



PLANT-O-RAMA

A Symposium, Trade Show & Jobs Fair for Horticulture Professionals



Schedule of Events

Monday, January 30, 2023 on ZOOM

6:00 PM–6:15 PM Welcome, Acknowledgements, Introductions

6:15 PM–7:15 PM Thomas RaShad Easley, Ed.D., *Forest Rhythms; Hip Hop Environmentalism*

Tuesday, January 31, 2023 at Brooklyn Botanic Garden

8:00 AM–2:00 PM Reserved Speaker Ticket Check-In & Metro Hort Group Info | ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

8:30 AM–3:30 PM Used Garden Book Sale | LIBRARY ROTUNDA

9:00 AM–4:00 PM HORTICULTURAL TRADE SHOW | PALM HOUSE **FREE ADMISSION**

9:00 AM–9:15 AM Welcome, Acknowledgements, Introductions | AUDITORIUM

9:15 AM–10:15 AM Jared Barnes, Ph.D., *A Plantastic Future* | AUDITORIUM

10:00 AM–1:00 PM JOBS FAIR | STEINHARDT CONSERVATORY **FREE ADMISSION**

10:30 AM–11:25 AM Sergio Moncada, *Getting to 30% Canopy Cover Throughout NYC: Why, Who, and How* | VISITOR CENTER

10:00 AM–4:30 PM Coffee Bar serving freshly made beverages, morning treats, and lunches | VISITOR CENTER

11:30 AM–12:25 PM Anthony Bulfamante, A. Bulfamante Landscaping; Richard Pacailler, Town & Gardens, Ltd.; Whitney Parkerton, Parker Meadows, Inc.; Mark Davies, Higher Ground Horticulture, moderator. *Sustainability Stories: Landscape Contractors Building a Greener Future* | VISITOR CENTER

1:00 PM–2:00 PM Jared Barnes, Ph.D., *A Plantastic Future* | AUDITORIUM

1:00 PM–1:55 PM Craig Pine, *Navigating the Tsunami of Plant Introductions* | VISITOR CENTER

1:00 PM–2:00 PM Guided Tour of Japanese Hill-and-Pond & Native Flora Gardens, Anne Hunter & William Lenihan | Meet on VISITOR CENTER outdoor patio next to ATRIUM

2:00 PM–2:55 PM Rebecca Kagle, *Creating Native Meadows in the Urban Environment: Design through Management* | VISITOR CENTER

2:00 PM–2:45 PM Guided Tour of C.V. Starr Bonsai Museum & Steinhardt Conservatory Pavilions, David Castro & Caitlin Ndoye | Meet on outdoor terrace STEINHARDT CONSERVATORY

3:00 PM–4:00 PM Closing Mocktail Party with DJ Star Dao | PALM HOUSE