



Policy Dialogue

Advancing sustainable wood policy and science for carbon-neutral and resilient economies

An initiative of the project WOOD for GLOBE Project and the joint initiative of the Collaborative Partnership on Forests (CPF) Sustainable Wood for a Sustainable World (SW4SW)

25 March 2024, 10:00-17:00 CET

Venue: Austria Room (C250 bis), FAO Headquarters, Rome, Italy

Time	Item	Speakers
9:00-10:00	Registration and welcome coffee	<i>Master of Ceremony: Ms Erica di Girolami</i> Forest Policy and Economics Expert FAO
10:00-10:15	Welcome remarks	Zhimin Wu Director FAO Forestry Division and Chair of the CPF Alexander Buck Executive Director of IUFRO
10:15-10:20	Opening message	H.E. Norbert Totschnig Federal Minister of Agriculture, Forestry, Regions and Water Management, Austria
10:20-10:40	Keynote address	Daniela Kleinschmit Vice-President of IUFRO
10:40-10:50	Towards a Global Wood Policy Platform - Short introduction of Wood for Globe project and results from WPs	Thaís Linhares Juvenal Senior Advisor, FAO Forestry Division Janice Burns Thematic Networking Manager, IUFRO
10:50-11:00	Q&A	
11:00-11:15	Networking break	
11:15-12:30	Panel: Advancing sustainable wood: Opportunities, gaps, synergies, and trade-offs	Moderator: Yurdi Yasmi Special Coordinator, FAO Plant Production and Protection Division Sheam Satkuru Executive Director, ITTO Ewald Rametsteiner Deputy Director, FAO Forestry Division Vincent Gitz Director, CIFOR-ICRAF Klas Sander Senior Environmental Economist, Global Platforms Unit, The World Bank Gary Bull Researcher, British Columbia University, Canada Vincent Kitio Lead Urban Energy Solutions, UN-Habitat
12:30-12:45	Q&A	

