



ECOLOGY SEMINAR



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Impacts of biological invasions in South Africa: What do we know?



Compared to other facets of invasion science, the impacts of biological invasions have been understudied, but many studies have been published in the last decade. This presentation reviews the growing body of evidence of impacts of invasions in South Africa, one of the countries where biological invasions have been studied in most detail over many decades. Despite considerable progress, our understanding of the dimensions of impacts of biological invasions in South Africa remains fragmentary. Impacts are expected to grow as invasions enter exponential phases of spread and densification and as the duration of invasions increases. A robust understanding needs to be developed to provide justification for management costs.



Where: Lecture Hall B2, Building B, USB Campus