ForestValue2: "Science in progress"

Tuesday, 14 October 2025, 12:00 - 16:30

Location: BIP Meeting Center, Rue Royale 2-4, 1000 Bruxelles, Belgium

AGENDA *Moderator: Baiba RIVZA, LAAFS, LV*

12:00	REGISTRATION / LUNCH
13:00	Welcome and introduction to ForestValue2 Mika KALLIO, MMM, FI
13:10	Setting the scene Laura LIEPIŅA, European Commission DG AGRI
13:20	• Tirex - Framework for smart condition reassessment of Reclaimed Timber to eXtend the service life of long-lived wood products using non-destructive testing and automated data postprocessing • WoodLCC - Enhanced Life-Cycle-Costing in wood construction by novel methods
	for service life planning **Villu KUKK, Tallinn University of Technology, EE **CRESTIMB** - InCREased Service life of innovative TIMber Building systems **Martina SCIOMENTA, University of L'Aquila, IT
	• WOODforHEALTH - Promoting safe and extended use of wood products in health buildings through development of antimicrobial surfaces, hygiene concepts, and guidelines (VIDEO) Vesa VIRTANEN, University of Oulu, FI
	• <u>BarkBuild</u> - Tree bark as a renewable source of wood protection materials for building applications
14:30	Coffee break
15:00	Session II "Innovative research in the field of forestry" (12' each) • Assess4EST - Assessment of trade-offs and potentials to breed and manage forests to meet sustainability goals **Rosario GARCIA-GIL, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, SE**
	• <u>LEARNFORCLIMATE</u> - Learning to realize multiple forest policy objectives under climate related stress and disturbance <i>Metodi SOTIROV, University of Freiburg, DE</i>
	• <u>SOSFOR</u> - Unveiling sustainable operating spaces for European forests <i>Matteo VIZZARRI, University of Milan, IT</i>
	• <u>SustMultBiomass</u> - Sustainable and multifunctional use of forest biomass <i>Tord SNÄLL, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, SE</i>
	• <u>IFORPLAN</u> - Innovative spatial forest planning for supporting resilient multifunctio-nal forest management <i>Andrej BONCINA, University of Ljubljana, SI</i>
	• ForestMap - The next generation of forest maps – adapting a Nordic success story across the globe Debora CARRENO, KATAM, SE
	• <u>FORECO</u> - The role of forest recovery from biotic and abiotic threats for risk resilient management <i>Dr. Konstantin GREGOR, Technical University of Munich, DE</i>
16:30	Summary and Goodbye Mika KALLIO, MMM, FI





"Shaping the Future of Forest Research & Innovation for a competitive Europe"

Wednesday, 15 October 2025, 9:00 - 15:10

TIME DESCRIPTION

9:00	Registration, final setting up and entrance of participants
9:30	Welcome Address by EUFORE Coordinators Alex GIURCA (EFI) and Salvatore MARTIRE (EC REA)
9:45	Key note – setting the scene Forest in the context of EU strategic priorities. <i>Luis VIVAS-ALEGRE (DG AGRI)</i>
10:05	Building the SRIA: Process & Approach A European Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda for Forests and the Forest-based Sector and its roadmap Dr. Alex GIURCIA (EFI) and Jan SCHMIDT (FNR)
10:30	Coffee break
10:55	 Many voices, one agenda - Co-creating the SRIA A SRIA informed by science, administration, industry and civil society Vanesa BAÑO (Innovawood) Oliver BRENDEL (INRAE) David BUTLER MANNING (BMLEH) Moderated by Rach COLLING (EFI)
12:00	Lunch
13:00	Turning the SRIA into Action: what's next? Session dedicated to present and clarify key actions derived from the SRIA and the upcoming forest partnership. Interactive coffee talk Tony QUINN (DAFM, IE) and Mika KALLIO (MMM, FI)
13:30	FOREST FUSION A dynamic networking session designed to spark connections and forest collaboration among key stakeholders, clustered by the SRIA topics with a view to the upcoming calls of the Forest partnership. Moderated by Carina LEMKE (FNR, DE)
15:00	Wrap-up EFI
15:10	End of seminar

