2015 Great Lakes School of Turfgrass Science Online (For Professionals)

Online Program (Jan. 7th – Mar. 25th 2015)

- Live Wednesday night online sessions from 6-8pm (CST)
- 12 internationally renowned turfgrass science faculty from across the Great Lakes Region
- 24 hrs of in-depth training in turfgrass science and management

Questions about the class?
Contact: Sam Bauer (sjbauer@umn.edu, 763-767-3518)

Class fee: $495.00/person

Registration deadline: Wed. Dec 31st, 2014

Register at: http://z.umn.edu/2015greatlakesturfschool
2015 Great Lakes School of Turfgrass Science Instructors

Without question, the strength of this new online school lies within the depth and experience of the turfgrass faculty. This program allows for extensive interaction with researchers and educators having national and international recognition.

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2015 Great Lakes School of Turfgrass Science Schedule

Live sessions will be held on Wednesday nights from 6:00pm to 8:00pm (Central Standard Time). Participants will have the option to view the live or recorded sessions.

Session 1
Wednesday, January 7th
Turfgrass identification, physiology and growth

Session 2
Wednesday, January 14th
Soil science and management

Session 3
Wednesday, January 21st
Selection and establishment

Session 4
Wednesday, January 28th
Nutrition and fertility programming

Session 5
Wednesday, February 4th
Mowing and additional cultural practices

Session 6
Wednesday, February 11th
Abiotic stresses

Session 7
Wednesday, February 18th
Irrigation

Session 8
Wednesday, February 25th
Insect biology, identification and management

Session 9
Wednesday, March 4th
Disease biology, identification and management

Session 10
Wednesday, March 11th
Weed biology, identification and management

Session 11
Wednesday, March 18th
Specialty product usage

Session 12
Wednesday, March 25th
Mathematics and calibration

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