

MINNESOTA NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY—2018 ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM



OLD GROWTH FORESTS:

EXAMINING A DISAPPEARING LANDSCAPE

SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 2018

CO-SPONSORED BY THE PLANT
CONSERVATION PROGRAM AT THE
MINNESOTA LANDSCAPE ARBORETUM



Minnesota Landscape
ARBORETUM
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA



REGISTRATION

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REGISTRATION DEADLINE—APRIL 9, 2018

MNNPS Members	\$45 _____
Non MNNPS Members	\$55 _____
Full-time Students	\$25 _____
Poster Session Student	\$25 _____
Vendor Booths (6 foot table)	\$50 _____

(Vendors must also register for the symposium)

DO YOU WISH TO JOIN THE MNNPS AT THIS TIME?

New memberships made with Symposium registration are good through December 31, 2017.

Individual Membership	\$15 _____
Institution Membership	\$20 _____
Family Membership	\$15 _____
Full-time Student	\$8 _____
Senior (Over 62)	\$8 _____
Lifetime Membership	\$300 _____

LUNCH SELECTION—INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION

Lunch, coffee and pastries provided by Arboretum Catering.

Gluten-free options are available for an additional \$5.00

☐ Vegetarian or ☐ Meat

☐ Gluten-free (additional \$5) \$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Make Checks Payable to: **Minnesota Native Plant Society**

MAIL COMPLETED REGISTRATION AND CHECK TO:

MNNPS Symposium
c/o Shirley Mah Kooyman
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SPEAKERS AND TOPICS:

8:30-9:00 Registration

9:00-9:10 Welcome to the Symposium

9:10-9:30 Welcome to the Minnesota Landscape Arboretum

Peter Moe, Director of the University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum

9:30-10:20 Old-Growth Forests: What are They? Why are They Important? and What Should We Do with Them? A Minnesota Perspective in a Global Context

Kurt Rusterholz, Retired Forest Ecologist, *Minnesota Department of Natural Resources*

10:20-10:40 Break

10:40-11:30 Old Growth Landscapes: Hemlock-Hardwood Forests of the Porcupine Mountains and Sylvania

Lee Frelich, Director — *The University of Minnesota Center for Forest Ecology, University of Minnesota*

11:30-12:25 Using Lichens to Assess the Ecological Continuity of Forest Ecosystems

Steven Selva, Professor Emeritus of Biology and Environmental Studies, *University of Maine at Fort Kent*

12:25-1:25 Lunch

1:25-2:15 The Overlooked Old Growth: Lowland Conifers

Becky Marty, Regional Ecologist, *Minnesota Department of Natural Resources*

2:15-2:35 Break

2:35-3:30 The Role of People and Fire in Minnesota's Red Pine Forests of the Boundary Waters

Kurt Kipfmüller, Associate Professor of Geography, Environment & Society, *University of Minnesota*

3:30-4:00 The Magney-Snively Northern Hardwoods Across Three Centuries

David Schimpf, Department of Biology and Olga Lakela Herbarium, *University of Minnesota Duluth*

SYMPOSIUM LOCATION

Minnesota Landscape Arboretum
MacMillan Auditorium, Oswald Visitor Center
3675 Arboretum Dr.
Chaska, MN 55318

HOW TO GET THERE:

Nine miles west of I-494 on State Hwy. 5; 4 miles west of Chanhassen on Hwy. 5; and ¼ mile west of the intersection of State Hwy. 41 on Hwy 5.

WHERE TO PARK:

Symposium participants should park in the Arboretum's main lot. The standard gate fee will be waived for attendees.

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