



The European Forum on Urban Forestry (EFUF) May 17 – 20, 2022, Belgrade, Serbia

AGENDA

TUESDAY 17 MAY 2022, DAY 0, Venue: City hall, Stari dvor, Dragoslava Jovanovica 2, Belgrade

- 12:00-13:00** Registration - UrbanByNature South Eastern Europe kick-off event
- 12:30-13:30** Welcoming lunch and coffee
- 13:30-15:30** UrbanByNature South Eastern Europe kick-off event
- 15:30-16:00** Coffee break
- 16:00-18:00** UrbanByNature South Eastern Europe kick-off event
- 18:00-20:00** ICEBREAKER EFUF, Welcome Cocktail

WEDNESDAY 18 MAY 2022, DAY 1, Venue: Radisson Collection Hotel, Old Mill Belgrade, Bulevar vojvode Mišića 15, Belgrade, Congress hall

- 08:30-09:30** Registration of participants, coffee
- 09:30-11:00** Opening, Moderator: Ana Mitic Radulovic, CEUS
 - 09:30-09:40 Welcome remarks by City of Belgrade, Mayor Zoran Radojčić
 - 09:40-09:50 Thanks on behalf of EFUF – Clive Davis
 - 09:50-10:00 Introduction to green areas and field trips – Maja Jovanovic, Secretariat for Environmental Protection
 - 10:00-10:30 Dr Elisabeth Pötzelsberger, European Forest Institute
 - 10:30-11:00 Luka Sesel (UrbForDan, City of Ljubljana)
- 11:00-11:30** Coffee break
- 11:30-13:00** Plenary session
 - 11:30-12:00 Prof Dr Nevena Vasiljevic, Faculty of Forestry Belgrade-Why do we need urban green infrastructure? Case study of Belgrade
 - 12:00-12:30 Prof Dr Nenad Petrović, Faculty of Forestry Belgrade-Urban Forests and Forestry in Belgrade
 - 12:30-13:00 Prof Dr Ksenija Lalović, Faculty of Architecture Belgrade
- 13:00-14:00** Lunch
- 14:00 -18:00** Excursion to Avala, walking
Meeting venue: in front of the Hotel (back at the Hotel around 18:00)



18:00-19:00 EFUF Steering committee

THURSDAY 19 MAY 2022, DAY 2 Venue: Radisson Collection Hotel, Old Mill Belgrade, Bulevar vojvode Mišića 15, Belgrade

08:15-08:30 Registration of participants, coffee

08:30-10:00 Plenary sessions, Congress hall

- 08:30 Nerys Jones and Paul Nolan – The Evolution of Urban and Community Forests in England – the long and winding road
- 09:00 Haris Piplas – Integrated socio-ecological urbanism experiments for Balkan Cities
- 09:30 Rik De Vreese and Clive Davies – Urban Forests as Nature-Based Solutions: The Sino-European CLEARING HOUSE project

10:00-10:30 Poster session - Lightning talks, Congress hall

Moderator: Prof Dr Cecil Konijnendijk

- Vladan Popović, Aleksandar Lučić, Ljubinko Rakonjac and Sanja Jovanović – Genetic diversity of sessile oak from the AONB 'Avala' area estimated on the basis of acorn morphological traits
- Jerylee Wilkes-Allemand and Rolf Arnold – Trends in Outdoor Recreation – Challenges and Opportunities for Urban Forestry
- Susanne Raum, Monika Egerer and Stephan Pauleit – Urban tree insect pests and pathogens: a systematic review of impacts and emerging risks in a changing climate
- Claudia Becagli, Isabella De Meo and Alessandro Paletto – How can the principles of circular economy be implemented in urban green spaces?
- Marlène Boura – Advantages and limits of urban afforestation strategies for urban wildlife
- Ana Marija Marin, Martina Kičić, Dijana Vuletić and Silvija Krajter Ostoić – Perception of urban green space in Croatia
- Lotte Dijkstra and Gerdy Verschuure-Stui – What makes a Tree Avenue? design, planning, management and policymaking around tree avenues
- Klemen Strmšnik, Matjaž Harmel, Matevž Premelč, Luka Sešel and Maja Bovcon – Developing Urban and Peri-urban Forests Planning and Management Guidelines through a transnational project – What have we learned and what can we share with other cities?
- Rik De Vreese and Natalie M. Gulsrud – The NATURA network – a network of networks in Nature-based solutions for Urban Resilience in the Anthropocene
- Ljiljana Brasanac-Bosanac, Tatjana Cirkovic-Mitrovic, Nevena Cule, Aleksandar Lucic – Policies, measures and instruments for implementation of planning solutions relating to urban forests in Serbia

