

February 17th, 2022

**To: Ornamental and Turfgrass Commercial Pesticide Applicators**

**Re: Landscape Workshop: Re-Certification Opportunity**

The LSU AgCenter has scheduled a ***Landscape Pest Management Workshop*** on February 17, 2022 at the Hammond Research Station, 21549 Old Covington Hwy. Hammond, LA.

This is a great opportunity for **re-certification** for Louisiana Commercial Pesticide Applicators holding certification in **General Standards (GS), Ornamental & Turf Pest Control (3), Demonstration & Research (10), and RUP Salespersons.  Only Applicators who have met the 2017 Louisiana Proficiency Testing requirement or passed category exams after 2017 will be given recertification.**

***Participants must attend the entire event to receive recertification credit*.**

**DUE TO LIMITED SEATING,**

**WORKSHOP IS LIMITED TO 50 IN PERSON PARTICIPANTS.**

**VIRTUAL SEATING IS UNLIMITED**

**\*\*\* PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED \*\*\***

**ON SITE REGISTRATION IS NOT AVAILABLE**

**REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT ($105/person) MUST**

**BE RECEIVED TO RESERVE A PLACE IN CLASS**

**PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED THRU February 16th, 2022**

***MAKE CHECKS OR MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO***

***LSU AgCenter***

**NO CREDIT CARDS ARE ACCEPTED**

For additional information call the Hammond Research Station at 985-543-4125

or email Dr. Damon Abdi ([Dabdi@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:Dabdi@agcenter.lsu.edu))



***Landscape Pest Management Workshop***

# February 17, 2022 - Hammond Research Station & Virtual

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| 8:30 am | **Registration & Welcome** |
| 9:00 am | **Pesticide Movement in the Landscape**  Dr. Damon Abdi, Assistant Professor  LSU AgCenter Hammond Research Station |
| 10:00 am | **IPM and Pesticide Resistance Management**  Dr. Mary Helen Ferguson, Associate Extension Agent  LSU AgCenter |
| 10:30 am | **Alternative and Bio Pest Control**  Dr. Joe Willis, Extension Agent  LSU AgCenter Extension Services, Southeast Region |
| 11:00 am | **Break & Quiz** |
| 11:15 am | **Are You Applying the Right Chemical for the Right Disease?**  Dr. Raj Singh, Associate Professor  LSU AgCenter |
| 12:00 pm  12:30 pm | **Lunch & Quiz**  **Managing Plant Health and Reducing Waste through Proper Soil Management Practices**  Dr. Ed Bush  LSU AgCenter |
| 1:10 pm | **Pesticide Storage and Spill Management**  Bryan Gueltig, Extension Associate, LSU AgCenter Pesticide Safety Education |
| 1:50 pm | **Sustainable Landscape Systems**  Dr. Jeb Fields, Assistant Professor  LSU AgCenter Hammond Research Station |
| 2:35 pm | **Controlling The Most Difficult Weeds in Turfgrass**  Dr. Ron Strahan, Associate Professor  School of Plant, Environmental and Soil Sciences |
| 3:15 pm | **LDAF Update / Recertification**  Joseph Ingrao, Program Coordinator  LaDAF Pesticide Applicator Certification & Training |
| 4:00 pm | **Survey & Closing** |

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## Hammond Research Station

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UNLIMITED VIRTUAL PARTICIPANTS

**REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED**

**TO RESERVE A PLACE IN THE CLASS** PAYMENT WILL BE ACCEPTED THRU February 16, 2022

Registration fee is $105/person (includes lunch, refreshments, and handouts).

Make check or money order payable to **LSU AgCenter**.

***Please print clearly***

Name

Business (if applicable)

Address

City, State, Zip Code

Phone No.

Email confirmation email address

Will you attend virtually or in-person (in-person first come first serve basis)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List of Attendees

Registration and payment will be accepted thru **February 16, 2022** or until the workshop is filled. Bring or mail registration form and payment to:

**Mrs. Mandy Clayton**

**LSU AgCenter**

**Hammond Research Station**

**21549 Old Covington Hwy**

**Hammond, LA 70403**