# **REFORESTATION CHALLENGES**



## 4th International Conference Belgrade, Serbia 20-22 June, 2018



### First Circular: Conference Announcement

#### MAIN OBJECTIVES

A Reforestation Conference is an opportunity for scientists to gather, present and exchange results and experiences from research areas relevant to reforestation. Top researchers from Europe and North America are invited as speakers. Conference objectives are to encourage researchers towards more dynamic ongoing cooperation and to publish a thematic publication with the latest results covering all aspects of the reforestation process. The presented results from the Conference should fill the gaps in knowledge about reasons of success and failure in reforestation programs. Overall, the Conference will highlight challenges of reforestation and provide some solutions, while contributing to interactions between researchers and practitioners. All researchers, and particularly young ones, will get additional support and opportunity to exchange information and to build their research network and collaborative abilities.

The Conference is sponsored by following **IUFRO** Divisions and Units:

3.02.00 - Stand establishment and treatment
Task Force: Sustainable Planted Forests to Meet Growing
Global Needs

#### **TOPICS**

- ✓ Country report
- √ Stocktypes
- √ Seedling quality
- √ Monitoring reforestation successes
- ✓ Plantations
- ✓ Breeding for resistance (drought, insects, disease)
- ✓ Species, intra-species and seed source selection
- √ Reasons of reforestation failure
- ✓ Planting and after planting protection
- ✓ Handling Issue (from lifting to planting)
- ✓ Site factors effects on planting stress and establishment
- ✓ Competition Site preparation and vegetation

management

✓ Planning and management of afforestation and reforestation programs

#### Chair of SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

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#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Opening registration date

Deadline for Abstracts submissions

Notifications of Abstracts acceptance

Deadline for Full Papers submissions

Deadline for early registration

Deadline for registration

O1 January 2018

15 March 2018

30 April 2018

O1 June 2018

#### OTHER DETAILS

Contributions are welcome on any aspect of reforestation programs.

Authors willing to contribute with an ORAL PRESENTATION or a POSTER must send an ABSTRACT written on English, up to 300 words with title, authors and affiliations. The Abstracts will be refereed by Scientific Committee and style of presentation (oral or poster) will be assigned by the relevance of topics and authors' preferences. Presentation is not compulsory for participation. Accepted Abstracts will be published in A BOOK OF ABSTRACTS prior to Conference. A group of selected PAPERS will be published in a JOURNAL REFORESTA. All presentation will be held in ENGLISH.

The participation of early career scholars and postgraduate researchers is positively encouraged.

In order to help organization of Conference and ensure the involvement and participation of the world-wide reforestation community, an International Scientific Committee and a Regional Organizing Committee has been established.

LOOKING FORWADR TO WELCOMING YOU TO BELGRADE!