

The Nevada Shade Tree Council (NSTC), Southern Nevada Arborist Group (SNAG) and University of Nevada Cooperative Extension (UNCE) are sponsoring an Arborist Certification Preparatory Class. This class is designed to help prepare those interested in taking the International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) Arborist Certification Examination. This is also an excellent review course for certified arborists.

The class will focus on the ten areas of knowledge in the ISA Certified Arborist Application Guide (see p.5 of the Application Guide for further reference recommendations). Educational materials to be used include the current ISA Arborists' Certification Study Guide, ANSI Standards and ISA Best Management Practices (BMP).

Registration opens December 11, 2018.

REGISTER ONLINE @

www.nevadashadetrees.org

Study materials for this course can be purchased directly from the WCISA at www.wcisa.net or call toll free 866.785.8960 or the ISA at www.isa-arbor.com or call 888.472.8733.

CEU'S

Feb. 12: 7 CA, 7 TW, 7 MS, 7 BCMA-S
Feb. 13: 7 CA, 7 TW, 7 MS, 6 BCMA-P,
1 BCMA-M
Feb. 14: 7 CA, 7 TW, 7 MS, 3 BCMA-P,
4 BCMA-M

AGENDA

Tuesday, February 12, 2019

8:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Registration

8:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Tree Biology:

Dennis Swartzell, Horticulture Consultants Inc.

10:30 - 12:00 p.m.

Soil Management: *Russ Thompson,
Sunkissed Horticultural Consultants*

12:00 - 1:00 p.m. **Lunch (on own)**

1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Soil Management (cont.):

Dennis Swartzell, Horticulture Consultants Inc.

2:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Diagnosis and Treatment: *Russ Thompson,
Sunkissed Horticultural Consultants*

Wednesday, February 13, 2019

8:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Registration

8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

Installation and Establishment:

Molly Sinnott, Sinnott Consulting Arborist

9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Tree Identification and Selection *Steve Glimp, City of Las Vegas Urban Forester*

11:00 - 12:00 p.m.

Tree Protection:

Molly Sinnott, Sinnott Consulting Arborist

12:00 - 1:00 p.m. **Lunch (on own)**

1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Safe Work Practices: *Brad Daseler, Clark County Horticulture Supervisor, John Crandell, Crandell Tree Care*

3:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Pruning: *Shirl McMayon, GTI,
John Crandell, Crandell Tree Care*

Thursday, February 14, 2019

8:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Registration

8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Urban Forestry: *Preston Goodman, City of Henderson Municipal Forester*

10:00 - 12:00

Tree Risk Management:

Molly Sinnott, Sinnott Consulting Arborist

12:00 - 1:00 p.m. **Lunch (on own)**

1:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Tree Risk Management (cont.):

Molly Sinnott, Sinnott Consulting Arborist

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Pruning (cont.): *Shirl McMayon, GTI,
John Crandell, Crandell Tree Care*

3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Safe Work Practices (cont.): *John Crandell, Crandell Tree Care, Matty Haro, Davey Tree Expert Co.*

Friday, February 15, 2019

8:00 a.m.

ISA Arborist Certification Exam: Optional
Amy Zeldenrust, Proctor, Avant-Gardener

Optional exam is not included in preparatory series fee; see Optional ISA Certification Exam Information.

Persons in need of special accommodations or assistance must call or notify Molly Sinnott, 775.721.1231 at least three days prior to the scheduled class. Cooperative Extension is an EEO/AA Institution.

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or mail

REGISTRATION FORM

Registration confirmation will be emailed.

Name: _____

Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Email: _____

Early Registration deadline

Tuesday, January 29, 2019

Registration fees (non-refundable)

Non-Certified: \$150 all three days,
after January 29: \$175

ISA Certified: \$300 all three days,
after January 29: \$325

For ISA Certified Arborists

Arborist Certification # _____

Arborists seeking CEU credits must include their Certification Number on the registration form for credit to be given.

If room allows, after January 29, 2019, daily registration will be offered at \$110 per day. Check box if attending an individual day:

- Feb 12 Feb 13 Feb 14

Mail completed registration form(s) with applicable fees (made payable to NSTC) to:

Tammi Gaudet
NSTC Executive Secretary
6870 Soldela Drive
Las Vegas NV 89156-6076

tgaudet@embarqmail.com

**OPTIONAL ISA CERTIFICATION
EXAM INFORMATION**

An **optional** International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) Arborist Certification exam is scheduled for 8:00 a.m., Friday, February 15, 2019, at the same location. The ISA Arborist exam application is available on the ISA website at www.isa-arbor.com. The exam fee is \$280.00. **Deadline to submit the exam application and exam fee is January 29, 2019.** Please direct exam questions to the ISA at www.isa-arbor.com or call toll free: 888.472.8733. **The exam fee is not included in the Arborist Certification Preparatory Class fee.**



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**ARBORIST
CERTIFICATION
EXAM PREPARATORY
&
CERTIFIED ARBORIST
REVIEW CLASS**

February 12 - 14, 2019

**Optional ISA Arborist Certification
Examination: Friday, February 15, 2019**

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8050 Paradise Road, Suite 100
Las Vegas, NV 89123

Limit: 30 attendees/day

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