

**Celebrating the Uniqueness & Utilization of California Urban Woods  
"From Urban Forest to Final Form"**

	<b>Thursday April 2, 2105 AGENDA - SUBJECT TO CHANGE</b>
5:00 p.m.	<b>Registration Opens</b>
5:30 – 7:30 p.m.	Opening Reception - Rip Current Brewery, 1325 Grand Ave #100, San Marcos, CA 92078 (760) 481-3141 (pre-registration required)
	<b>Friday April 3, 2015 AGENDA - SUBJECT TO CHANGE</b>
7:00- 8:00 a.m.	<b>Registration/Exhibits/Breakfast with Sponsors</b>
8:00 - 8:15 a.m.	<b>Welcome</b> Nancy Hughes (CaUFC) & Jack Stone (Palomar College)
8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote</b> ~ "How We Use Urban Logs and Lumber to Make Dreams Come True," Ron Daniels, (Animal Planet's Redwood Kings)
9:00 - 10:00 a.m.	<b>Technology &amp; Design</b> ~ "Tree to Table: Making Furniture from Urban Lumber," William Stranger, (Stranger Furniture) ~ Updates on UFEI's Online Resources (Urban Forest Ecosystems Institute), Jeff Reimer (Cal-Poly)
10:00 - 10:15 a.m.	<b>Break with Sponsors</b>
10:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<b>Science, Research &amp; Best Practice</b> ~ "Grading Lumber for Urban Hardwoods" Peter Tittmann (UC Forest Products Lab)  ~ "Wood Treatment Precautions with Bugs," John Kabashima (UCCE - Orange Co.)  ~ "Carbon Sequestration Utilizing Urban Woods," Sam Sherrill (Author, Harvesting Urban Timber) ~ Panel Discussion, All
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch &amp; Networking</b>
	<b>Friday Afternoon Sessions</b>
1:30 - 2:30 p.m.	<b>Marketing &amp; Outreach</b> ~ "Working Cooperatively to Create a Larger Market Presence for Urban Lumber," Jennifer Alger (Far West Forest Products) ~ "Leveraging State & Local Assistance to Fund Urban Wood Use Programs," John Melvin (CAL FIRE) ~ "Using the Media to Market Your Products"
2:30 - 2:45 p.m.	<b>Break with Sponsors</b>
2:45 - 4:25 p.m.	<b>Case Studies</b> ~ "San Francisco Urban Wood Re-Use Study," Jonathan Dirrenberger (Presidio Graduate School) ~ "Start Up – Lessons Gained from CalFire's Sawmill Loan Program," Ray Tretheway (Sacramento Tree Foundation) ~ "Urban Forest Stewardship Certification Is Sustainability," Mark Mead (City of Seattle) & Kirk Hansen (Northwest Certified) ~ Panel Discussion, All
4:25 - 5:00 p.m.	<b>Science (cont.)</b> ~ "Wood Anatomy for Wood Workers," Jim Downer (UCCE – Ventura Co.)
5:00 p.m.	<b>Friday Closing Announcements / CEU's</b>
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.	Tour at Palomar Arboretum (Limited to 35 - must sign up separately)

	<b>Saturday April 4th AGENDA - SUBJECT TO CHANGE</b>
7:00 – 8:00 a.m.	<b>Registration/Exhibits/Breakfast with Sponsors</b>
8:00 - 8:05 a.m.	<b>Announcements</b>
8:05 – 9:30 a.m.	<b>Education</b> ~ "Urban Tone Woods for Stringed Instruments & Palomar College Woodworking Programs," Jack Stone (Palomar College) ~ "What I Learned In College; Thoughts on the Future of Urban Wood," Robin Freeman (Merritt College) ~ "Northern California Lumber Use At The College of the Redwoods," David Welter (College of the Redwoods) ~ Panel Discussion, All
9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	<b>Break</b>
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	~ <b>Kiln Drying &amp; Demo; Jeremy Howard (Nile Kilns)</b>
10:30 – 12:30 p.m.	~ Demos* (regular demonstrations on rotation schedule), Exhibits, Art Shows
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch &amp; Networking with Sponsors</b>
	<b>Saturday Afternoon Sessions</b>
1:30 – 3:30 p.m.	~ Demos* (regular demonstrations on rotation schedule), Exhibits, Art Shows
3:30 - 3:45 p.m.	<b>Saturday Closing – CEUs, final thoughts</b>
	*Expected: Far West ,Woodmizer, West Coast Arborists, Nyle Kiln & Vacuum Kiln, Lucas Mill, Palomar College Bandmill & other woodworking demos, artists & woodworkers, and more!

