



TOOLS OF THE TRADE SERIES 2010

TALKS BY ARBORETUM RESEARCHERS

In January through March 2010, Morton Arboretum researchers will be presenting on the tools they use to pursue their research questions. The seminars will frame the research questions being addressed and explain some of the tools used to address them. Seminars are free with Arboretum Admission.

January 7: Marlin Bowles, Plant Conservation Biologist
Tree ring analysis: What can trees tell us?

January 21: Andrew Hipp, Plant Systematist and Herbarium Curator
An oak enthusiast's introduction to DNA sequencing and phylogenetics

February 4: Bryant Scharenbroch, Urban Soil Scientist
The importance and quantification of soil organic matter

February 18: Timothy Bell, Research Associate
How do we know an endangered plant introduction is successful?

March 4: Kyong-Sook Chung, Plant Systematics Postdoctoral Researcher
Introduction to Flow Cytometry: exploring chromosome evolution in sedges

March 18: Jenny McBride, GIS Specialist
Maybe location is everything: better mapping through GIS

All lectures are held in Cudahy Auditorium, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.
Alternate Thursdays, January through March
Refreshments at 1:45 p.m.

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