

Invasive Plant Species Training Course

Invasive non-native species (INNS) are recognised as one of the greatest threats to biodiversity globally and in recent years has started to be taken seriously as having wider environmental and economic damages estimated to cost being costing 5% of the world's economy.

The course will look at the main INNS plants in the UK, how they arrived, why they are so successful, their basic ID features, associated problems and benefits, current controls and treatment methods, relevant legislation, strategies and policies dealing with INNS, monitoring and recording campaigns and projects and future INNS which might cause problems.

This course is suitable ideal for amateur or professional botanists/ecologists both in the voluntary or ecological sector. Some prior knowledge of ecology would be useful.

Dates: 20th October 2015
Time: 9.30am-4.00pm
Cost: £50 per person
Location: Crymlyn Bog National Nature Reserve Visitors Centre,
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Places will be confirmed closer to the date of the training.

