

Lockwood Lecture

Friday, 21 May 2010



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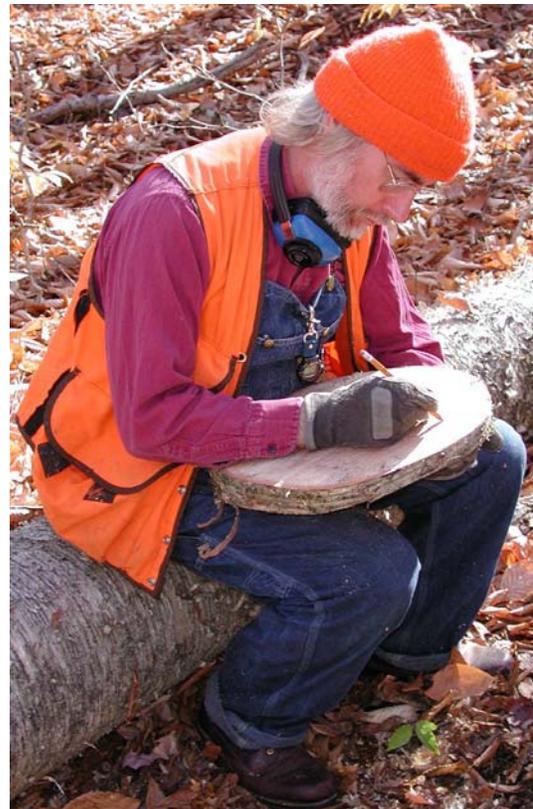
Dr. Kevin T. Smith will be coming to The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station to deliver a Lockwood Lecture on Friday, 21 May 2010. The Lecture will be in the Experiment Station's Jones Auditorium at 123 Huntington Street in New Haven, CT. The title of the lecture is *Tree Survival and Response to Injury, Infection, and Environmental Change*.

Dr. Smith is a world-renowned plant physiologist who investigates the effects of environmental disturbance on tree biology and the contribution of trees to forest biogeochemistry. His research involves understanding how trees survive, grow, die, and decay in stressful and injurious environments. The injuries he investigates include natural wounding from branch shedding, fire, and storm injury as well as mechanical damage from forestry and arboricultural practices. His research methods include dendrochronology, forest pathology, and biological chemistry. Dr.

Smith has authored over 80 publications and has been the recipient of numerous awards.

Dr. Smith earned a Ph.D. from the University of Georgia, a M.S. from the University of New Hampshire and B.A. from Connecticut College. He worked for many years with Dr. Alex Shigo and continues to lead the descendant of that research project for the US Forest Service.

This lecture also qualifies for 1 credit hour for CT pesticide license 3D (arborist) and 1 ceu for CT Certified Forest Practitioners (any level).



Dr. Kevin T. Smith in the forest.