



**IPM Coordinating Committee Meeting**  
**Copper Sky Recreation Complex, Room A**  
**44345 W. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.**  
**Maricopa, AZ 85138 (520) 316-4600**  
**November 30, 2018**  
**9:00 AM – 1:00 PM**



**COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE  
AND LIFE SCIENCES**  
**COOPERATIVE EXTENSION**  
Arizona Pest Management Center

## **AGENDA**

### **Committee Membership:**

Matt Baur (Acting Director, Western IPM Center)	Keith Birkemeyer (Entomologist, ProBest)
Paul Brown (ex-officio, UA Cooperative Extension)	Peter Ellsworth (Entomology, MAC)
Blase Evancho (Pinal, Pima County)	Junior Evans (Dow AgroSciences)
Lin Evans (PCA, stakeholder)	Jim Farrar (Director, UC Statewide IPM)
George Frisvold (Ag Economics)	Dawn Gouge (Entomology, MAC)
Alex Hu (Plant Sciences)	Mike Matheron (Plant Sciences, YAC)
Bill McCloskey (Plant Sciences)	Tom Montoya (PCA, stakeholder)
Ayman Mostafa (Maricopa/Pinal/Pima Counties)	Randy Norton (Regional Extension Specialist, SAC)
John Palumbo (Entomology, YAC)	Jack Peterson (Arizona Department of Agriculture)
Ursula Schuch (Plant Sciences)	Kai Umeda (Maricopa County)

**APMC Staff:** Al Fournier, IPM Program Manager, Gene Hall, Assistant in Extension (AiE) Insect Diagnostics, Naomi Pier, AiE, Agronomic Crops IPM, Wayne Dixon, AiE, IPM Assessment, Shaku Nair, Associate in Extension, Community IPM, Shujuan (Lucy) Li, AiE, Public Health IPM, Marco Peña AiE Vegetable IPM, Julianne Trejo, Pesticide Data Analyst.

### **(9:00) Starting on a High Note**

Participants to complete brief affirmation statements with respect to interactions with the UA Faculty or APMC staff regarding IPM in Arizona (see half-sheet handout)

### **(9:20) Welcome from APMC Director Peter Ellsworth**

Theme of the meeting: Recognition, Resources & Values

- Goals of the meeting
- What's NEW with the APMC (brief updates)
  - Agronomic Crops IPM AiE: Naomi Pier, APMC
  - Public Health IPM Leadership Team
  - Shaku's promotion to Associate in Extension for Community IPM
  - Al's promotion to Entomology as Associate Specialist
  - Dawn Gouge, 9<sup>th</sup> International IPM Symposium, Practitioner - International IPM Award of Excellence
  - Naomi Pier, Honorably Mention, 9<sup>th</sup> International IPM Symposium  
Honorable Mention Student Research Poster with APMC and other co-authors, Fournier, John Palumbo, Yves Carriere, Wayne Dixon, Lydia Brown, Steven J. Castle, Nilima Prabhaker, Peter Ellsworth
  - Other 9<sup>th</sup> International IPM Symposium notables: Al Fournier, Dave Kopec, Lucy Li, Shaku Nair, Ursula Schuch, Kai Umeda

- Arizona's Respirator Training spinoff achievement (Mike Wierda): eXtension awards \$20K to National Pesticide Safety Education Center's Respirator Collaboration Team
- UA / Bruce Tabashnik, USDA Award of Recognition PBW Eradication

**(9:30) School IPM Spotlight** (Shaku Nair)

**(9:40) Public Health IPM Spotlight** (Lucy Li & Dawn Gouge)

- Collaborations to Support Public Health
- Aedes aegypti / Zika Update

**(9:55) Agronomic Crops IPM / The APMC and Social Media** (Naomi Pier)

**(10:00) Insect Diagnostics Spotlight** (Gene Hall *on Zoom*)

**(10:10) Western IPM Center Update & Opportunities** (Matt Baur *on Zoom*)

**(10:20) Ivory Tower Awards** (Al Fournier)

**(10:30) Break**

**(10:40) Individual & Group Exercise: Revealing Common Values** (Al Fournier)

Instructions and sticky notes included in your packet

**(11:30) UC IPM Update & Opportunities** (Jim Farrar)

**(11:40) Extension Administrative Update & Opportunities** (Paul Brown *on Zoom*)

- Hiring update
- Budget issues / opportunities
- Resources
- Pesticide Safety Education at UA

**(11:50) APMC Shared Resources & Capacity** (Wayne Dixon, Al Fournier)

- APMC Website, Databases and Programing Resources
- Grant support, Evaluation support & more
- Plant Pathology Program update from Alex Hu
- Promoting the Value of USDA-NIFA IPM Programs

**(12:00) Lunch** (on site)

- John Palumbo Industry Appreciation (video) (11 min)
- Acknowledgement of the Vegetable IPM Team