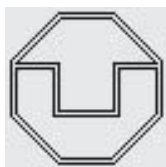
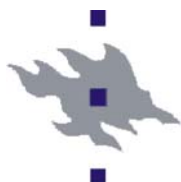


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INVITATION AND PROGRAMM

**Training, Networking and Capacity Building
for Sustainable Forestry in Povolgie**

Third international seminar

In the framework of EU TEMPUS IB_JEP-26038-2005

Monday 5 November, 2007

- 9.00 **Welcoming address from MarSTU**
- 9.10 **Welcoming address from Ministry of Foreign Affairs**
Larisa Polushina
Representative of MFA in Mari El
- 9.15 **Introduction of the third session and the program at MarSTU**
Prof. Eldar Kurbanov, RF project coordinator, MarSTU
- 9.40 **Valuing Natural Resources**
Prof. Edi Defrancesco
Dep. TESAF University of Padova (Italy)
- 11.00 **Coffee break**
- 11.30 **Policies & Strategies in Urbanised Forestry**
Dr. Cecil Konijnendijk, Woodscape Consult (Denmark)
- 12.40 **Lunch**
- 14.00 **Environmental problems concerning forestry industry in Finland**
Anna Kiiski, EU project coordinator, University of Helsinki, Palmenia Centre for Continuing Education, (Finland)
- 15.00 **Remote Sensing Applications in Forest Management**
Thomas Katagis, Lab of Forest Management and Remote Sensing of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Greece)
- 16.20 **Coffee break**
- 16.50 **Tempus team meeting**
- 18.00 **Dinner**

Tuesday 6 November

- 7.50 **Development of Forestry and Forest products in Europe**, Prof. A. Bemann, Dresden University of Technology, Faculty of Forest, Geo and Hydro Sciences, Germany
- 8.50 **Valuing Environmental Damage: an integrated economic framework**
Forest fire damage case
Prof. Edi Defrancesco
- 10.00 **Coffee break**
- 10.20 **The stratified type-oriented continuous forest inventory as a tool of forest management planning**
Prof. Andreas Bitter, Dresden Technological University, Faculty of Forest, Geo and Hydro Sciences, Germany
- 11.30 **Lunch**
- 12.00 **Visit to forest sites, dinner offered by the Ministry of forestry of Mari El, Russian sauna**
- 19.00 Return to the hotel

Wednesday 7 November

- 8.00 **Marketing and Branding in Urbanised Forestry**
Dr. C. Konijnendijk
- 9.10 **Planning and regionalisation on base of a type-oriented continuous forest inventory**
Prof. A. Bitter
- 10.20 **Coffee break**
- 10.50 **Short rotation on agricultural areas in Germany**, Prof. Bemann
- 12.00 **Lunch**
- 13.40 **Introduction to online communication**
Esa Lehtikoinen, University of Helsinki, Palmenia Centre for Continuing Education, (Finland)
- 15.00 **Coffee break**
- 15.30 **Social web and participation**, Esa Lehtikoinen
- 17.00 Meeting the MarSTU staff
- 18.30 **Farewell party**

Thursday 8 November

- 8.00 Dr. Igor Tukhov (on Russian)
- 9.10 **Coffee break**
- 9.30 **Forest recreation planning in the Taxiarchis University Forest of Halkidiki**
Thomas Katagis
- 10.40 **End of the seminar, conclusions**
- 11.00 **Lunch**
- 12.30 Spare time, excursions

Friday 9 November

- 8.00 Spare time, excursions, visit to the forest places
- 18.30 Departure to Moscow by train