

MedForum 2015 and EcoAdapt Project Final Conference
Demonstrating the implementation capacities of Model Forests: focus on Ecosystem-based Adaptation
12-16 October 2015, Valladolid, Palencia & Saldaña (Castilla y León, Spain)

DETAILED PROGRAMME OF ACTIVITIES

Arrival day

Sunday, October 11 in Valladolid (EcoAdapt partners)

Monday, October 12 in Palencia (MMFN partners)

DAY 1 (Monday, October 12, EcoAdapt partners)

Venue: Valladolid. Castilla y León Regional Government Headquarters. Consejería de Fomento y Medio Ambiente (www.medioambiente.jcyl.es). Rigoberto Cortejoso 14. Sala de Juntas

EcoAdapt Steering Committee (CIRAD/CATIE)

- 8:30 Registration
- 9:00 Session start
- 9:00 Opening words (Claudio Sandoval, SEPADE)
- 9:15 Budget review (Grégoire Leclerc, CIRAD)
- 9:30 Activity reports (all)
- 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:30 Activity reports (all, continued)
- 13:00 Objectives for the MedForum (Grégoire Leclerc, CIRAD & Mónica Coll, SEI Oxford)
- 13:30 Session end

- 13:30 Lunch

- 15:00 Session start
- 15:00 Scientific publications report
- 15:30 Communication & dissemination (Patricio Cabrera, FFLA)
- 17:00 Session end

- 19:00 Bus departure to Palencia

DAY 2 (Tuesday, October 13)

Venue: Palencia. La Yutera Campus, University of Valladolid (www.research4forestry.eu).
Av. de Madrid s/n, Palencia. Salón de Grados & Aula 3

MedForum 2015 and EcoAdapt Final Conference Opening

Venue: Salón de Grados

- 8:30 Registration
- 9:00 Session start
- 9:00 Welcome words (moderator: Riccardo Castellini, MMFNS)

MMFN Secretary
General Coordinator, EcoAdapt project
General Director, CESEFOR Foundation
IMFN Secretary
Deputy Rector, La Yutera Campus. University of Valladolid
Director General of Forests, Castilla y León Region

Training on Adaptation to Climate Change (CATIE)

- 9:45 Climate change adaptation at territorial level (Raffaele Vignola, CATIE)
- 11:00 Coffee break

Session: Input to UNFCCC COP21 (SEI Oxford)

Venue: Aula 3

- 11:30 Session start
- 11:30 Preamble (30 min, rapporteur Mariela Morales, CATIE)
- 11:30 COP21 and UNFCCC. Expectations for Paris (Monica Coll, SEI Oxford – 15 min)
Lessons learned on integration of actions EbA and CbA (1.5 h, rapporteurs Patricio Cabrera, FFLA)
- 11:45 Concepts and challenges in EbA and CbA (Monica Coll, SEI Oxford – 15 min)
- 12:00 Experiences and lessons from Model Forests
Bosque Modelo Jujuy (Graciela Giner, ABMJ – 10 min)
Bosque Modelo Chiquitano (Romy Cronenbold, FCBC – 10 min)
Bosque Modelo Araucarias del Alto Malleco (Claudio Sandoval, SEPADE – 10 min)
Forêt Modèle Ifrane (Abdelkrim Marzouk, Al Akhawayn University) 10 min
Plenary discussion – 5 min
- 12:45 Lessons brainstorming (Monica Coll, SEI Oxford & Mariela Morales, CATIE – 15 min)
- 13:00 Cluster analysis (Monica Coll, SEI Oxford & Mariela Morales, CATIE – 15 min)
- 13:15 CICERO Pavillion session at COP21 (Monica Coll Besa, SEI Oxford– 15 min)
- 13:30 Session end
- 13:30 Lunch
- 15:00 Session start
Lessons learned on policy incidence (1,5 h – rapporteur Claudio Sandoval, SEPADE)
- 15:00 Governance and relations between Ecoadapt adaptation strategies and national plans (out-scaling & up-scaling) (Patricio Cabrera, FFLA – 15 min)
- 15:15 Speed talks on incidence experiences (Monica Coll & Mariela Morales – 30 min)
- 15:45 Open discussion (Monica Coll & Mariela Morales – 30 min)
- 16:15 EC Pavillion Session at COP21 (Gregoire Leclerc, CIRAD – 15 min)
- 16:30 Session end

