25th Annual Forest Vegetation Management Conference
25 Years of Excellence
Where We’ve Been, Where We Are & Where We’re Going

Tuesday, January 20, 2004

8:00 - 1:00 REGISTRATION

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<th>Facilitated Vegetation Management Discussion</th>
<th>Moderator: Ed Fredrickson</th>
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| 9:00 - Noon  
N. Coast—Mike Alcorn, Simpson Resource Co.  
Sierra—Craig Ostergaard, Sierra Pacific Ind.  
N. Cal./Cascades—Tom Young, Fruit Growers Supply  
South & Central Coast—Paul Ederer, Campbell  |

10:15-10:45 BREAK  
Sponsors: Dupont Forestry Products and Pacific Regeneration Technologies

11:00 - 1:00 Lunch Break (on your own—we recommend the Holiday Inn’s restaurant)

1:00 - 1:15 Introduction: Lee Hazeltine, 2004 Conference Chairman

Program Chair Remarks: Paul Ederer, 2004 Program Chair

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| 1:15 - 2:00  
Keynote Speech: History Matters: Progress Through 25 Years of Growth—Philip S. Aune, California Forestry Association, Sacramento  |
| 2:00 - 2:30  
Shifting Priorities in Forest Regeneration—Herb Baldwin, Sierra Pacific Industries, Anderson  |
| 2:30 - 3:00  
Land Management Considerations on Small Woodlands—Wendy Johnston, Montgomery Creek  |
| 3:00 - 3:30  
BREAK  
Sponsors: Wilbur-Ellis Company and Weyerhaeuser Company  |
| 3:00 - 3:30  
25 Years of Federal Vegetation Management—John Schmechel, USDA FS, Stanislaus NF, Sonora  |
| 4:00 - 4:30  
Initial Abundance of Tanoak Determines 20-Year Growth Patterns of Planted Douglas-fir in Southwestern Oregon—Timothy B. Harrington, USDA FS, PNW, Olympia, Washington  |
| 4:30 - 5:30  
Manufacturers’ Update: Moderator Scott Johnson, Wilbur-Ellis Company  |
| 5:30 - 7:30  
Poster Session & Hospitality Hour: hosted beer, wine and hors d’oeuvres  |

Wednesday, January 21, 2004

7:00 - 8:00 Continental Breakfast  
Sponsor: Reforestation Technologies, Inc.

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<th>Wildlife/Habitat Issues</th>
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Forestry Herbicide Influences on Biodiversity and Wildlife Habitats—Karl V. Miller, University of Georgia, School of Forest Resources, Athens, Georgia  |
| 8:30 - 9:00  
Juniper Management—David Lile, Lassen County UC Cooperative Extension, Susanville  |
| 9:00 - 9:30  
Restoration Forestry—Tom Bonnickson, Texas A&M, Dept. of Forest Science, Maitland, Florida  |
| 9:30 - 10:00  
BREAK  
Sponsor: Dow Agro Sciences and IFA Nurseries, Inc.  |

Continuing Education Hours

CDPR CE Hours: Applied for: 17 Hours Other, 3 Laws & Regs.
Oregon CE Hours:
SAF CFE: 16.5 Hours, Cat. I
Water Quality Issues  Moderator: Keith Greenwood

10:00 - 10:30 Water Quality—Regulatory Issues Update—Kathy Brunetti, Cal. Dept. of Pesticide Regulation, Sacramento

10:30 - 11:00 Silviculture, Streams and Fish—Levels of Protection. Are They Too Much, Too Little, or Just Right?—Dan Newton, Roseburg Forest Products, Roseburg, Oregon

11:00 - 11:30 A Review of Riparian Buffers Implemented for Forest Practices as Used by Forest Managers—Cajun James, Sierra Pacific Industries, Redding

11:30 - Noon Question-and-Answer Session

Noon - 1:00 Business Meeting

Lifetime Achievement Award & Lunch  Sponsors: BASF Corporation and Summitt Forests, Inc.

1:00 - 2:00 New Administration's Impact on California Forestry—Nadine Bailey, Senator Aanestad's Office, Redding

Ongoing Research & the Importance of Long-Term Data  Moderator: Bill Bailey

2:00 - 2:30 Balderston Plantation Revisited: A Tale of Two Sites 25 Years After Early Treatments—David Young, USDA FS, Pacific Southwest Research Station, Redding

2:30 - 3:00 23-Year Response of Ponderosa Pine and Douglas-fir Plantations to Shrub Density in Treated Stands of Madrone and Whiteleaf Manzanita—Mike Newton, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon

3:00 - 3:30 BREAK  Sponsors: California Reforestation, Inc. and UAP Timberland, LLC

3:30 - 4:00 Overview of the Sierra Cascade Intensive Forest Management Research Cooperative—Gary Fiddler, USDA FS, Pacific Southwest Research Station, Redding

4:00 - 4:30 Pre-Harvest Site Preparation With Herbicides—Ed Fredrickson, Total Forestry, Anderson

4:30 - 5:00 Question-and-Answer Session

Thursday, January 22, 2004

7:00 - 8:00 Continental Breakfast

Fire  Moderator: Pat Minogue

8:00 - 8:30 Effects of Thinning and Prescribed Fire on Wildfire Severity—Carl Skinner, USDA FS, Pacific Southwest Research Station, Redding

8:30 - 9:00 Fire Case Study—Ron Hague, Soper-Wheeler Co., Strawberry Valley


9:30 - 10:00 BREAK  Sponsors: Helena Chemical Co. and Cal Forest Nurseries

Laws & Regulations  Moderator: Scott Johnson

10:00 - 10:30 Update of Regulations for Protection of Ground Water from Pesticide Contamination—John Troiano, Dept. of Pesticide Regulation, Sacramento

10:30 - 11:00 Evolution of PPE’s and Application Technology—Stuart Gray, UAP Timberland LLC, Anderson

11:00 - 11:30 The Economic Disadvantages Facing California Forestry Arising From Its Regulatory Structure and Other Factors—Dr. Carl Yee, Yee Forestry Consultants, Bend, Oregon

11:30 - Noon Advances in Aerial Application Technology—Pat Minogue, Allied Environmental & Forestry Consultants, Redding

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