

PROGRAMME

International Symposium on Intersectoral Cooperation for Resilient Landscapes

29-30 March 2023, ICFRE-FRI Dehradun

Time (hrs)	Wednesday, 29 March 2023 (Day 1)	
08.00 onwards	Registration	Venue: Registration Desk, ICFRE Auditorium
08.30- 11.00	Inaugural Session Venue : ICFRE Auditorium	
08.30-10.00	Lighting of lamp and welcome of dignitaries by presentation of bouquets Welcome and Introduction by Shri R.K. Dogra, Deputy Director General (Administration) and Director (in-charge), ICFRE-Forest Research Institute Address by the IUFRO President Dr. John Parrotta Address by Shri Arun Singh Rawat, Director General, ICFRE Address by Shri Subhash Chandra, Chief Executive Officer, Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority (CAMPA) Felicitation of Guests Vote of thanks by Dr. Dinesh Kumar, Organizing Secretary, IUFRO Symposium, ICFRE-FRI Dehradun	
10.00 - 10.10	Group Photograph ICFRE Front Lawn	
10.10- 11.00	High Tea at ICFRE Lawns	
11.00 – 19.00	Field Excursion Mussoorie hills <i>or</i> Rajaji National Park (choice communicated by delegate)	
19.30 – 22.00	Symposium Dinner Hotel Pacific, Subhash Road, Dehradun	

Time (hrs)	Thursday, 30 March 2023 (Day 2)	
09.00 – 10.00	Session 1: Technical Sessions	
Parallel sessions	Session 1-A Venue : ICFRE Board Room Theme : Biodiversity/nature conservation integration in FLR Session host: Dr. H.S. Ginwal, Scientist G and Dean, ICFRE-FRI, India	Session 1-B Venue : ICFRE Auditorium Theme : Intersectoral coordination in policy and planning for FLR Session host: Mr. Arun Singh Rawat, Director General, ICFRE, India
Lead Speaker 1	Dr. C. Achalender Reddy, Chairperson, National Biodiversity Authority, Min. of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, India Forest Landscape Restoration through Biodiversity Enrichment	Dr. Madhu Verma, Chief Economist, IORA Ecological Solutions, India Economics of Nature-Based Solutions as a Tool for Policy and Planning Resilient Landscapes
Lead Speaker 2	Dr. G.S. Rawat, former Dean, Wildlife Institute of India, India Approaches to restoration of degraded forest fragments in Northeast India	Mr. B.K. Singh, Additional Director General of Forest, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, India

Lead Speaker 3	Ms. Aditi Mishra, G.B. Pant National Institute of Himalayan Environment, India Nature-based solutions: A tool for Forest Landscape Restoration (FLR)	Mr. Franklin L Khobung, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, India
Lead Speaker 4	-	Dr Georg Rappold, Austrian Federal Ministry for Agri., For., Regions & Water Management, Austria Looking beyond the landscape – the role of the forest based value chain
	Discussion	Discussion
10.00 – 10.30	Tea/Coffee: ICFRE Lawns	
10.30 – 11.30	Session 2 : Technical Sessions	
Parallel sessions	Session 2-A Venue : ICFRE Auditorium Theme : Agriculture, agroforestry & food security Session host : Dr. Sanjeev Chauhan, Director (Research), Dr. YS Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, India	Session 2-B Venue : ICFRE Board Room Theme : Governance issues and stakeholder engagement in FLR Session host : Dr. Björn Hanell, Professor and Senior Advisor, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden
Lead Speaker 1	Dr. Chandrashekar Biradar, Country Director-India & Chief of Party-TOFI, CIFOR-ICRAF, India Tree based system approach for green economic transition	Dr. Steve Makungwa, Director of Centre for Applied Systems Analysis, Malawi Governance issues and stakeholder engagement in FLR
Lead Speaker 2	Dr. Monica Gabay, Coordinator IUFRO Division 9 National University of San Martin, Argentina The power of small: Role of Indigenous Peoples, local communities & small-holders in sustainable forest-related food systems	Mr. C.P. Reddy, Senior Additional Commissioner (Watershed Management) Department of Land Resources, Ministry of Rural Development, India
Lead Speaker 3	Dr. R.C Dhiman, State Coordinator-Haryana, TOF Program, CIFOR-ICRAF, India Opportunities and Challenges Related to Intersectoral Synergies for Agroforestry Expansion	Dr Mark Stephen John Broadmeadow, Head, Climate Change, Forestry Commission, UK Balancing forest expansion and nature recovery: recent policy/regulatory development and practice in England
	Discussion	Discussion
11.30 – 12.30	Session 3 : Poster Viewing Session Venue : ICFRE Lawns	
12.30 – 13.30	Buffet Lunch Venue : ICFRE Lawns	
13.30 – 14.30	Session 4 : Technical Sessions	
Parallel sessions	Session 4-A Venue : ICFRE Auditorium Theme : Water resources, soils conservation and mined land restoration Session host : Dr. Manisha Thapliyal, Scientist G, ICFRE-FRI, India	Session 4-B Venue : ICFRE Board Room Theme : Enhancing livelihoods, equity, and human well-being in FLR Session host : Dr. R.S. Rawat, Scientist E, ICFRE, India
Lead Speaker 1	Dr. Shirong Liu, Chinese Academy of Forestry, PR China Forest landscape restoration based on water-carbon synergy in Minjiang watershed of the upper reaches of Yangtze River	Mr. B.M.S. Rathore, Former PCCF, Madhya Pradesh and Former Chief Policy Advisor, ICIMOD, India
Lead Speaker 2	Dr. Sudhir Kumar, Deputy Director General (Extension), ICFRE, India Mined Land Restoration- ICFRE Experiences	Dr. Sugato Dutt, Former APCCF (Social Forestry & Extension), Tamil Nadu Forest Department, India Building resilience in the Western Ghats Ecosystems – communities and institutions

