## **Useful Invasive Species Web Sites and Documents**

California Department of Food and Agriculture's EncycloWeedia: Identification, Biology, and Management of Plants Defined as Noxious Weeds by California Law. (<u>http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/phpps/ipc/encycloweedia/encycloweedia\_hp.htm</u>)

California Invasive Plant Council (Cal-IPC): provides an inventory of invasive California plants, and other resources for invasive plant management. (www.cal-ipc.org)

California Department of Fish and Game: website for invasive, nuisance and exotic species. (http://www.dfg.ca.gov/hcpb/species/nuis\_exo/nuis\_exo.shtml)

California Department of Pesticide Regulation: The lead agency for regulating pesticide applications. Website has searchable database of commercial pesticide applications by product and county, and data on well monitoring program. (http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/)

Extension Toxicology Network: Extoxnet is an excellent source for toxicology and environmental chemistry information about pesticides, representing a collaborative effort of the University of California, Davis; Oregon State University; Michigan State University; Cornell University; and the University of Idaho. (http://extoxnet.orst.edu/)

Global Invasive Species Database: Lists 100 worst invasive species, and links to invasive species research in other countries. (<u>http://www.issg.org/database/welcome/</u>)

Habitattitude<sup>TM</sup>: an environmental education campaign, produced through a cooperative effort by the aquarium and pet trade, the USFWS, and NOAA, to stop the release of plants and animals into the wild. (<u>http://www.habitattitude.net/</u>)

Introduced species policy, management, and future research needs. An excellent review in Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment 3(1): 12-20. by Dan Simberloff, Ingrid Parker and Phyllis N. Windle. 2005. (http://www.frontiersinecology.org/specialissue/articles/Simberloff.pdf)

National Invasive Species Council: has links to the invasive species websites of federal agencies.

(http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/)

Pesticide Action Network Pesticide Database: a detailed source for information on pesticides, from an organization promoting alternatives to pesticide use. (<u>http://www.pesticideinfo.org/</u>)

Position Paper of the Ecological Society of America. Biological Invasions: Recommendations for U.S. Policy and Management. 2006. By D.M. Lodge, S.L. Williams, H. MacIsaac, K. Hayes, B. Leung, S. Reichard, R.N. Mack, P.B. Moyle, M. Smith, D.A. Andow, J.T. Carlton and A. McMichael. (<u>http://www.esa.org/pao/esaPositions/</u>)

Sustainable Conservation: an environmental organization, coordinating a statewide effort to reduce horticultural introductions of invasive species. (<u>http://www.suscon.org/</u>)

The National Parks Service: website with many links to information on invasive species occurrence and control methods. (<u>http://www.nps.gov/plants/alien/</u>)

The Nature Conservancy, Global Invasive Species Initiative: One of the best websites for invasive plant management, with photos, tool reviews, and many other resources.

(http://tncweeds.ucdavis.edu)

Team Arundo Del Norte: Contains information on Arundo control efforts throughout California.

(<u>http://www.teamarundo.org</u>)

University of California Integrated Pest Management Website: Contains the latest pest management information for a variety of plants and animals, as well as other resources.

(<u>http://www.ipm.ucdavis.edu/</u>)

USDA Plants website: standardized information and distribution maps for both native and non-native plant species. Includes federal noxious weed list. (<u>http://plants.usda.gov/</u>)

Weed Workers Handbook: A guide to weed control techniques for a number of the most common weeds in California. Available for free download on line, or order your bound copy off the website.

(http://www.cal-ipc.org/ww\_handbook/)