

European Green Deal and Forests – Research views supporting policy-making

Time: 3 June 2021 at 12:00-13:45 CET

Platform: MS Teams

Natural Resources Institute Finland Luke's webinar will contribute to the ongoing discussion around the European Green Deal and forests by presenting insights from research. Contributions include topics such as a review of forest relevant targets in various EU policies and their implications to the forests in the EU, LULUCF, multiple-use forests, and provisioning of EU forest data.

PROGRAMME

Moderator Antti Asikainen, Executive Vice President, Research, LUKE Natural Resources Institute Finland

12:00 Welcoming words

Johanna Buchert, President & CEO, LUKE

12:10 European Green Deal and forests – the role of research in supporting policy-making

Nils Torvalds, Member of the European Parliament

12:25 Forest relevant targets in EU policy instruments – can progress be measured by the pan-European criteria and indicators for sustainable forest management?

Markus Lier, Research Scientist, LUKE

Estimating forest reference level for Finland and EU member states

Aleksi Lehtonen, Associate Professor, LUKE

Forest data sources – National Forest Inventories

Kari Korhonen, Principal Scientist, LUKE

Balancing between biodiversity, carbon sequestration and the use of natural resources – national and global perspectives

Anne Tolvanen, Professor, Programme leader, LUKE

12:55 A European reflection

Gert-Jan Nabuurs, Professor European Forest Resource, Wageningen University & Research

13:10 Discussion

13:40 Concluding remarks

Antti Asikainen, Executive Vice President, Research, LUKE

13:45 Closing

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