

Young Leadership Programme 2020

Mediterranean forests in urbanised societies

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Week 1	Introduction to Scenario Building
<i>Day 1</i>	<i>Wednesday 30 June</i>
09:45 – 10:00	Welcome Inazio Martinez de Arano, Head of Mediterranean Facility - EFI
10:00 – 12:00	Introduction to Scenario Building (part 1) Metodi Sotirov, University of Freiburg, Mireia Pecurul, CTFC
<i>Day 2</i>	<i>Thursday 1 July</i>
10:00 – 12:00	Introduction to Scenario Building (part 2) Metodi Sotirov, University of Freiburg, Mireia Pecurul, CTFC
Week 2	Introduction to Scenario Building
<i>Day 1</i>	<i>Wednesday 07 July</i>
10:00 – 12:00	Introduction to Scenario Building (part 3) Metodi Sotirov, University of Freiburg, Mireia Pecurul, CTFC
<i>Day 2</i>	<i>Thursday 08 July</i>
10:00 – 12:00	Introduction to Scenario Building (part 4) Metodi Sotirov, University of Freiburg, Mireia Pecurul, CTFC
Week 3	Main Course 12-16 July
Day 1	Monday 12 July
Theme 1	Setting the scene: Mediterranean forests and global challenges
09:45 – 10:00	Opening Statement by EFI Deputy Director, Robert Mavsar
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome to YLP MED 2020 Inazio Martinez de Arano, Head of Mediterranean Facility - European Forest Institute
10:15 – 10:45	Key Challenges for Mediterranean forests, Chadi Mohanna, Director of Rural Development and Natural Resources at Ministry of Agriculture, Lebanon, and Chair of FAO Silva Mediterranea
10:45 – 11:20	Nature and cities - The case of the Collserola Natural Park Javier Gómez, Servicio de Uso Público, Divulgación y Educación Ambiental - Parc Natural de la Serra de Collserola, Diputació de Barcelona
11:20 – 12:00	Interactive discussion & questions
12.00 – 14.00	Break
14:00 – 15:30	Scenario Building Group Work – Session 1 Metodi Sotirov, University of Freiburg, Mireia Pecurul, CTFC
Day 2	Tuesday 13 July
Theme 2	Towards a Mediterranean forest-based bioeconomy

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10:00 – 10:10	<i>Recap and objectives for the day</i>
10:10 – 10:45	Biosphere Reserves and sustainable livelihoods Meriem Bouamrane, UNESCO Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Programme
10:45 – 11:20	The potential of Non-Wood Forest Products (NWFPs) in the Mediterranean Margarida Tomé, ISA, University of Lisboa
11:20 – 12:00	Interactive discussion & questions
12:00 – 14:00	Break
14:00 – 15:30	Scenario Building Group Work – Session 2 Metodi Sotirov, University of Freiburg, Mireia Pecurul, CTFC
Day 3	Wednesday, 14 July
Theme 3	Mediterranean forests for biodiversity and climate change adaptation
10:00 – 10:10	<i>Recap and objectives for the day</i>
10.10 – 10.45	Sustainable value from Mediterranean forests: an introduction to the Mediterranean bioeconomy Inazio Martinez de Arano, EFI Mediterranean Facility
10:45 - 11:20	Synergies in fire-water-biodiversity Bart Muys, Division of Forest, Nature and Landscape, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven
11:20 – 12:00	Interactive discussion & questions
12:00 – 14:00	Break
14:00 – 15:00	Key skills: Communication and presentation Sarah Adams, EFI Mediterranean Facility <i>Group work for final presentation</i>
Day 4	Thursday 15 July
Theme 4	Nature-based solutions for cities
10:00 – 10:10	<i>Recap and objectives for the day</i>
10:10 – 10:45	Green spaces and health: a scientific perspective Mireia Gascon, Barcelona Institute for Global Health
10:45 – 11:20	Ecological advanced buildings and biocities Vicente Guallart, IAAC
11:20 – 11:50	Urban and Peri-urban Forestry: Challenges and opportunities Simone Borrelli - FAO
11:50 – 12:20	Interactive panel discussion & questions
12.20 – 14:00	Break

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14:00 – 15:00 **Key skills: Leadership & gender perspectives**

Irina Prokofieva, CTFC

15:00 - 16:00 *Group work for final presentation*

Day 5 **Friday 16 July**

Theme 5 **Innovation for Mediterranean societies**

09:30 – 09:40 *Recap and objectives for the day*

09:40 – 10:20 **Social Innovation for a circular bioeconomy**

Laura Secco, University of Padova

10:20 – 11:00 **PRIMA, Research & Innovation for Mediterranean societies**

Octavi Quintana Tria, PRIMA Director

11:00 – 12:15 **Meet the innovators – Programmes and Testimonials**

Round table with Regional Activity Centre for Sustainable Consumption and Production (SCP/RAC), Giorgio Mosangini / IUCN Centre for Mediterranean Cooperation, Andrés Alcántara / Model Forest Network – Toni Ventre

12:15 – 14:00 Break

14:00 – 16:00 **Scenario Building: Final Group Presentations**

16:00 – 16:15 Closing remarks



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