



WINTER SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Subject to change

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24TH

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER	LOCATION/ CREDITS
8:30-9:30am	Pot Recycling Program	Chris Valley, CANP, CNLA	Kay's Pier South
8:30-9:30am	CAES & UCONN Update	Victoria Lynn Smith Ph.D., CT Agricultural Experiment Station, Vicki Wallace, UCONN	Glass Room 1 CEU: PA, 1A, 3A, 3B, 3D
9:30-10:30am	New Naturalism: Lessons from Wild Plant Communities	Kelly Norris	Kay's Pier South
9:30-10:30am	Job Market Panel	Kathleen Marioni, CT Department of Labor, Carly Duffy, Bureau of Rehabilitation Services, Mary Hennessey, Entry Point Staffing/Career Resources, Inc.	Glass Room
11:15-12:15pm	What Sort of Landscape are we Leaving for our Grandchildren?	Tom Worthley, UCONN	Kay's Pier South
11:15-12:15pm	Recruiting and Retaining Early Career Talent	Giuseppe Baldi, Lawns of Dallas	Glass Room
12:15-12:30pm	CNF Annual Meeting		Kay's Pier North
12:30-1:00PM	CNLA Annual Meeting & CANP Recognition		Kay's Pier North
2:00-3:00pm	Legislative Update	Linda Kowalski, The Kowalski Group	Kay's Pier South
2:00-3:00pm	Thinking Outside the Box: Climate Change & Garden Design	Christine Darnell, Christine Darnell Gardens	Glass Room 1 CEU: PA, 1A, 3A, 3B, 3D
3:00-4:00pm	10 Trees & 10 Shrubs That are Overused and Better Alternatives	Darryl Newman, CANP, Planters' Choice Nursery	Kay's Pier South 1 CEU: PA, 1A, 3A, 3B, 3D
3:00-4:00pm	Entrepreneurial Management in the Green Industry	Ryan Coles, Ph.D., University of Connecticut	Glass Room
4:45pm-5:30pm	State of the Industry Panel - What to Expect in 2023	Darryl Newman, CANP, Planters' Choice Nursery, Bob St. Jacques, Four Seasons Landscaping, Tim Kane, CANP, Prides Corner, Mary Beth Cowardin, American Hort, Mark Hixson, CANP, Monrovia	Kay's Pier South

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25TH - ENGLISH

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER	LOCATION/ CREDITS
8:30-9:30am	Beech Leaf Disease and Potential Management	Heather Faubert, University of Rhode Island	Kay's Pier South 1 CEU: PA, 1A, 3A, 3B, 3D
8:30-9:30am	Highway Use Tax	John Blair, Motor Transport Association of Connecticut	Glass Room
9:30-10:30am	Disruption in the Supply Chain Panel	Maren Kilgallen, SiteOne Landscape Supply, Denise Rustmann, CANP, Prides Corner Farms, Dustyn Nelson, CANP, Frank's Landscape Construction	Kay's Pier South
9:30-10:30am	Irrigation and Water Conservation	Stephen Geckeler, AquaLawn	Glass Room
11:15-12:15pm	Outdoor Living with Natural Gas and Propane Panel	Bob Isleib, RLI Electric, Justin Wolf & Tim Jewett, EA Quinn Landscape Contracting	Kay's Pier South
11:15-12:15pm	Legal & Unemployment Updates	Robert Noonan, Esq., Robert Noonan & Associates	Glass Room
1:30-2:30pm	Employment Study Workshop	Chris Loughton, Farm Credit East	Kay's Pier South
1:30-2:30pm	Drought: An Arborist's Perspective	Chris Busak, Almstead's Tree Service	Glass Room
2:30-3:30pm	New and Exciting Plants	Chris Valley CANP, Prides Corner Farms	Kay's Pier South
2:30pm-3:30pm	Identifying Insects in the Field	Mark Kokinchak	Glass Room 1 CEU: PA, 1A, 3A, 3B, 3D
3:30-4:30pm	Hemp Panel	Jessica Lubell, Ph.D., University of Connecticut, Chris Loughton, Farm Credit East, Becky Goetsh, Running Brook Farms	Kay's Pier South

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25TH - SPANISH - THE WAGON ROOM

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8:30-9:30am	Prácticas de riego y manejo de plantas en plantaciones de paisaje/Irrigation Practices and Plant Management in Landscape Plantings*	Raul Cabrera, Rutgers University
9:30-10:30am	Paisajes Sostenibles y Guía de Plantas Nativas en Conneticut/Sustainable Landscapes and Native Plant Guide in Connecticut*	Carla Caballero, UCONN
11:15-12:15pm	Aplicando las Pesticidas de Manera Segura y Efectiva/Applying Pesticides Safely and Effectively*	Ethan Grundberg, Cornell Cooperative Extension
1:30-2:30pm	Influencia de los factores ambientales en el crecimiento y desarrollo de las plantas/Influence of environmental factors on plant growth and development	Mayra A. Toro Herrera, Ph.D., UCONN

*All Spanish classes 1 CEU (PA, 1A, 3A, 3B, 3D) each