

**2019 Ecological Plant Conference, December 6th**  
**Fantastic Forgotten Natives and Why We Should Use More of Them**

**Plants usually sold as cultivars and their open-pollinated brethren:**

*Symphytotrichum laeve* and cv. 'Bluebird'  
*S. novae-angliae* and cvs. 'Purple Dome,' 'Alma Potschke,' 'Marie Wolkonkowitz'

*Agastache foeniculum x rugosum* 'Blue Fortune', anise hyssop  
*Agastache foeniculum*, anise hyssop  
*A. nepetoides*, yellow hyssop  
*A. scrophulariifolia*, blue giant hyssop

*Eutrochium dubium*, coastal plain Joe-pye, and cvs. 'Baby Joe,' 'Little Joe'  
*E. fistulosum*, hollow Joe-pye, and cvs. 'Carin,' 'Ivory Towers,' 'Bartered Bride'  
*E. maculatum*, spotted Joe-pye, and cvs. 'Gateway,' 'Phantom,' 'Purple Bush'  
*E. purpureum*, sweet Joe-pye  
*Eupatorium serotinum*, tall boneset

*Monarda* x 'Raspberry Wine,' bee balm  
*M. fistulosa*, wild bergamot, and cvs. 'Claire Grace,' 'Violet Queen'  
*M. bradburiana*, eastern bee balm  
*M. clinopodia*, basil bee balm  
*M. citriodora*, 'Bergamo', purple horsemint [annual]  
*M. punctata*, spotted bee balm

*Tiarella cordifolia*, running foamflower  
*Tradescantia ohiensis*, Ohio spiderwort

**Forgotten flora - under-utilised natives you need to know:**

*Packera anonyma*, Small's ragwort [aka *Senecio smallii*]

*Hypericum frondosum* 'Sunburst', golden St. John's wort  
*H. kalmianum*, Kalm's St. John's wort  
*H. prolificum*, shrubby St. John's wort

*Rhus copallinum*, winged sumac  
*R. glabra*, smooth sumac  
*R. typhina* 'Laciniata,' staghorn sumac

*Rubus odoratus*, flowering raspberry  
*Sambucus racemosa*, red elder [NOT EDIBLE!]  
*Viburnum acerifolia*, maple-leaved viburnum  
*Chamaecyparis thyoides*, Atlantic white cedar  
*Halesia carolina*, Carolina silver bell

*Quercus ilicifolia*, bear oak  
*Q. prinoides*, dwarf chinquapin

*Ulmus americana*, American elm