

University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources

Replanting almond and stone-fruit orchards: effective "soil health" and fertility management

Tuesday October 30th, 8:30 AM to 12 PM

California State University-Fresno

Ag. One conference room 2910 E Barstow, Fresno CA 93740 (NW corner of Chestnut and Barstow roundabout)

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8:30-9:00 AM Sign-in

9:00-9:10	Welcome and housekeeping (Brar)
9:10-9:45	Prunus replant biology and use of anaerobic soil disinfestation (ASD) and whole orchard recycling (WOR) as preplant soil management options (Browne)
9:45-10:00	Monitoring WOR impacts on soil and air quality (Poret-Peterson)
10:00-10:10	Soil fertility management with orchard pre-plant mulching amendments (Culumber)
10:10-10:20	Potential of biochar amendment on water, and nutrient management (Gao)
10:20-10:30	Almond production systems research at Fresno State (Brar)
10:30-10:45	Move from classroom to CSU Fresno field trials
10:45-11:15	Replant disease management trial overview (Browne)
11:15-11:30	Soil organic amendments for mitigation of nematode infestations (Westphal)
11:30-11:40	Air quality monitoring equipment demonstration (Gao)
11:40-12:00 PM	Almond production systems field trials (Brar)





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