



2024 IAA Careers in Arboriculture Demonstration Event

October 17, 2024

Location: Gateway To Tree Science @ The Morton Arboretum

10:00 am Check In

11:00 am Lunch (Provided)

Demonstration Events

Location: Gateway To Tree Science @ The Morton Arboretum

12:00 pm **Welcome** Paul Filary, The Morton Arb Rep & Event Sponsors

12:30 pm **Drone Use in Arboriculture**

Speaker: Greg Butler (Davey Resource Group)

1:30 pm **Rigging Basics - Adjust to 1:30 pm**

Speakers: Phil Prohaska (Cook County Forest Preserve) & The Morton Arboretum arborist staff

2:30 pm **Break & Refreshments**

3:00 pm **Root Zone Excavation and Assessment**

Speakers: Daniel Miraval & Brianna White (Emerald Tree Care)

4:00 pm **GIS & Inventory**

Speaker: Nathan Paulus (Davey Resource Group), Joe Hansen (Village of Wilmette)

Career Fair & Networking

Location: COC Lunchroom, The Morton Arboretum (Refreshments & Food)

Time: 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

5:30 pm – 6:00 pm	Career Fair & Networking
6:00 pm – 6:15 pm	Welcome, Sponsors (Paul Filary)
6:15 pm – 7:00 pm	Careers In Arboriculture Panel Discussion
7:00 pm – 7:30 pm	Career Fair & Networking

October 18, 2024

Demonstration Events

Location: The Morton Arboretum

Location:

8:00 am	Green Infrastructure Kris Bachtell & Michelle Catania (The Morton Arboretum)	Main Parking Lot (P1)
9:30 am	Plant Health Care Diagnostics Chelsi Abbot (Davey Tree) & Jake Miesbauer (The Morton Arboretum)	Gateway to Tree Science
10:30 am	Break & Refreshments	
11:00 am	Plant Health Care Treatment Advancements Dan O'Brien (Banner Sales & Consulting) & Brianna White (Emerald Tree Care)	Gateway to Tree Science
12:00 pm	Lunch (Provided)	
1:00 pm	The Urban Tree's Environment Michelle Catania (The Morton Arboretum) & Chad Rigsby (Bartlett Tree Experts)	Gateway to Tree Science
2:00 pm	Event Debrief & Departure	