



Texas Chapter International Society of Arboriculture

July 2022



2022 Texas Tree Conference, Academy, Trade Show and Tree Schools

September 27-29, 2022, Waco

Register Now

Early Bird Registration Ends Sept. 7th

Register **now** for the biggest and best Texas Tree Conference yet!

Visit with old friends and make new ones, hear from great speakers, earn CEUs and more. There will be tracks for Commercial, Municipal and Utility Arborists and new this year, a Spanish language track! You will have plenty of time to socialize at the Awards Banquet, Exhibitors Reception and at the Arborists Social at the Backyard. You also won't want to miss visiting with the exhibitors at the expanded Trade Show. The pre-conference Academy is a must see this year and don't miss sending your crews to the English or Spanish Tree Schools.

Speakers include:

- Dr. Demian Gomez
- Dr. Stephanie Adams
- Dr. Yadong Qi
- Dr. Brian Watkins
- Dr. Becky Grubbs-Bowling
- Sheila McBride
- Eduardo Medina
- Sarah Cummings
- Orlando De La Garza
- and more!

[Click here to register](#)

[Click here for all the latest Texas Tree Conference info](#)

Donate to the Silent Auction supporting student scholarships! Contact Ginny Sills at ginny.sills@gmail.com



Interested in exhibiting your products or services at the Texas Tree Conference Trade Show?

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Our 2022 Sponsors & Exhibitors to Date
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TRAQ Renewal Course September 27, 2022 - Waco

Renew your TRAQ then hit the Tree Conference. The TRAQ Renewal Course is a one-day refresher, with five hours of instruction, and three hours to take the exam. Current TRAQ holders can complete the course as early as three and one-half (3 1/2) years into their Qualification (18 months before your expiration date).

If you received a Tree Risk Assessment Qualification between September 27, 2017 and March 27, 2019, you could register for this renewal. Once your current expiration date passes, you will need to retake the full course and assessment to be reinstated. If your qualification expiration date falls between September 27, 2022, and March 27, 2024, you are eligible to take this class.

[Click here for the Sept. 27, 2022 TRAQ Renewal information](#) - **Registration Deadline is August 30, 2022**



Join Team Texas and Ride to Help Trees! (Or just donate to Mino's Tour de Trees ride)

Support tree research and scholarships - Make your pledge to support Mino Griego of San Antonio, our Team Texas Chapter ISA Tour des Trees Rider!

The Tree Research and Education Endowment Fund (TREE Fund) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit dedicated to supporting scientific discovery and dissemination of new knowledge in the fields of arboriculture (the science of cultivating and managing trees in a landscape) and urban forestry. Since its inception in 2002, the TREE Fund has awarded more than \$4.8 million in funding to support:

- Scientific research on urban tree care issues
- Education programs related to trees
- Scholarships for students aspiring to be tree care professionals

[Click here to support Mino's ride for tree research](#)

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International Society of Arboriculture News

[The New Edition of the Arborist's Certification Study Guide is Now Available](#)

The fourth edition of Arborists' Certification Study Guide is a must have and provides a strong foundation and reference for all tree care professionals. Available in both print and digital formats, this publication is a complete and up-to-date resource that is designed to help people study for the ISA Certified Arborist® exam.

Texas Chapter ISA News

[Texas Chapter ISA Draft 3-Year Strategic Plan](#)

ISAT held a strategic planning retreat in San Antonio in May led by Dr. Paul Reis of Insightful Nature, LLC. The Board reviewed and approved the plan at its July Board of Directors meeting and the document is now available for member comments. Please send them to Mark Bird, ISAT President at mark.bird@sanantonio.gov by September 16th. The plan will be on the agenda for discussion at the annual business meeting held at the Texas Tree Conference on September 29th.

Calendar of Events

Members receive notice of events before non-members. Don't miss out - join today!

August:

- [Aug. 5-7: North American Tree Climbing Championship - Minneapolis](#)
- [Aug. 10-12: TNLA Expo - San Antonio](#)

September:

- [Sept. 3-10: Tour de Trees - Iowa](#)
- [Sept. 12-14: ISA Annual International Conference - Malmö, Sweden](#)
- [Sept. 27-29: 42nd Annual Texas Tree Conference - Waco](#)
- [Sept. 27: Tree Risk Assessment Qualification Renewal- Waco](#)
- [Sept. 29: ISA Certified Arborist, Municipal, Utility Exam, Waco](#)

November:

- [Nov. 18: ISA Certified Arborist, Municipal, Utility Exam - Fort Worth](#)
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