

Desert Turf School

A one-week course
January 5-9, 2015
Phoenix, Arizona

Objective:

To provide a unique learning experience about desert turfgrass management for professional turfgrass managers. The distinctive arid climatic conditions of southern Arizona afford an opportunity for instruction on warm- and cool-season turfgrass management, saline and desert soils, and specialized irrigation practices. Participants will receive a certificate of completion for the desert turf school and may apply for GCSAA and other professional continuing education credits.

Audience:

Golf course superintendents
Sports turf managers
School, municipal, and recreational facilities managers
Professional landscapers

Topics:

Desert Turfgrass Species (warm and cool season)
Overseeding and Transition
Cultural Management Practices
Desert Soils, Fertility, and Nutrition
Salinity Principles and Management
Irrigation Audits and Analyses
Irrigation "Smart" Controllers
Heat and Drought Stress on Turfgrasses
Disease, Insect, Nematode and Weed Management

Features:

- Both lecture and field demonstrations;
- Interactions and dialogue between instructors and students;
- Class materials included in registration fee;
- Lunches and refreshments provided daily.

Time and Location:

Start with lunch on Monday afternoon and continue through lunch on Friday.

Remainder of daily classes are 8 AM to 5 PM.

The University of Arizona Maricopa County Cooperative Extension office is located at 4341 E. Broadway Rd, Phoenix, AZ 85040 which is easy access from I-10 and minutes south of the airport.

Accommodations:

Several hotels are within walking distance or a short drive to class. Hotel rooms are not included in the registration fee.



For more information:
Call 602-827-8214 or
Email to kumeda@cals.arizona.edu

Registration Form

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Fee payment options: \$350.00 or \$400.00 per person
Includes class materials, lunches, and refreshments

One name per form, please make copies for additional registrants

Registration Deadline December 1, 2014

Name

Company / Affiliation

Address

City, State, Zip

Email

Check - \$350.00 Make checks payable to "The University of Arizona"
Mail with form to: Turf School
University of Arizona
Maricopa County Cooperative Extension
4341 E. Broadway Rd.
Phoenix, AZ, 85040

Credit Card - \$400.00 includes administrative fees
Online registration with credit card is available through our website at:
<http://turf.arizona.edu>

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