10:30-11:00 Coffee break



11:00-12:45 Parallel sessions Number 1, Congress hall

Theme: Health and environment

Moderator: Dr Jerylee Wilkes-Allemann

- Ana-Maria Popa, Ioan Cristian Ioja, Mihai Razvan Nita and Gabriel Ovidiu Vanau – Evaluating the potential of tree species to generate health disservices in urban parks
- Priscila Weruska Stark da Silva and Stephan Pauleit – Green infrastructure as a tool to achieve seasonal outdoor thermal comfort in Munich urban squares
- Alessandro Paletto, Claudia Becagli, Alessandro Casagli, Isabella De Meo and Maria Giulia Cantiani – Understanding the use of urban green spaces in the time of COVID-19: an experience from Italy
- Marijana Milutinović, Danijela Đunisijević-Bojović, Stojan Ivanović, Dragana Skočajić, Vesna Golubović-Ćurguz and Marija Marković – Estimation of air quality improvement potential of street trees in the Belgrade metropolitan area - case study of two New Belgrade boulevards

11:00-12:45 Parallel sessions Number 2, Congress hall

Theme: Urban Forest Techniques

Moderator: Prof Dr Bianca Baerlocher

- Isidora Simović, Jelena Tomićević-Dubljević, Ivana Živojinović, Maja Vujčić Trkulja and Oliver Tošković – Remote sensing tools for assessments of relation between quality of urban green areas and residents' health: Case study from Belgrade
- Paolo Semenzato, Valentina Brasola, Dina Cattaneo and Thomas Campagnaro – Estimating ecosystem services for different urban canopy cover scenarios: an application to the city of Padova (Italy)
- Naomi Zürcher – In Consideration of the Tree: The importance of structure and function in the realization of nature-based planning and Ecological Design
- Thomas Campagnaro, Yoan Paillet, Dina Cattaneo and Paolo Semenzato – Tree-related microhabitats in urban areas: preliminary results from urban parks in Padova (Italy)
- Milka Glavendekic and Uros Jakovljevic - Outbreaks of non-native Insects in Urban Forests in Serbia

11:00-12:45 Parallel sessions Number 3, First floor meeting room

Theme: Case studies

Moderator: Nerys Jones

- Udov Maks and Udovč Tin – Save Our Existing Living Urban Trees
- Jasmine Cardozo Moreira and Robert Burns – An urban land reclamation project resulting in social and economic benefits: Lake of Olarias in Ponta Grossa, Brazil
- Maddalena Scalera – Planning urban forests. Regulations and autonomies
- Anjoulie Brandner and Christoph Schunko – Planning and managing public urban green spaces for urban wild food foraging
- Péter Csépanyi, Gergely Lomniczi and István Rittling – Two decades of urban forestry around Budapest



12:45-14:00 Lunch

14:00 -18:00 **Excursion to Royal Family complex, Dedinje**
Meeting venue: in front of the Hotel (back at the Hotel around 18:00)

19:30 – 23:00 **Social Dinner**, Restaurant Kalemegdanska terasa
Meeting venue: in front of the Hotel at 19:30 (bus transfer)

FRIDAY 20 MAY 2022, DAY 3, Venue: Radisson Collection Hotel, Old Mill Belgrade, Bulevar vojvode Mišića 15, Belgrade

08:15-08:30 **Registration** of participants, coffee

08:30-11.00 **Parallel sessions Number 4**, Congress hall
Theme: Communicating the Urban Forest
Moderator: Prof Dr Alan Simson

- Clémence Dirac and Laura Ramstein – Trees management: Switzerland wants to create synergies between urban areas and forests
- Johan Östberg and Gustav Nässlander – How to organize, market and get acceptance for a large-scale tree planting campaign in a public housing area?
- Barbara Darr and Oliver Balke – The role of foresters in urban forests
- Robert Hostnik, Boštjan Hren – Communicating the Urban Forest: An Inside Narrative
- Martina Kičić, Ana Marija Marin, Dijana Vuletić, Silvija Krajter Ostoić – Co-creation of new knowledge through exploring perception and use of cultural ecosystem services of urban green infrastructure in the city of Zagreb, Croatia
- Roddy Shaw – Tree Cities of the World: a framework for progress, policy and professionalism
- Stefanie Steinebach – Do you have to turn the forest into money?

