The University of Hawai‘i at Hilo Faculty Congress and the College of Continuing Education and Community Service (CCECS) present a talk about the invasive Albizia trees.

These fast-growing trees have serious ecological impacts on native forests. After Tropical Storm Iselle, Aliziba have also proven itself as a real and immediate threat to public safety and welfare.

A FREE lecture by Dr. Flint Hughes, Research Ecologist, of the USDA Forest Service, Institute for Pacific Islands Forestry and Springer Kaye, Big Island Invasive Species Committee (BIISC) Manager, will highlight community-based efforts that coordinate state and local agencies and lawmakers, HELCO, and other stakeholders to remove hazard trees, and deploy field staff and volunteers to manage non-hazard trees. Lessons learned and next steps toward long term hazard mitigation will also be discussed.

Wednesday, September 17, 2014
6:30pm to 7:30pm
UH Hilo campus
UCB 100

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