

The Speakers

Laurie Albrecht...Palm Beach County Extension Agent

Deborah Levulis...Palm Beach County Extension Agent

Dr. Michael Orfanedes...Broward County Extension Agent

Why Should I Attend?

Discover how to assess damage and restore trees after Hurricane Irma and how to prevent problems in future storms. You'll learn when to restore a tree, how to clean tree canopy, how to assess and restore palms, and when to remove a tree. Special attention will be given to selecting more wind-resistant species and how to prune trees for longevity and structural integrity during storms.

Images of damaged trees from Hurricane Irma will help you understand the mechanisms of tree failure. Included: a hands-on tree pruning demonstration and an examination of the structure of live trees in Mounts Botanical Garden.

Dr. Ronald Rice, Director



Class will be held in the Mounts Auditorium. Park in the Mounts Botanical Garden parking lot off of N. Military Trail.



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**Palm Beach County
Cooperative Extension Service
Department**

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Board of County Commissioners
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After Irma: Restoring Trees and Preventing Future Damage

...for tree trimmers, arborists, landscapers, other Green Industry professionals, property managers and interested residents



**Thursday,
October 19**

8:00 am — 4:00 pm

5 FDACs CEUs!

**ISA, FNGLA and LIAF CEUs
applied for!**

Location:
**Palm Beach County
Cooperative Extension Service
University of Florida/IFAS
Mounts Building
531 North Military Trail
West Palm Beach, FL**

AFTER IRMA: RESTORING TREES AND PREVENTING FUTURE DAMAGE TREE TRIMMING WORKSHOP: 10/19/17, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

- 8:00 am - 9:00 am:** **Towards a More Resilient Landscape: Tree Selection, Proper Planting & Establishment and Lessons Learned from Hurricanes**
Discover which trees are more wind-resistant and how to properly site them, plant them and establish them in the landscape. Included: a discussion of lessons learned from past hurricanes. *Speaker: Laurie Albrecht*
- 9:10 am - 10:00 am:** **Florida Tree Grades and Standards**
Learn about Florida Tree Grades and Standards, including what defects to watch for when selecting specimens. *Speaker: Deborah Levulis*
- 10:10 am - 11:50 am:** **Pruning Young and Mature Trees for Structure and Longevity**
Discover how to spot defects in trees and how to properly prune both young and mature trees for longevity as well as structural integrity in storms. *Speaker: Michael Orfanedes*
- 11:50 am - 12:50 pm:** **Lunch**
- 12:50 pm - 2:50 pm:** **Breakout Sessions: Participants will break into two groups and rotate to both sessions.**
Session A: Outdoor Pruning Workshop (*Michael Orfanedes*)
A hand-on pruning demonstration.
Session B: Practicing What You've Learned (*Deborah Levulis*)
An examination of trees in Mounts Botanical Garden
- 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm:** **Lessons Learned from Hurricanes Wrap Up** (Laurie Albrecht and/or Michael Orfanedes)
- 3:30 pm - 4:00 pm:** **Questions and CEUs**

**5 Pesticide CEUs, including 1 Core and 1 Fertilizer
ISA, FNGLA and LIAF CEUs applied for.**

Please complete and return this portion to register

2017 After Irma: Tree Trimming Workshop

8:00 am - 4:00 p.m. Register early. Seating is limited. Class minimums & maximums apply.

Name: _____ Company: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Pre-register by phone, mail or email:

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\$25 cost covers lunch and materials.

Payment may be made by check or cash.

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