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Research Update

Aiello, D., Guarnaccia, V., Vitale, A., LeBlanc, N., Shishkoff, N., and Polizzi, G. 2022. Impact of *Calonectria* Disease on Ornamental Horticulture: Diagnosis and Control Strategies. Plant Disease
<https://apsjournals.apsnet.org/doi/epdf/10.1094/PDIS-11-21-2610-FE>

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LaMondia, J. A. 2022. Integrating research results into a boxwood blight management program. APS Annual Meeting in Pittsburgh, PA, August 6 to 10, 2022

Luster, D., Carter, M., McMahon, M., Yang, X. 2022. Development of a capture-ELISA immunoassay for the boxwood blight pathogens *Calonectria henricotiae* and *C. pseudonaviculata*. Plant Health 2022 – APS Annual Meeting in Pittsburgh, PA, August 6 to 10, 2022

Shishkoff, N. 2022. The epidemic since 2020: new insights into management of boxwood blight. Plant Health 2022 – APS Annual Meeting in Pittsburgh, PA, August 6 to 10, 2022

Shishkoff, N., and Smallwood, E. 2022. Effect of temperature on lesion area of detached leaves of different boxwood cultivars infected with boxwood blight. Plant Health 2022 – APS Annual Meeting in Pittsburgh, PA, August 6 to 10, 2022

Extension & Outreach Highlight

Project Newsletter Vol 3 Issue 3: To be available on BBIG website

Upcoming Event

Webinar on the BBIG International Boxwood Series: How do weather and climate impact boxwood blight? A modeling approach to aiding in boxwood disease management. September 7, 1:00 p.m. Eastern. Guest Speaker: Dr. Len Coop, Associate Professor, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon (USA). [Click to Register](#)

BBIG Membership

Membership is open to everyone who is interested in fighting against boxwood blight. You can join by sending an email to boxwood-advocate-g+subscribe@vt.edu or by sending an email to Olanike or Chuan via olanike@vt.edu or chhong2@vt.edu.

Call for Submission

If you have news items to share with the BBIG community through the Monthly or Newsletter, please contact olanike@vt.edu or chhong2@vt.edu

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