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Solution Center at the 2018 Farwest Show schedules mini-sessions with topics for nursery growers

Portland, Oregon (July 23, 2018) – The 2018 Farwest Show will offer free live mini-sessions designed for the interests of nursery professionals at this year's Solution Center. On the Oregon Convention Center show floor, the mini sessions, sponsored by Garden Center and Nursery Management magazines, take place each day during the show. Topics covered will give nursery growers solutions and takeaway for better operations and production.

In a series of 30-minute sessions, a slate of nursery experts from around the country will speak on grower-focused subjects such as irrigation systems, nursery innovation, pest management, energy savings, and spotlighted new plant introductions in 2018.

Solution Center mini-sessions are free to attendees and located on the show floor at the end of aisle 10000. The series begins at 1:15 p.m. on Wednesday, August 22 and runs the course of the show with the final talk at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, August 24. The talks are designed to give attendees an educational reprieve from the busy show floor.

The complete schedule, speakers, and topics for the Solution Center can be found online at <https://farwestshow.com/events/category/solution-center/>

The 2018 Farwest Show will be held August 22-24 in Portland, Oregon. Complete details on can be found at www.FarwestShow.com

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The Oregon Association of Nurseries (OAN), based in Wilsonville, represents more than 800 wholesale growers, retailers, landscapers and suppliers. Oregon's ornamental horticulture industry is one of the state's largest agricultural commodities, with annual sales of \$909 million. Oregon's nursery industry is a traded sector; nearly 80 percent of the nursery plants grown in Oregon are shipped out of state. For information, visit www.oan.org or call 503-682-5089.

The Farwest Show, the largest green industry show in the West, is produced by the OAN, a trade organization that represents and serves the interests of the ornamental horticulture industry. Any revenue realized by the OAN is reinvested into the industry through education, research, marketing support and government relations. For more information about the 2018 Farwest Show, visit www.FarwestShow.com or call 503-682-5089.

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