08:30-11.00 **Parallel sessions Number 5**, Meeting Room First Floor
Theme: Climate and sustainability
Moderator: Dr Rik De Vreese

- Eleonora Franceschi, Martin Honold, Astrid Moser-Reischl, Mohammad A Rahman, Stephan Pauleit, Hans Pretzsch and Thomas Rötzer – Influence of urban environment and climate change on tree growth of common urban tree species in Munich, Germany
- Marija Cvetinović, Nataša Đokić, Mirjana Utvić and Tanja Adnađević – Urban forest, a crucial element in climate change adaptation in cities – Belgrade case study



- Andrea Gion Saluz, Axel Heinrich, Tal Hertig and Stefan Stevanovic – Climate Species Lists – A combination of Methods for Urban Areas
- Dominik Kopeć, Łukasz Sławik, Alicja Gadawska and Martyna Wietecha – Remote sensing as a tool supporting urban greenery management from the continental to the city scale
- Konstantina Koulouri, Carlotta Conte, Bulent Ozel, Marko Petrovic, Oguzhan Yayla, Axel Nilsson and Gurden Batra – Trees as Infrastructure (TreesAI) A platform to value and invest in Nature: Carbon and beyond
- Mohammad A Rahman, Eleonora Franceschi, Astrid Moser-Reischl, Thomas Rötzer and Stephan Pauleit – Influence of Urban Green spaces in reducing thermal heat load across spatial and temporal gradient
- Paolo Viskanic, Gianluca Antonacci, Francesco Ferrini, Alessio Fini, Alice Pasquinelli and Piotr Wezyk – LIFE URBANGREEN: efficient urban green management tools for adaptation to climate change

08:30-11.00 Parallel sessions Number 6, Congress Hall

Theme: Urban forestry and society

Moderator: Chris Baines

- Jelena Tomićević-Dubljević, Arne Arnberger, Ivana Živojinović and Nevena Nikolić – A comparative study between Belgrade and Vienna on resident's attitudes on health effects of urban green spaces
- Jurij Kobe, Tina Simoncic, Robert Hostnik, Matjaz Harmel, Luka Sesel and Samo Skerjanec – Building capacity: Applying co-governance model in urban forest of Ljubljana, Slovenia
- Eugenia Vidal-Casanovas and Laura Cid – Llobregat & Co-living co-creation laboratory: AMB contribution to the H2020 CLEARING HOUSE Project.
- Erdoğan Atmiş, Cihan Erdönmez – Public Participation in the Management of Urban Forests: Ecosystem Based Management Plan Prepared by Local People
- Isabella De Meo, Claudia Becagli, Maria Giulia Cantiani and Alessandro Paletto – Exploring citizens' attitudes toward peri-urban forests in the era of pandemic emergency
- Rita Sousa-Silva, Elyssa Cameron, Alain Paquette – Planting thousands of trees is great – but only if we do it right.
- Colm O'Driscoll, Ilaria Doimo, Corina Basnou, Maria Chiara Pastore – Uforest Alliance to promote innovation capacity among universities, cities, and businesses to deliver a new interdisciplinary approach to UF in Europe.
- David Elliott, Klaudija Alasauskaite and Donath Kwitonda – Growing Life Skills: Nursery Development and Tree Planting in Urban Rwandan Schools.

11.00 -11.30 Coffee break

11.30 - 12.45 **Closing session, Congress hall**



- 11:30 Clive Davies and Bianca Baerlocher – conference summary, 2022 European Young Urban Forester of the Year Award, Business from the international steering group, Launch of new EFUF website.
- 12:00 Closing Talk: Prof Dr Cecil Konijnendijk – The 3-30-300 rule

12.45-14.00 Lunch

14.00-17.00 **Excursion Topčiderski park, Park Ušće, Friendship park**
Meeting venue: in front of the Hotel at 14:00 pm from hotel by bus

17.30 - 20.00 Boat ride, Concluding snack

SATURDAY 21 MAY 2022, DAY 4

08:30 Departure for Excursion, by bus from Hotel

09:30 **Post-conference Excursion** - Museum of Srem, Sremska Mitrovica, Zasavica, Vojvodina

19:00 Arrival at Belgrade