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- Keynote talk by Dr. Dini Miller, urban pest management specialist at Virginia Tech, and recent recipient of the first “Healthy Homes Hero” from the Department of Housing and Urban Development
- Oral and poster presentations by leaders in IPM
- Presentations specifically designed for practitioners of IPM in agriculture and community settings
- Latest information on Integrated Tick Management
- Opportunities for student participation and recognition
- Presentation of the 2018 IPM Achievement Awards
- Exhibits from leading IPM companies and organizations
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- A coordinated opportunity to visit policymakers on Capitol Hill to educate them on IPM needs and benefits for your sector and clientele

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Past participants at this international IPM event have included independent consultants, researchers, teachers, Extension educators, the agriculture and food community, IPM practitioners, academics, government scientists and administrators, employees of non-governmental organizations, students, and business professionals from the U.S. and more than 30 countries.

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