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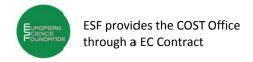
### **COST ACTION FP0905 FINAL CONFERENCE**



MARCH 4 - 5, 2014, ROME, ITALY

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### **COST ACTION FP0905**

Biosafety of forest transgenic trees: improving the scientific basis for safe tree development and implementation of EU policy directives

### **FINAL CONFERENCE**

### Organizing committee

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### **TUESDAY, 4 MARCH 2014**

### 09:30 -Registration Open

Welcome coffee

Setting up posters

### 10:30 - WELCOME AND OPENING SESSION

Chairs: Cristina Vettori (IBBR-CNR, Italy) and MatthiasFladung (TI, Germany)

Local authorities: Prof. Luigi Nicolais (President CNR, Italy); Dr. Francesco Loreto (Director

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### SESSION I - BIOLOGICAL CHARACTERIZATION OF GMTs (WG1)

Chairs: Hely Haggman (University of Oulu, Finland), Ove Nilson (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden)

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

11:00 - 11:30 Wout Boerjan (VIB, Belgium)

"A field trial with lignin-modified trees: science and society"

11:30 – 12:00 Gilles Pilate (INRA Orléans, France)

"25-year experience with GM tree field trials in Europe: what did we learn?"

#### SELECTED ORAL PRESENTATIONS

12:00 - 12:15 TO BE SELECTED

12:15 - 12:30 TO BE SELECTED

12:30 - 12:45 TO BE SELECTED

12:45 - 14:00 Lunch

### SESSION II - ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND MONITORING OF GMTS IN THE WHOLE PRODUCTION CHAIN FROM PLANTATION TO FINAL PRODUCTS (WG2)

Chairs: Fernando Gallardo (Universidad de Málaga, Spain), Lucia Ionita (Forest Research and Management Institute, Romania)

### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

- 14:00 14:30 Boet Glandorf (GMO Office, National Institute of Public Health and the Environment, The Netherlands)

  "Risk assessment and monitoring of GMO's"
- 14:30 15:00 Fernando Gallardo (Universidad de Málaga, Spain) "Potential soil effects of transgenic trees"

#### **SELECTED ORAL PRESENTATIONS**

15:00 - 15:15 TO BE SELECTED

15:15 - 15:30 TO BE SELECTED

15:30 - 16:00 COFFEE BREAK + POSTER VIEWING (Sessions I and II)



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#### SELECTED ORAL PRESENTATIONS

16:00 - 16:15 TO BE SELECTED

16:15 - 17:15 Discussion Sessions I and II: "Future prospects of the utilization of GM forest trees"

Moderators: Hely Haggman (University of Oulu, Finland), Fernando Gallardo (Universidad de Málaga, Spain), Marja Ruohonen-Lehto (The Finnish Environment Institute, Finland)

### WEDNESDAY, 5 MARCH 2014

### SESSION III - SOCIO-ECONOMIC IMPLICATIONS OF AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE USE OF GMTs (WG3)

Chairs: Vassiliki Kazana (Eastern Macedonia & Thace Institute of Technology, Greece), Mirjana Sijacic-Nikolic (University of Belgrade, Serbia)

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

- 09:30 10:00 Leslie Pearson (Arborgen, USA)

  "Considerations for the use of GM trees"
- 10:00 10:30 Vassiliki Kazana (Eastern Macedonia & Thace Institute of Technology, Greece)

  "Socio-economic impact evaluation perspectives for GM forest crops: The experience
  of the COST Action FP0905"
- 10:30 11:00 COFFEE BREAK + POSTER VIEWING (Sessions III and IV)

#### SELECTED ORAL PRESENTATIONS

11:00 - 11:15 TO BE SELECTED

11:15 - 11:30 TO BE SELECTED

11:30 - 11:45 TO BE SELECTED

### SESSION IV - VALUE COMMUNICATION IN THE FIELD OF GMT (WG4)

Chairs: Fabio Migliacci (ICCOM-CNR, Italy), Francesca Donnarumma (IBBR-CNR, Italy)

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**

- 11:45 12:15 Klaus Minol (Genius GmbH, Germany)

  "Value communication in the field of GMT"
- 12:15 12:45 Fabio Migliacci (ICCOM CNR, Italy)

  "Communication strategies in a Web 2.0 World"



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12:45 - 14:00 Lunch

**SELECTED ORAL PRESENTATIONS** 

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14:15 - 14:30 TO BE SELECTED

14:30 - 14:45 TO BE SELECTED

## 14: 45 - 15:45 Discussion Sessions III and IV: "Prospective use of GMTs: Communicating their socio-economic implications"

Moderators: Vassiliki Kazana (Eastern Macedonia & Thace Institute of Technology, Greece), Fabio Migliacci (ICCOM – CNR, Italy), Jeremy Sweet (Sweet Environmental Consultants, United Kingdom)

15:45 - 16:00 Closing remarks
Cristina Vettori (IBBR-CNR, Italy) and Matthias Fladung (TI, Germany)