

# Timetable – FORESTA 2023



TIME (CET)	DAY 1 – MONDAY, 20 NOVEMBER 2023	DAY 2 – TUESDAY, 21 NOVEMBER 2023	DAY 3 – WEDNESDAY, 22 NOVEMBER 2023	DAY 4 – THURSDAY, 23 NOVEMBER 2023
8:00 – 10:00	Registration	8:30 Inauguration of the UNECE Petite Forest in San Marino	8:45 Drafting Group Session for the Market Statement	
10:00-13:00	<b>OPENING SESSION</b> Item 1 Opening and Adoption of the agenda Item 2 Biodiversity – Implications for forests in the ECE region	<b>JOINT ECE COMMITTEE/FAO COMMISSION MATTERS</b> Item 4 (c) Forest economics and markets – Panel discussion	<b>ECE Committee on Forests and the Forest Industry COFFI</b> <b>Item 5 Committee on Forests and the Forest Industry matters (Economic Commission for Europe)</b> (a) Matters arising since the last session: (b) Programme of work for 2024 and recommendations on key components of the programme of work for 2025 (c) Urban forestry and land matters (d) Update on boreal forest work (e) Gender, human rights and disability inclusion in forestry (f) Capacity-building and technical assistance (g) Election of officers (h) Date and place of next meeting (i) Any other business	<b>FAO EFC</b> <b>Item 6 (cont.)</b> (f) Forest biodiversity mainstreaming (g) Global processes and initiatives (h) Inputs to Food and Agriculture Organization governance and forestry strategic planning (i) Election of officers (j) Date and place of next meeting. (k) Any other business
13:00-15:00	LUNCH	<b>LUNCH</b> 13:30 Side event: “Seeds of change – Rethinking forests and cities”	<b>LUNCH</b> 13:30 Side event: “How to maximise embodied carbon in residential buildings”	LUNCH
15:00-18:00	<b>International and regional forest-related developments</b> Item 3 (a) The global and regional policy context (b) Fostering exchanges and cooperation among regional and international organizations on forest-related work relevant to the Integrated Programme of Work <b>JOINT ECE COMMITTEE/FAO COMMISSION</b> Item 4 (a) Global stocktaking of international forest work (b) Progress in preparation for the 2025 cycle of the Global Forest Resources Assessment and Joint pan-European data collection on forests and sustainable forest management	<b>JOINT ECE COMMITTEE/FAO COMMISSION MATTERS</b> Item 4 (cont.) (d) Reporting on the implementation of the 2021-2025 Integrated Programme of Work and related decisions: (i) Report of the Joint Working Party on Forest Statistics, Economics and Management (ii) Review of 2023 activities, and activities and publications planned for 2024 (iii) Initiation of a mid-term review of the Integrated Program of Work – Roadmap for the review process (iv) The contribution of forests and forest products to a circular bioeconomy (v) Forest damage in the ECE region (vi) Forest landscape restoration – updates (vii) Any other business	<b>FAO European Forestry Commission EFC</b> <b>Item 6 European Forestry Commission matters (Food and Agriculture Organization):</b> (a) Follow-up to the decisions of the forty-first session of the European Forestry Commission (b) Forestry activities of the Food and Agriculture Organization Regional Office for Europe and Central Asia (c) Progress of Silva Mediterranea and the European Forestry Commission Working Party on the Management of Mountain Watersheds (d) Main outcomes of the European Forestry Commission external review process (e) Integrated fire management	<b>JOINT ECE COMMITTEE/ FAO COMMISSION MATTERS</b> Item 7 Adoption of the joint session report Closing of the session 17:30 Cultural events
18:00	18:00 Opening of art exhibition by Ingrid Kaufmann 18:10 Reception & drinks hosted by the Republic of San Marino		18:00: Side event “The Public or Private Synergy for the valorization of the territory and the conservation of Biodiversity”	