Currants/Specialty Fruit Marketing, Permaculture and Forest Garden Resources: (geared for growers)

Specialty Fruit Marketing websites/pdf files: Elderberry http://www.uky.edu/Ag/NewCrops/introsheets/elderberry.pdf

Gooseberries and Currants http://www.uky.edu/Ag/NewCrops/introsheets/currants.pdf

Juneberry http://www.uky.edu/Ag/NewCrops/introsheets/juneberry.pdf

1. Funding to Help Study and Build Elderberry Market <u>http://missouribeginningfarming.blogspot.com/2010/07/funding-to-help-study-and-build.html</u>

Haskap: An Introduction to the Fruit, Its Health Benefits, and Marketing Possibilities

By: Kirsten Larson Sunofi-Adventis Biotalent Challenge 2009 http://www.lahaveforests.com/assets/files/Honey%20Berry%20Health.pdf

<u>Market demand for Haskap– Is it Real?</u> <u>http://www.agriculture.gov.sk.ca/Agriview_October07_pg11</u> and http://www.haskap.ca/Studies/Haskap%20Market%20dvlp%20August%2027.pdf

How to Sell through Wholesale and Direct Marketing Channels – Matthew LeRoux, Agricultural Marketing Specialist, Cornell Cooperative Extension pdf available on Cornell Cooperative Extension of Tompkins County website:

Currants and Gooseberries – several pdf handouts on growing and marketing currants and gooseberries can be downloaded from Cornell University website : http://www.fruit.cornell.edu/mfruit/gooseberries.html

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12. **Running a Roadside Stand- Some Helpful Tips. From: Direct Farm Marketing and Tourism Handbook.** University of Arizona Cooperative Extension. Available on line at: http://www.cals.arizona.edu/AREC/pubs/dmkt/Runningaroadside.pdf .

Books:

75 Remarkable Fruits for your Garden by Jack Staub UT, Gibbs Smith Publishing, 2007.

The BackYard Berry Book by Stella Otto MI: OttoGraphics, 1995

The BackYard Orchardist by Stella Otto MI: OttoGraphics, 1993, 1994

Edible Forest Gardens Vol. 1: Vision & Theory by Dave Jacke with Eric Toensmeier VT: Chelsea Green Publishing Co., 2005

Edible Forest Gardens Vol. 1: Design & Practice by Dave Jacke with Eric Toensmeier VT: Chelsea Green Publishing Co., 2005

Forest Gardening by Robert de J. Hart UK: Green Books, 1991

Gaias Garden by Toby Hemenway VT: Chelsea Green Publishing Co., 2000, 2009

Growing Gourmet and Medicinal Mushrooms by Paul Stamets CA: Ten Speed Press, 2000

Native Trees, Shrubs and Vines for Urban and Rural America by Gary Hightshoe NY: John Wiley and Sons, 1988

The One Straw Revolution: an Introduction to Natural Farming by Masonobu Fukuoka

Permaculture: A practical Guide for a Sustainable future by Bill Mollison, www.tagari.com

Permaculture, Principles and Pathways Beyond Sustainability by David Holmgren

Plants for a Future: Edible and Useful Plants for a Healthier World by Ken Fern UK: Permanent Publications, 1997

Start with the Soil by Grace Gershuny PA: Rodale Press, 1993

Tree Crops: A Permanent Agriculture, J. Russell Smith. Also available as a free online book: www.archive.org/details/TreeCrops-J.RussellSmith

Area Networks – focus on agroforestry, sustainable fruit production

- Dale and Cindy Secher of Carandale Farm, Oregon, WI www.carandale.com
- Aronia Network List Serve <u>https://lists.wisc.edu/read/?forum=aronianetwork</u>

Midwest Aronia Association - www.midwestaronia.org/

- Organic Tree Fruit Growers Association –www.otfa.org
- Center for Integrated Agricultural Systems, UW Madison, WI www.cias.wisc.edu/
- Midwest Organic and Sustainable Education Services www.mosesorganic.org/
- Midwest Permaculture Network www.midwestpermaculturening.com

Association of Temperate Agroforestry - http://www.aftaweb.org/

Websites – General

National Center for Agroforestry - www.centerforagroforestry.org

Edible Forest Gardens - http://www.edibleforestgardens.com/

Appropriate Technology Transfer to Rural Areas (ATTRA). http://www.attra.org/ Primary audience is farmers, they have a wide variety of free downloadable publications to browse from especially regarding cover crops and pest management.

Association for Temperate Agroforestry – http://www.aftaweb.org/index.php Note: AFTA has a great Agroforestry bookstore, both 'how – to' and scientific

InterGarden - Permaculture Information - Discussion - Links has discussion forums and extensive listing of permaculture-related links: <<u>http://sunsite.unc.edu/london/permaculture.html</u>>

Introduction to Permaculture: Concepts and Resources is an excellent introduction with comprehensive resource links: <<u>http://www.attra.org/attra-pub/perma.html</u>>

Journal for Agroforestry Research, United Kingdom - http://www.agroforestry.co.uk/

Natural Resource Conservation Services – http://www.nrcs.usda.gov – variety of information from grants and cost share resources, to soil quality assessment notes.

North Central Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education - NC SARE - http://www.sare.org/ncrsare/

The Permaculture Activist site offers an array of information and resource links: <<u>http://www.permacultureactivist.net</u>>

Power Planting: A Guide to Help you Choose the Right Tree for the Right Place http://wihort.uwex.edu/landscape/PowerPlanting.pdf

Sepp Holzer – http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mzRzJRiUylg – great online video of a forest garden in Austria.

Soil Biology Primer http://soils.usda.gov/sqi/concepts/soil_biology/soil_food_web.html

Tree Crops: A Permanent Agriculture by J. Russell Smith. <u>Www.archive.org/details/TreeCrops</u> J.RussellSmith

University of Missouri Center for Agroforestry - http://www.centerforagroforestry.org/

Uncommon Fruit Crops with Sustainability Potential – http://www.cias.wisc.edu/wpcontent/uploads/2008/07/fruitgrower.pdf Women Food and Agriculture Network: http://www.wfan.org/Women, Food and Agriculture Network Home.html

Nurseries:

WI Native Plant Sources - http://clean-water.uwex.edu/pubs/pdf/home/lonative.pdf

Forest Agriculture Enterprises

P.O. Box 24, Viola, WI 54664 http://www.forestag.com email: forestag@mwt.net 608-627-TREE Overview: Mark Shepard provides consulting and educational services in agroforestry and permaculture. Certified organic producer, specializing in hazelnuts, chestnuts, asparagus, and heirloom apples.

Knights Hollow Nursery, Middleton

4911 Forsythia Court, Middleton, WI; 608-831-5570. Overview: Specializes in micropropagated plants, great Aronia source.

St. Lawrence Nursery – Northern Climate Organic Fruit and Nut Trees 325 State HWY 345, Potsdam, NY 13767 315-265-6729 www.sln.potsdam.ny.us Overview: Specializes in organic rootstock and cold hardy trees Zones 3 & 4

Water's Edge Nursery and Gardens

34320 Old Cty K, Bayfield, WI 54814 715-779-0155 www.thedraw.org Overview: Located on the property of the Draw, LLC, a land-based regenerative community on the south shore of Lake Superior. Uses only biological controls, permaculture design/practices.

Baley's Nursery - Minnesota

¹More Books:

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