DAY 3 (Wednesday, October 14)

Session: Europe-LAC and South-South cooperation. Follow-up on adaptation to climate change (CIRAD/FFLA/CESEFOR)

Venue: Palencia. La Yutera Campus, University of Valladolid (www.research4forestry.eu).
Av. de Madrid s/n, Palencia. Aula 3

- 9:00 Session start
- 9:00 Session objectives and outline (Grégoire Leclerc, CIRAD)
- 9:05 Desk study on UE-LAC cooperation (Patricio Cabrera, FFLA)
- 9:15 Survey on cooperation with the UE (individual exercise, Grégoire Leclerc, CIRAD)
- 9:40 Perspectives of cooperation with the EU (autumn leaves, Patricio Cabrera, FFLA)
- 10:20 Introduction: Participatory exercise for project proposals (MMFNS – 10 min)
- 10:30 Coffee break
- 11:00 Synthesis of the previous day: cluster and national analysis (10 mins)

- 11:10 Participatory work (all - 50 mins)
Prioritisation of fields based on cluster analysis
Identification of cooperation means & ways
- 12:00 Sources of funding (Riccardo Castellini, MMFNS – 30 min)
- 12:30 Participatory work (all)
Scheduling
Expressions of interest
- 13:30 Session end

- 13:30 Lunch
- 14:30 Bus departure to La Olmeda Roman Villa

MMFN 2015 Assembly (MMFNS)

Venue: La Olmeda Roman Villa (www.villaromanalaolmeda.com). Pedrosa de la Vega,
Palencia. Sala de Conferencias

- 15:30 Session start
- 15:30 News from the IMFN (Christa Mooney, IMFN Secretariat)
- 15:45 MMFNS annual report (Miguel Segur, MMFNS)
- 16:00 Renewal of the MMFN Memorandum of Understanding (Stefano Berti, FMMF)
Discussion
Signature commitments
- 16:45 Wrap-up, next steps and concluding remarks
- 17:00 Presentation of the Páramos de Palencia Model Forest Initiative
- 17:20 New Model Forest ceremony (Bucak Model Forest, Turkey and Tlemcen Model Forest, Algeria)
- 17:30 Session end

- 18:00 Bus departure to lodging in Saldaña

- 20:00 Mayor of Saldaña's reception to participants

DAY 4 (Thursday, October 15). Field Trip (Palencia Model Forest Initiative)

Field Trip to the second Model Forest initiative in Castilla y León. A landscape overview.
Saldaña and Herrera de Pisuerga, Palencia

- 8:30 Bus departure from Saldaña
- 9:00 Water management and erosion control near Saldaña
- 10:00 Departure to Valdepoza
- 10:30 Visit to Valdepoza
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Adaptive forest management
Adaptation to climate change in a social context
- 12:30 Departure to Herrera de Pisuerga
- 13:30 Mayor of Herrera de Pisuerga's reception to participants
- 15:00 Adaptation to climate change in a forestry context
Water management in Herrera de Pisuerga
- 16:30 Bus departure to Palencia
- 17:30 Arrival to Palencia

DAY 5 (Friday, October 16, EcoAdapt partners)

Venue: Palencia. La Yutera Campus, University of Valladolid (www.research4forestry.eu).
Av. de Madrid s/n, Palencia. PVS Department Meeting Room

EcoAdapt Steering Committee (CIRAD/CATIE)

- 9:00 Session start
- 9:00 Reflection on MedForum's lessons and achievements
- 9:30 Operational planning 2015-project end
- 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:30 Session resume
- 12:45 Monitoring & evaluation
- 13:30 Session end

- 13:30 Lunch



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