugliese (UGA) - **Turfgrass IPM** – specific management needs and techniques for this plant group

Lunch - 11:15/11:30

Session 3 – 12:30-3:00

Hands-on Activities - key pest ID, using microscopes, how to take diagnostic pictures, name that pest, more diagnostic questions/strategy using real samples or photo's – Jim Jacobi, Plant Pathologist

Sept. 15, Wednesday:

Session 5 – 8:30

Fonesca, Little & Davis (UGA/Clemson) - **IPM on Ornamentals** - (select few) specific management needs and techniques for this plant group

Session 6 – 10:00

Fonesca, Little & Davis - **Vegetable garden IPM** - specific management needs and techniques for this plant group

Lunch - 11:15/11:30

Session 3 – 12:00

Hands-on Activities – Pest of the vegetable garden and fruits – Tony Glover, REA