

***New York Statewide Invasive Species Speaker Series
2023 Schedule***

Date/Time	Featured Presenter	Topic(s)	Call Facilitator
January 25	David Lodge & Jose Andres – Cornell University	Accelerating the use of eDNA in policy and management	<i>Rob Williams - SLELO</i>
February 22	Nancy Olmstead – Conservation Ecologist, The Nature Conservancy in Maine & Leigh Greenwood – Forest Health Program Director, North America Region, The Nature Conservancy	The Language of Invasive Species – Messaging, Framing, and Names	<i>John Thompson - CRISP</i>
March 29	Megan Pistolese – Education Outreach Coordinator, SLELO PRISM/The Nature Conservancy & Andréa Nieves – Invasive Species Outreach & Education Coordinator, Division of Lands & Forests, NYS DEC	Leveraging Metrics to Enhance Invasive Species Education and Outreach	<i>Andrea Locke – WNY</i>
April 26	Bethany Bradley – Professor, University of Massachusetts Amherst	Invasive species policy must embrace a changing climate	<i>Bill Jacobs - LIISMA</i>
May 31	Fate Syewoanguan – Graduate Research Assistant, NYNHP/SUNY ESF	Acquisition and Analysis of Invasive Species Post-Treatment Data for Communicating Management Effectiveness	<i>Brent Boscarino – LH</i>
June 28	Anthony Vastano – Laboratory Researcher, Rutgers University	Map It - Find It: The Role of eDNA in Slowing the Spread of Spotted Lanternfly	<i>Samuel Beck-Andersen – FL</i>
July	Hope you are having a wonderful summer! No call this month.		
August	Hope you are having a wonderful summer! No call this month.		
September 27		<i>No call – enjoy the Invasive Species Expo!</i>	
October 25	Peder Engelstad – Research Associate, Colorado State University	The Invasive Species Habitat Tool (INHABIT): an Introduction and Use Cases for Enhanced Invasive Species Management.	<i>Kristopher Williams – Capital Region</i>
November 29	Dr. Rob Bouchier – Research Scientist, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada	An Update on Canadian Biocontrol Projects	<i>Tammara Van Ryn - APIPP</i>
December	Happy Holidays to All! No call this month.		

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To join the presentation, go to this [Zoom](#) link (password: invasive) and follow the on-screen call-in details. If you cannot make the call, recordings of all past presentations can be found on the [NY Invasive YouTube Channel](#).

General agenda for these calls:

11:00 – 11:15	News from around the state. A time for PRISMs to share any new information
11:15 – 11:45	Topical discussion (see above for specific topic)
11:45 – 12:00	Upcoming activities, next call and other comments