

## **Pesticide Recertification Training**

Date: Two day program: Thursday, March 16 & Friday, March 17

Location: NHS Hall, CUH Union Bay

Cost: \$ 35 per day for pre-registration postmarked by March 2. Registrations postmarked after March 2 are \$50 per day.

The class will be limited to 100 people.

To Register: Contact Washington State University by phoning (509) 335-2830 or faxing (509) 335-2959; registrations should NOT be sent to CUH. CUH is pleased to serve as a local co-sponsor and host for this training program coordinated by WSU Cooperative Extension.

*This program earns a total of 12 WSDA Pesticide Recertification Credits.*

### **Schedule and Speakers**

*Thursday, March 16: six credits*

NEW INFORMATION ON RHODODENDRON POWDERY MILDEW - Carrie Foss

CAN WE BREAK THE CYCLE WITH ROOT WEEVILS? - Sharon Collman

ADELGIDS & APHIDS - Art Antonelli

LEARNING TO ID THE TOP TEN INSECTS - Art Antonelli

MANAGING PESTS W/HORTICULTURE OIL - Art Antonelli

PLANT PROBLEMS DIAGNOSIS WORKSHOP - Carrie Foss

*Friday, March 17: six credits*

PRUNING FOR PLANT MANAGEMENT - Ray Maleike

WEED ID AND MANAGEMENT LOTTERY - Jim Kropf

DOGWOOD ANTHRACNOSE: RESISTANT VARIETIES - Ralph Byther

PLANT PROBLEMS DIAGNOSIS WORKSHOP - Carrie Foss

**PROHIBIT**

UPCOMING TRAINING

## **Planting for Slopes and Slope Retention**

Date: Wednesday, April 12, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Location: NHS Hall, CUH Union Bay

Cost: \$25; pre-registration required

### **Instructors:**

Pat Roome, Owner of Pat Roome Landscape Designing Inc., design and contract firm.

Bernie Hedeem, Partner, General manager, and Chief Designer of General & Marine Construction Company.

Bernie Hedeem, who has many years of experience with slope repair and foundation construction, will discuss slope components including soil structure. He will relate glacial history to how it effects the management of these areas. Issues such as soil types and their characteristics, soil friction and cohesion, soil reports, and landslide types in the Northwest, and repair methods will be discussed. Pat Roome, who specializes in slide prevention and remedial design, will discuss the role and selection of plants for repair after slide damage and preventive measures on potential slide areas. She will focus on how to select aesthetic plants that exhibit the necessary properties for erosion protection, are adapted to the climate of the slide, are pest and disease resistant, and require no water or maintenance. There will be time for questions and discussion.

## **Diagnosis and Management of Root Pathogens**

Date: Tuesday, May 9, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Location: Graham Visitor Center, Washington Park Arboretum

Cost: \$40, including lunch; pre-registration required

### **Instructors:**

Warren Copes, Assistant Professor, WSU, Puyallup Research Center

Dirk W. Muntean, Northwest Offices Manager and Staff Consultant, Soil and Plants Laboratory Inc., Bellevue

Mark Castoriano, Consulting Arborist and Owner of Natures Helper, Puyallup

Lou Stubecki, Arborist, Washington Park Arboretum, Seattle

Chris Pfeiffer, Horticulturist, Washington Park Arboretum, Seattle

Root pathogens such as phytophthora have devastating effects on the landscape, especially when infecting large, established trees. These diseases often appear to have few if any controls or treatments. In fact, there are many techniques to prevention and management of root pathogens, such as soil conditioning and mycorrhizal injections.

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The latter half of the seminar will focus on examples of diagnosis and management practices currently in use at the Washington Park Arboretum. Please join us to discuss and explore these issues which are so prevalent in the Pacific Northwest landscape.

## **Academic Education at CUH**

Many of you are aware of the outreach education programs such as ProHort seminars that the Center for Urban Horticulture produces each year. It is in fact part of the Center's mission to disseminate horticultural knowledge to professional horticulturists in the community. Another large part of our mission is academic research and education. CUH is part of the College of Forest Resources at the UW and boasts one of the largest bodies of undergraduate and graduate students in the college.

A new undergraduate degree, Environmental Horticulture and Urban Forestry, made a debut in the College this year. The three areas of concentration, environmental horticulture, public horticulture, and urban forestry will provide the education, experience and skills for profession in horticulture and related fields. Undergraduates have expressed enthusiastic interest in the newly structured program.

The graduate program is more closely tied with the research and teaching at the Center. Faculty guide students in programs such as environmental horticulture, urban forestry, public garden management and education, curation, restoration ecology, and plant conservation biology. Teaching and research takes place at the Center, the Washington Park Arboretum and other sites around the Puget Sound. Currently, there are 26 graduate students in residence, bringing a diversity of experience that further enriches the Center.

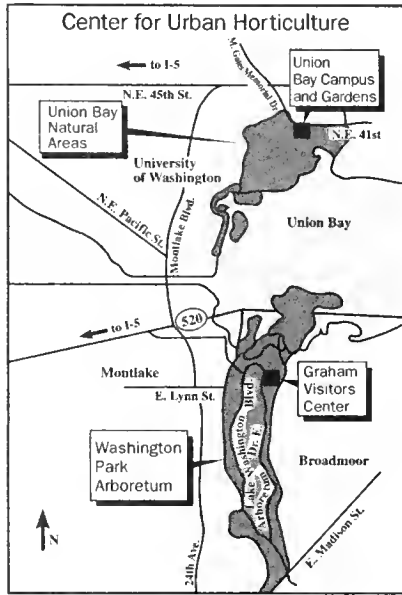
If you are interested in learning more about the programs at the Center, please visit or log on to our web site at <http://depts.washington.edu/urbhort> or call 206-543-8616.

ProHort Seminars are planned and conducted cooperatively by the University of Washington Center for Urban Horticulture and the Washington State University Cooperative Extension-King County Horticulture Program.

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### ProHort Seminar Registration

- Pesticide Recertification Training [Register by calling (509) 335- 2830, WSU Extension] \$35 per day
- Slope Stabilization \$25
- Diagnosis and Management of Root Pathogens (lunch included) \$40
- Vegetarian meal option where applicable TOTAL: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to the University of Washington; receipts available at the door. Mail payment and registration to: **UW Center for Urban Horticulture, ProHort, U. of Washington, Box 354115, Seattle, WA, 98195-4115.** For further information, call (206) 685-8033. Portion of fees may cover refreshments and speaker expense.

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