



LOCKWOOD LECTURE

Beech Bark Disease: Biology, Ecology, and Forest Responses

A Five-Decade Quest for Understanding

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Lecture: 10:30 a.m.

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Dr. Houston is a forest pathologist internationally recognized as the world's authority on the scale-fungus disease complex known as Beech Bark Disease, the topic of today's seminar. Dr. Houston has also done groundbreaking research on the patterns of disease development in a number of other complex dieback-decline diseases of hardwoods including ash, oak, and maple. In addition to his 35 years with the Forest Service, Dr. Houston has held numerous advisory positions with scientific and professional organizations, including the Forest Science Board of the Society of American Foresters, the American Phytopathological Society, the Northeastern Forest Pest Council, and the International Union of Forestry Research Organizations (IUFRO).

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