

Artist Spotlights

For attendees at the 2019 ALS Convention *Bonsai on the Bayou*, we've worked hard to maximize your opportunities to interact with and learn from our headline artists. There are free seminars, workshops, and demonstrations. In addition, we have offered the "Artist Spotlight." What is an Artist Spotlight? It is a limited attendance "demo in the round," and at the 2019 convention, we will be featuring Bonsai Artists Boon Manakitivipart and Ryan Neil. During these two, three-hour lecture/demos, Boon and Ryan will work with two demo-quality trees. While they work, they will lecture on styling, care and maintenance, focusing on specific considerations of their selected species. The artists will select trees they wish to use. That way, they can pick specimens that really illustrate techniques specific to their discussion. Everyone at the Artist Spotlight will have a great seat close enough to really see how these artists undertake their work. Participants will be allowed lots of interaction opportunities. We think that these will be really exciting and fun ways to learn from our featured artists. Please act quickly to reserve your spot as space is limited and spots are going quickly.

