EFIMED WEEK 2016

Smart Mediterranean forestry, bioeconomy and social integration

(7-9 November 2016 - Popilia Resort, Calabria, Italy)

Scientific Seminar schedule

7th November (DAY ONE)

Time	Opening session: "Mediterranean under global change: key societal challenges" Chair: Inazio Martinez de Arano, EFIMED
14.00	Welcome by Calabria Region authorities, speaker TBC
14.10	Nicolas Picard, Coordinator of Silva-Mediterranea Committee, FAO
14.20	Giuseppe Scarascia, Chair of EFI Board and Tuscia University

Time	Session I - Smart Forestry: innovative Mediterranean value chains
	This session showcases emerging solutions and approaches to increase the role of Med Forest in
	the green economy.
14:30	Chair: Massimo Fragiacomo, Università degli Studi dell'Aquila
	Keynotes:
	 Eduardo Rojas Briales, Universidad Politécnica de Valencia - Mediterranean forests: challenges and opportunities for an inclusive bioeconomy.
	 Giorgio Matteucci, CNR Italy - Advanced inventory and logistic for multipurpose forestry chain (ALForLab project)
	F360 (start-up company) - Big data science for more efficient Mediterranean Silviculture
15.30	Coffee break
15.45	Hamed Daly Hassen, INRA Tunisia - International markets for essential oils sector in
	Tunisia: strategies and opportunities
	Manuela Romagnoli, UNITUS - Innovation in wood technology. New uses for















	Mediterranean woods
	Elena Gorriz, EFIMED - Innovative business models for NWFPs: Highlights from StarTree
	project
	Q&A
17:00 -	Round table - Innovative Landscapes: participatory approaches
18:15	Chair, Inazio Martinez de Arano, EFIMED
	 Dario Paletta - Mediterranean Model Forest Network Roser Maneja, ICTA Barcelona -International UNESCO centre for Mediterranean Biosphere Reserves Sihem Jebari, INRGREF, Tunisia – The BEWATER project, a participatory approach
18:30	Departure for social dinner – Pizzo Calabro Castle

8th November (DAY TWO)

08.45 EFIMED Network News:

- H2020 Forest Co-fund: State of the Art, Andreas Kleinschmit
- Network of Mediterranean Forest Cities, Riccardo Castellini

Time	Session II: Forestry and social integration
	This session introduces the links between environmental and social issues.
09:00	Chair: Laura Secco (Univ. Padova)
	Keynotes on Policy and Wider Issues:
	Grammenos Mastrojeni, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs - Environmental and social crises in the Mediterranean Region and beyond
	 Domenico Lucano, Mayor of Riace, Calabria - Migration, social integration and rural economy
	Spyridon Mamalis, Kavala Institute of Technology - The Greek experience: The non-
	return of young people to the Greek Countryside
10:30	Coffee break
11:00	Keynotes on Practical Experiences, Programmes and Examples:
	• Joachim Englert, SocialForest, SL (<u>www.Socialforest.org</u>)
	 Petra Isabella Schwarz, GreenCare Programme - The Austrian experience (www.greencare.at)















	 Alina L. Sabangeanu, Kogayon Association - The (un)wanted others: a case study on the Romanian migrants experience in Castilla–Leon (Spain), on the exploitation of mycological resources
12:00	Plenary discussion
13:00	Poster presentations: 2 min poster presentations by the authors
13:15	Lunch

Time	Session III – From Knowledge to Action
14:45	Chair: Andreas Kleinschmit
	Table 1: Empowering people
	 Antoine Harfouche, UNITUS – Empowering the young: innovative entrepreneurship for young experts in biotechnology
	 Rosanna Quagliariello, CIHEAM/IAMB Bari - Empowering women: Building Resilience of Mediterranean Rural Communities Through the Empowerment of Women
	 Diarmuid Mac Aree, - Identifying Green Jobs in the Forestry Sector - A UNECE/FAO/ILO Team of Specialists Initiative
16:00	Coffee break
16:30	Table 2. Making innovation happen
	Alessandro Leonardi - ETIFOR & University of Padova - The ECOSTAR Impact Hub:
	promoting entrepreneurship and innovation among EU forestry departments
	Giorgio Mosangini, Switchmed (SCP/RAC) - Supporting Green Entrepreneurship and Eco- innovation in the Mediterranean
	 Christine Farcy, University of Louvain - Blue Forest: Promoting innovation in Mediterranean forestry
	 Enrique Doblas Miranda, CREAF Barcelona - Supporting local innovation through the NODE: Node for Opportunities, Development and the Environment
17:45	Concluding Remarks
	Giuseppe Scarascia, Laura Secco, Andreas Kleinschmit













18.10	Best Poster Award
18:20	Field trip presentation by <i>Marco Fioravanti,</i> Univ. di Firenze – Visit to the Regional Park of Le
	Serre, Private Forest Company Poletto & the Biodiversity State Reserve of Mongiana

9th November (DAY THREE – FIELD TRIP)

Time	Field trip
09:00	Regional Park of Le Serre (beech and silver fir mixed forests), Private Forest Company Poletto (over 2000 ha of managed forests, including Douglas fir plantation) & the Biodiversity State Reserve of Mongiana (example of innovative management in beech forests – LIFE ManFor experience).
17.00	Return to resort / Transfer to airport

Organisers:

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