Lead Speaker 3	Dr. M. Madhu, Director, ICAR-Indian Institute of Soil & Water Conservation, India Water resources, soils conservation and mined land restoration for enhancing eco-system services	Discussion
	Discussion	
14.30 – 15.30	Session 5 : Technical Sessions	
Parallel sessions	Session 5-A Venue : ICFRE Board Room Theme : Building resilience to climate change and its impacts in FLR Session host : Dr. Promode Kant, Chairman, Expert Appraisal Committee (INFRA 2), MoEF&CC, India	Session 5-B Venue : ICFRE Auditorium Theme : Integrated/cross-sectoral education and training Session host : Dr. Michael Kleine, Deputy Executive Director IUFRO, Austria / Ms. Janice Burns, IUFRO-SPDC Deputy Coordinator, IUFRO, Austria
Lead Speaker 1	Dr. Hubert Hasenauer, Professor, University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Austria Europe's Forest Management under Climate Change: What options do we have?	Mr. Bharat Jyoti, Director, Indira Gandhi national Forest Academy, India Forestry Education and Training - Updation for Current and Emerging Challenges
Lead Speaker 2	Dr. P.K. Joshi, Professor, Jawaharlal National University, India Climate change mitigation potential of forest restoration in India - a critique	Mr. Steve Makungwa, Director of Centre for Applied Systems Analysis, Malawi
Lead Speaker 3	Dr. Wubalem Tadesse Wondrifaw, Lead Researcher, Ethiopian Forestry Development, Ethiopia Climate change impacts and Forest and Landscape Restoration efforts in Africa	Panel Discussion: Moderator Dr. Michael Kleine Dr. Cora van Oosten, Senior Project Manager, Wageningen Centre for Development Innovation, The Netherlands
	Discussion	Dr. Thilanka Gunaratne, Botany dept., University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka Ms. Annie Biju, International Forestry Students Association, India
15.30 – 16.00	Tea/Coffee : ICFRE Lawns	
16.00 – 17.00	Session 6 : Technical Sessions Venue : ICFRE Auditorium	
	Theme : Experiences/case studies of sectoral integration for building resilient landscapes Venue : ICFRE Auditorium Session host and Moderator: Dr. Somidh Saha, Senior Scientist, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT), Germany	
Lead Speaker 1	Dr. Shalini Dhyani, Scientist, CSIR-National Environmental Engineering Research Institute, Nagpur Maharashtra, India Multi-sectoral involvement in restoration for bolstering resilience for healthy landscapes	
Lead Speaker 2	Mr. Lokesh Jayaswal, PCCF, Telangana Forest Department, India	
Lead Speaker 3	Mr. Swayam Mallick, Deputy Project Director, Odisha Forestry Sector Development Project, Odisha State Forest Department, India Forest Landscape Restoration and Livelihood Promotion through Convergence: Learnings and Experiences from Odisha	
Lead Speaker 4	Mr. A.K. Isuru Jayantha, Department of Forest Conservation, Sri Lanka	
	Panel Discussion	
17.00 – 17.30	High Tea/Coffee : ICFRE Lawns	

17.30 - 18.30	Session 7 : Valedictory Session Venue : ICFRE Auditorium
17.30-18.30	<p>Session Organizers: Dr. John Parrotta President IUFRO and Mr. A.S. Rawat, Director General, ICFRE</p> <p>Synthesis, conclusion</p> <p>Short presentation about IUFRO 2024</p> <p>Vote of thanks by Dr. John Parrotta, President IUFRO and Dr. Michael Kleine, Deputy Executive Director IUFRO</p>