

2020



**REGIONAL TREE CANOPY**

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#CincyTreeCanopy

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2020**

**ZOOM VIRTUAL EVENT**

**10:00AM - 5:00PM**

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for Registration Information

# KEYNOTE



## **Green Cities : Good Health**

### **DR. KATHLEEN WOLF**

Dr. Wolf is a Research Social Scientist at the College of the Environment, University of Washington. Her research explores the human dimensions of urban ecosystems. She has also worked professionally as a landscape architect and as an environmental planner. Kathy's professional mission is to discover, understand and communicate human behavior and benefits, as people experience nature in cities and towns. Moreover, Kathy is interested in how scientific information can be integrated into local government policy and planning. She has served with national organizations that promote nature in cities, such as the Transportation Research Board national committee on Landscape and Environment, and the Sustainable Sites Initiative.

## FEATURED SPEAKERS



## **Cincinnati's Venerable Trees and What They Can Tell Us**

### **SCOTT BEUERLEIN**

Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden



## **Latest Disease Outlook: TCD, BLS, Oak Wilt**

### **DR. JENNIFER JUZWIK**

US Forest Service



## **What Can Tree Ring Research Tell Us About Climate Change and Urban Forestry**

### **DR. JIM SPEER**

Indiana State University



## **Transforming Ohio Interstate Visitor Center Rest Areas Into Native Plantscapes**

### **GARY MEISNER, FASLA**

Meisner + Associates



## **What Do Trees Think of Pruning?**

### **LINDSEY PURCELL**

Purdue University

Indiana chapter of the International Society of Arboriculture



## **Bringing Shade to the Rooftop**

### **RICHARD HAYDEN, ASLA**

American Hydrotech, Inc.



## **COVID Impacts on the Plant World: 2021 Outlook**

### **PAT GREESON**

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# AGENDA

- 10:00 AM** Welcome Remarks
- 10:10 AM** **Scott Beuerlein**, Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Garden  
*Cincinnati's Venerable Trees and What They Can Tell Us*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ASLA, ISA*
- 11:10 AM** **James Speer**, Indiana State University  
*What Can Tree-Ring Research Tell Us About Climate Change and Urban Forestry?*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ASLA, ISA*
- Lunch Break Activities**
- Jim Mason**, Preserve Burnet Woods  
*Discussion of PBW Model for Community Engagement and Volunteer Development*
- View Taking Root 2020 Highlight Reel
- 1:00 PM** **Kathleen Wolf, Ph.D.**, University of Washington  
*Green Cities : Good Health*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ASLA, ISA*
- 2:00 PM** **Gary Meisner, FASLA**, Meisner + Associates  
*Transforming Ohio Rest Areas into Native Plantscapes*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ISA*
- 2:20 PM** **Jennifer Juzwik**, U.S. Forest Service  
*Three Significant Tree Diseases and Their Management in Urban Landscape: TCD, Oak Wilt, and Bacterial Leaf Scorch*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ISA*
- 3:00 PM** **Pat Greeson**, Natorp's  
*COVID 19 Impacts on the Plant World: 2021 Outlook*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ISA*
- 3:30 PM** **Richard Hayden, ASLA**, American Hydrotech  
*Bringing Shade to the Roof Top: Trees on the Roof*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ISA*
- 4:00 PM** **Lindsey Purcell**, Purdue University  
*What Do Trees Think of Pruning?*  
*Credits Provided: AICP, ASLA, ISA*
- 5:00 PM** **Concluding Remarks**

# Welcome to the *2nd Annual* 2020 Regional Tree Canopy Professionals' Seminar

The Taking Root organization was launched in 2013 to educate the Greater Cincinnati tri-state region on the need for trees, to value and care for them, and to plant them – **by the millions!**



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## Vision

*A vibrant tree canopy in the Greater Cincinnati Tri-State region, now and for generations to come*

## Mission

*To inspire and empower all to conserve and improve our region's unique and threatened tree canopy*

## Goals

### PLANT TREES

Plant 2 million trees (a tree for everyone in the Greater Cincinnati Tri-State Region!).

### BETTER MANAGE AND CONSERVE OUR EXISTING FORESTS

Expand practices that help retain and regenerate trees and forests.

### PROMOTE THE MANY BENEFITS OF HEALTHY TREES

Increase the awareness of trees and forests; the benefits they provide; why we need them; and the threats they face.

### FOSTER STEWARDSHIP AMONG INDIVIDUALS AND COMMUNITIES

Engage individuals, businesses, organizations, institutions and communities in the stewardship of our region's trees and forested areas.