

STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT OF INVASIVE SPECIES IN THE SOUTHWEST UNITED STATES

BLM National Training Center, October 26-30, 2009, Phoenix, AZ

Monday, October 26	
Morning	
WELCOME ORIENTATION	
8:00 - 8:40 am About the workshop & introductions	CIPM staff, Mandy Tu, Pete Egan
SESSION 1: ECOLOGICAL CONTEXT OF INVASIONS	
<u>Ecological Management of Invasive Species</u>	Tim Seastedt
8:40 - 9:15 am	
<u>Fundamentals of Invasion Biology & Ecology</u>	Tim Seastedt
9:15 - 9:50 am	
15 minute break	
<u>Influences of Climate on Plant Invasions</u>	Julio Betancourt
10:05 - 10:40 am	
<u>Interactive Effects of Plant Invasions & Fire</u>	Matt Brooks
10:40 - 11:15 am	
<u>Panel Discussion</u>	
11:15 am - 12:00 pm	
Lunch provided at NTC 12:00 - 1:00 pm	
Afternoon	
SESSION 2: SOUTHWEST REGIONAL OVERVIEW OF INVASIVE SPECIES DISTRIBUTIONS, TRENDS, AND IDENTIFICATION	
<u>Species ID: Test Your Knowledge I</u>	
1:00 - 1:30 pm	
<u>Invasive Plants</u>	Dan Robinett
1:30 - 2:00 pm	
<u>Aquatic Invasive Species</u>	Tom McMahon
2:00 - 2:30 pm	
10 minute break	
<u>Invasive Insects</u>	Cheryle O'Donnell
2:40 - 3:10 pm	
<u>Species ID: Lab & Test Your Knowledge II</u>	
3:10 - 5:00 pm	
<u>Ideas & Evaluation</u>	
5:00 - 5:10 pm	

Tuesday, October 27	
Morning	
SESSION 3: EARLY DETECTION, ASSESSING POPULATION DISTRIBUTIONS, AND PRIORITIZING MANAGEMENT	
<u>Housekeeping & Review</u>	
8:00 - 8:10 am	
<u>Ecological Framework</u>	Erik Lehnhoff
8:10 - 8:20 am	
<u>Early Detection & Rapid Response</u>	Mandy Tu
8:20 - 8:50 am	
<u>Inventory, Survey, & Monitoring</u>	Erik Lehnhoff
8:50 - 9:20 am	
15 minute break	
<u>Integrative Prioritization of Invasive Species Management</u>	Matt Hohmann Peter Frank
9:35 - 10:35 am	
<u>Activity</u>	
10:35 am - 12:00 pm	
Lunch on your own 12:00 - 1:15 pm	
Afternoon	
SESSION 4: INVASIVE PLANT MANAGEMENT	
<u>IPM & Management Tools</u>	Lee Patrick Richard Lee
1:15 - 3:00 pm	
15 minute break	
3:15 - 4:00 pm	
<u>Activity</u>	
4:00 - 5:00 pm	
<u>Ideas & Evaluation</u>	
5:00 - 5:10 pm	
Evening	
SESSION 5: RESTORATION—ECOLOGY, PLANNING, AND IMPLEMENTATION	
Meet in Four Points Sheraton Hotel Mesquite Room — Food Provided	
<u>Primer & Case Studies</u>	Mandy Tu John Brock
6:15 - 8:00 pm	

Wednesday, October 28	
All Day	
SESSION 5 continued: RESTORATION FIELD TRIP **Meet in front of Four Points Sheraton Hotel at 7:45 am **	
<u>Field trip to Restoration Projects of Weed-infested Areas</u> 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Bag lunches provided (\$10)	Mandy Tu, John Brock Dan Robinett

Thursday continued...	
Evening	
SESSION 6 continued: PARTNERSHIPS **Meet in Four Points Sheraton Hotel Mesquite Room — Food Provided**	
<u>Partners in Person: An Evening Networking Social</u> 6:15 - 8:15 pm	All session attendees Displays & resources

Thursday, October 29	
Morning	
SESSION 6: PARTNERSHIPS	
<u>Housekeeping & Review</u> 8:00 - 8:10 am	
<u>Partnerships Across Spatial Scales</u> 8:10 - 8:35 am	Charles Perrings
<u>DoD Partnerships in Action: What Works & What Doesn't</u> 8:35 - 9:40 am	Pedro Morales
20 minute break	
<u>Federal Agencies in the Southwest: Priorities & Programs</u> 10:00 am - 12:00 pm	Bruce Lewke Al Cofrancesco Leonard Lake LaDonna Carlisle Richard Lee Dewey Murray

Friday, October 30	
Morning	
SESSION 7: PULLING IT ALL TOGETHER	
<u>Housekeeping</u> 8:00 - 8:05 am	
<u>Synopsis of the Week</u> 8:05 - 8:15 am	Mandy Tu
<u>Activity</u> 8:15 - 9:15 am	Erik Lehnhoff Mandy Tu Janet Clark Al Cofrancesco Richard Lee
15 minute break	
<u>Activity Presentations</u> 9:30 - 10:45 am	
<u>Closing Remarks & Evaluation</u> 10:45 - 11:15 am	
Bye!	

Lunch provided at NTC 12:00 - 1:00 pm	
Afternoon	
<u>Working with the Private Sector: Contracting</u> 1:00 - 2:00 pm	Lee Patrick
<u>Overview of Regional & National Invasive Species Organizations</u> 2:00 - 2:20 pm	Janet Clark
<u>Case Studies: Working Examples of Partnerships</u> 2:20 - 3:30 pm	Bob Pitman Catherine Ortega Valerie Morrill
15 minute break	
<u>What's Your Story? The Reality of Partnerships</u> 3:45 - 4:50 pm	Participant roundtable
<u>Ideas & Evaluation</u> 4:50 - 5:00 pm	