Euonymus alatus – Winged Euonymus (Burning Bush)
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A planting of winged euonymus in Storrs, CT. Photos: Donna Ellis, UConn
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Foliage changes to a bright scarlet in the fall.
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Red-purple ovary walls split open to reveal seeds encased in a red-orange fruit.
Photo: Nicole Gabelman, UConn

Winged euonymus is a problematic invader in forest understories.
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Close-up showing corky protrusions along stems. Photo: Barry Rice, sarracenia.com, Bugwood.org