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Silviculture Working Group 2019-2021 Activity Report

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Location: Virtual

MISSION



*To develop and disseminate knowledge and technology on **silvicultural systems and practices** in North American forests to improve the quality of human life.*

Key Activities



1. **Maintain cooperation** among Mexico, Canada and the United States
2. **Collaborate with other NAFC working groups** to adjust silvicultural guidelines to address key forest management issues;
3. **Hosting workshops** on cross-cutting issues such as forest sector competitiveness and adding value to North American forests;
4. **Disseminating knowledge and technologies** for silvicultural strategies through publications and participation in regional workshops
5. **Building partnerships** and collaborating with organizations such as the Society of American Foresters.

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Past Publications



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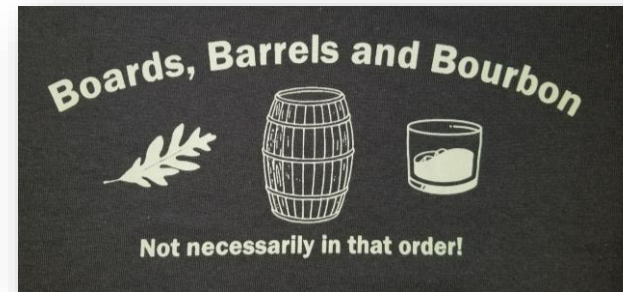


SWG 2019 Annual Workshop

Louisville, Kentucky - Oct. 28-30, 2019

THEME: Oak silviculture and high-value transformation

- 2019 Annual Silviculture Trainer Tour (Organized by Dr. Michael Saunders)
- Field visit of mixed stands, managed for oak (Regeneration & tending treatments)
- Visit of mills and makers
 - Veneer production
 - Barrel production
 - Bourbon making



- 1. 2021 Business Meetings (Virtual)**
- 2. Participation to the project on the Revision of the Silvics of North America**
 - Scientific support
 - Liaison with silviculture experts
 - Liaison with end-users
 - Species selection
 - Design of the table of content and information layout
- 3. Workshop on Mexican oak silviculture**
- 4. Workshop on uneven-aged silviculture systems for pines.**
- 5. 2022 Business Meetings (Mexico?)**

2021-2022 Planned Activities



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