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Oak Diversity in Arkansas: Arkansas Native Plant Society Webinar/August 4

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The Arkansas Native Plant Society ("ANPS") is hosting a webinar on August 4th titled:

Oak Diversity in Arkansas ("Webinar")

The Webinar will be held on August 4th from 1-2 p.m. (Central Time).

The ANPS program description notes that:

- Oak species are one of the most important clades of woody anglosperms in the northern hemisphere in terms of:
- Species diversity
- Ecological dominance
- Economic value
- Arkansas possesses a significant amount of Oak diversity
- The variety in Arkansas makes it possible to find suitable habitats for many species of Oaks
- More than 25 native species of Oak are found in Arkansas
- A database for all the Oak species and their collection locations can be created/mapped using Geographical Information System
- The knowledge developed makes may inform conservation and management decisions in response to changes in the future environment for Oak forest habitats in Arkansas/North America

The *Webinar* will be presented by Dr. Suresh Subedi, Assistant Professor of Biology at Arkansas Tech University.

A link for the *Webinar* Zoom call can be found <u>here</u>. For more information you may contact <u>ANPS.President@gmail.com</u>.



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