

2018 CONFERENCE AGENDA

Wednesday, February 14th, 2018



	30min	REGISTRATION
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	4hrs	ISA CERTIFIED ARBORIST/MUNICIPAL AND/OR UTILITY SPECIALIST EXAM
8:30 am - 9:00 am	30min	OPENING CEREMONIES: Conference Welcome: Mike Watson, <i>ISAO President</i> Education Committee Welcome: Mandy Vandenberg, <i>ISAO Ed. Committee Chair</i> Host City Welcome: <i>Hunstville Mayor</i>
9:00 am - 10:00 am	1hr	Soil Fundamentals James Urban
10:00 am - 10:30 am	30min	TRADESHOW AND LUNCH BREAK
10:30 am - 11:30 am	1hr	Trees Can Do That?! How the Contributions of Trees to Cities and Communities Keep Amazing Us Cecil Konijnendijk
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	30min	Inspiring Communities and Influencing Change: Towards a Deeper Understanding of Arborist Roles Adrina Bardekjian
12:00 pm - 12:15 pm	15min	Sector Partnership Planning Grant Findings Courtney McCann
12:15 pm - 1:15 pm	1hr	TRADESHOW AND LUNCH BREAK
1:15 pm - 1:30 pm	15min	<i>OTCC Update and Ascent Event Update</i> Julie Tucker
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	1hr	Can Soil Amendments Reduce Disease Severity in Trees? Dr. Glenn Percival
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	30min	TRADESHOW AND LUNCH BREAK
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	1hr	Urban Soils James Urban
4:20 pm - 5:20 pm	1hr	Affiliation Group Meetings MAUF Municipal Arborists and Urban Foresters OCAA Ontario Commercial Arborists' Association Dinner UAA Utility Arborists Association OTCC Competitor's Discussion Forum CTF Canadian Tree Fund Annual General Meeting
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	1hr	<i>Call of the Forest movie featuring Diana Beresford-Kroeger</i>
8:00 pm - 12:00 am	4hrs	HOSPITALITY NIGHT & CTF GAMES

Thursday, February 15th, 2018



7:30 am - 8:00 am	30min	REGISTRATION & ALL DAY BOOKSTORE	
7:00 am - 8:00 am	1hr	DELEGATES' BREAKFAST	PAST PRESIDENTS' BREAKFAST
8:00 am - 8:15 am	15min	MORNING GREETINGS: Mike Watson CTF UPDATE: Warren Hoselton	
8:15 am - 9:15 am	1hr	Critical Design Requirements for Urban Trees James Urban	
9:15 am - 9:45 am	30min	TRADESHOW AND REFRESHMENT BREAK	
9:45 am - 10:30 am	45min	MUNICIPAL STREAM	TREE WORKER STREAM
		The What, Why, & How of High-Performance Urban Trees Jeremy Bailey	How Rope Angles Affect Loads On Anchor Points Ken Gillies
10:30 am - 11:15 am	45min	From Nice to have to Must Have, Managing Green Infrastructure as an Asset James Lane	To Be Announced Dwayne Neustaeter
11:15 am - 12:30 pm	45min	ISA ONTARIO AGM	Student Session Adrina Bardekjian
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	1hr	TRADESHOW AND LUNCH BREAK WOMEN IN ARBORICULTURE	
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	1hr	Safety Update Ron Lucas & Mike Hunter	
2:45 pm - 3:45 pm	1hr	PLANT HEALTHCARE STREAM	LEGISLATION STEAM
		2:45 pm - 3:15 pm (45min)	An Overview of Federal and Provincial Legislation Regulating Species at Risk That Every Arborist Should Know Kim Laframboise
		High Lake Effect on Trees Warren Hoselton	
3:15 pm - 4:00 pm	45min	To Be Announced Jen Llewellyn	
6:00 pm - 11:00 pm	5hrs	CANADIAN TREE FUND SILENT AUCTION AND SOCIAL (CASH BAR)	
7:00 pm - 9:30 pm	2hr, 30min	CONFERENCE DINNER AND BANQUET ENTERTAINMENT <i>DRESS: Smart Casual</i>	

Friday, February 16th, 2018

7:00 am - 8:00 am	1hr	DELEGATES' BREAKFAST
8:00 am - 9:00 am		Think Trees, Think Big - How Trees Can be Integrated in Urban Development Strategies Cecil Konijnendijk
9:00 am - 10:00 am	1hr	Oak Wilt Disease: Biology, Range and Pruning Guidelines for Arborists and Urban Forest Policy Makers Richard Wilson
10:00 am - 10:45 am	45min	REFRESHMENT BREAK & CHECK-OUT
10:45 am - 11:45 am	1hr	Whodunnit? Jennifer Llewellyn
11:45 am - 12:45 pm	1hr	DELEGATES' LUNCH
12:45 pm - 1:45 pm	1hr	CTF Speaker
1:45 pm - 2:45 pm	1hr	The Influence of Pure Mulches on Enhancing Transplant Survival of Trees Dr. Glenn Percival
2:45 pm - 3:45 pm	1hr	To Be Announced Dwayne Neustaeter
3:45 pm - 4:00 pm	15min	CONFERENCE CLOSE John Stewart, <i>ISAO President</i> and Mandy Vandenberg

**Three-day Total: 17 CEUs. Speakers and session times subject to change.*

Have a safe and healthy Holiday Season, and all the best for 2018!



ARBORIST WORKSHOP & EXAM

Certification Testing at the Deerhurst Resort - Prior to our 69th Annual Conference & Tradeshow.

REGISTER NOW TO HOLD YOUR SPOT:

- Certified Arborist Workshop. This is a one day workshop that will focus on the key points outlined in the Certified Arborist Study Guide and help participants prepare to write the ISA Certified Arborist Exam.
- Certified Arborist/Municipal and/or Utility Specialist Exam

Location: Deerhurst Resort, 1235 Deerhurst Dr, Huntsville, ON P1H 2E8

You must register directly with ISA for the exam only.

Preparatory CA Workshop:

Tuesday, February 13, 9:00 am-5:00 pm

Cost:

- \$130.00 (includes taxes) – MEMBER
- \$195.00 (includes taxes) – NON MEMBER

Certified Arborist/Municipal and/or Utility Specialist Exam: Wednesday, February 14, 8:00 am-12:30 pm

For more information, please contact the ISAO office at 416-493-7022. The registration form and exam fees can be found at www.isaontario.com.

WOMEN IN ARBORICULTURE ONTARIO LUNCH

Thursday, February 15th, 2018 | 12:30 pm
at the ISAO Conference & Tradeshow in Huntsville

The 4th Annual Women in Arboriculture Ontario Conference Meeting will be held on Thursday, February 15th, 2017 at 12:30 pm.

Due to the growing number of attendees, we have moved this event to lunch time.

We are excited to welcome our guest speaker, Alex Julius. Alex is the Associate Director of Educational Goods & Services at the International Society of Arboriculture. She received her Masters in Arboriculture from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst in 2012 and competes in the Illinois Chapter Tree Climbing Championship.

This is free to all attendees. To help us plan for numbers, please RSVP on your conference registration form.

Everybody who supports women in arboriculture is welcome to join.

We hope to see you there!

