

Truth or Myth?

Neonicotinoids and Their Impact on Pollinators: What is the Science-Based Research?

- 10:00 am **Welcome**
Dr. David W. Fujino, *Executive Director, CCUH*
- 10:10 am **Overview of Current Use of Neonicotinoids and the Role of Pollinators in California Agriculture**
Dr. Michael Parrella, *Professor & Chair – Department of Entomology and Nematology UC Davis*
- 10:40 am **California Pesticide Regulation of Neonicotinoids**
Brian Leahy, *Director-CA Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR)*
- 11:10 am **Neonicotinoid Risks Associated with Invasive Species Management**
Nick Condos, *Director-CA Dept. of Food and Agriculture, Plant Health Division*
- 11:40 am **Trends in Neonicotinoid Usage in CA Agriculture Invasive Species Control**
Dr. Karen Jetter, *Associate Project Economist – UC Agricultural Issues Center*
- 12:05 pm **LUNCH**
- 12:50 pm **“Past” Neonicotinoid & Pollinator Research**
Margaret “Rei” Scampavia, *Doctorial Candidate– Department of Entomology and Nematology, UC Davis*
- 1:20 pm **“Current” Neonicotinoid & Bee Research**
Dr. Elina Lastro Niño, *Extension Apiculturist – Department of Entomology and Nematology, UC Davis*
- 1:50 pm **BREAK**
- 2:00 pm **Panel on Neonicotinoid Issues and Concerns**
- James A. Bethke, *UC Cooperative Extension, San Diego*
- Aaron Dillion, *CA Assoc. of Nurseries and Garden Centers & Four Winds Growers*
- Ron Jarvis, *The Home Depot*
- Darryl Ramoutar, *Scotts Miracle-Gro Company*
- Nasser Dean, *Bayer CropScience*
- Gene Brandi, *American Beekeeping Federation*
- 3:00 pm **Panel Question and Answer from the Audience**
- 3:45 pm **Closing Remarks followed by *Reception from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm***

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