

GROW TOGETHER

Event program

Day 1, Tuesday June 7th 2022

2:00 – 4:00 pm	Welcome reception
From 3:00 pm	Hotel check-in at the TRICO® hospitality desk
4:00 – 4:30 pm	Welcome statement by Kwizda Agro
4:30 – 5:30 pm	Keynote speech
	Grow together: what we can learn from the mother tree
	Suzanne Simard, Professor of Forest Ecology at British Colombia
	University
5:30 – 6:00 pm	Keynote speech
	The Forest Fiber Industry – Sustainable and Circular
	Hans Grieshofer, Head of Department for Resource Policy at the
	Austrian Pulp and Paper Industry Association (Austropapier)
6:00 – 6:10 pm	Closing
6:10 – 6:55 pm	Free time
6:55 pm	Meet in the hotel lobby
7:00 – 11:30 pm	Dinner at Rosi's Sonnbergstuben
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Day 2, Wednesday June 8th 2022

7:00 – 9:00 am	Breakfast at the hotel restaurant
9:00 – 9:25 am	Opening

Who owns the forest? Vision and reality of reforestation					
9:25 – 10:45 am	Panel discussion				
	Peter Mayer, Federal Forest Research Center				
	Brian Roth, Forest Research Consultant				
	 Anna Treschow, Federation of Swedish Family Forest Owners 				
10:45 – 11:00 am	Coffee break				
11:00 – 12:00 am	Inspirational journey				
	 Effect of climate change on forest management hosted by Stefan Hunziker, Climate Scientist 				
	 Forest management and reforestation in the US hosted by Tom Fox, Fox Forestry and Scot McGuire, Consultant 				
	 Nurseries – current state and future changes hosted by Tobias Fiebig, LIECO 				
12:00 – 1:30 pm	Lunch at the hotel restaurant				





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1:30 – 3:00 pm	Panel discussion			
	Sabrina Dietz, European Federation for Hunting and Conservation (FACE)			
	Tom Fox, Fox Forestry			
	Stig-Olof Holm, Umea University			
	Florian Noll, Bavarian State Forest Enterprise			
	Uwe Sayer, FSC Germany			
3:00 – 3:15 pm	Coffee break			
3:15 – 4:15 pm	Inspirational journey			
	An introduction to TRICO® hosted by Gary Jobling, Product Manager			
	Repellents Kwizda Agro			
	Results of American academic studies about TRICO® hosted by Julia Hengl,			
	Specialist Biological Development Kwizda Agro			
	TRICO® and the inspirational journey to restore the American Chestnut tree to			
	its native range hosted by Brian Roth, Forest Research Consultant			
4:15 – 4:45 pm	Closing			
4:45 – 6:55 pm	Free time			
6:55 pm	Meet in the hotel lobby			
7:00 – 11:30 pm	Dinner at Kitzhof			
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Day 3, Thursday June 9th 2022

7:00 - 9:00 am	Breakfast at the hotel restaurant
9:00 – 9:30 am	Hotel check-out at the TRICO® hospitality desk
9:30 am	Meet in the hotel lobby
9:30 - 9:50 am	Transfer to Hahnenkammbahn
9:50 – 12:35 pm	Experience tour: The Streif Downhill Hike with closing message
12:35 – 1:30 pm	Return to the hotel
1:30 – 2:30 pm	Lunch at the hotel restaurant
From 2:30 pm	Individual departure





Moderator



Andreas Jäger is a prominent presenter and author. After completing his meteorology degree in Innsbruck, he embarked on a career in national radio and television. While there he hosted several documentations dedicated to weather and climate change. His new book "Alpen in Fieber", focuses on climate change in the Alps.

Keynote Speakers

Suzanne Simard is a Professor of Forest Ecology at the University of British Columbia and the leader of The Mother Tree Project, which researches forest renewal practices that protect biodiversity against climate change. The main focus of her research is on the below ground fungal networks that connect trees and facilitate underground inter tree communication and interaction.





Hans Grieshofer is Head of Department for Resource Policy at the Austrian Pulp and Paper Industry Association (Austropapier). The focus of his work is on chairing working groups in the areas of wood, recycled paper and certification. He is also a member of the steering team in the Cooperation Platform Forest, Wood and Paper (FHP).





Who owns the forest? Vision and reality of reforestation Panel Speakers

Peter Mayer studied forestry at the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences in Vienna and political science at the Institute for Advanced Studies (IHS). First stations were the Ministry of Life, the organization of the Ministerial Conference on the Protection of Forests in Europe in 2003 and director of IUFRO. Since 2010 he has been head of the Federal Research Center for Forests (BFW) in Austria. In addition, Peter Mayer is a member of the GTZ advisory group "International Forest Policy", chairman of the steering group of the Global Forest Expert Panels initiative within the framework of CPF, and was a lecturer in the master's program for European forestry.





Brian Roth is an independent forest research consultant, based in Alberta, Canada. He has over 30 years of experience in North America working for private industry, government and academia advancing applied research in the areas of forest regeneration and silviculture. Brian holds a Doctorate from the University of Florida in Production Ecology, a master's degree in Forest Science from Oregon State University and a bachelor's degree in Forest Management from the University of Alberta. He currently directs the Forest Growth Organization of Western Canada (FGrOW) and volunteers on the board of directors for several non-profit forestry organizations including SeedTree in Nepal and the Maine Chapter of the American Chestnut Foundation.





Anna Treschow was a commercial lawyer at LRF Konsult before leading the Treschow Law Firm with a focus on commercial law. Today Anna

Treschow is the Policy Expert at the Federation of Swedish Family Forest Owners. She is also a lecturer at the Department of Real Estate Law at Lund University.



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Inspirational Journey Speakers



Tobias Fiebig has been working at Lieco, a leading supplier of seedlings and forestry services in German speaking countries, since 2019. Prior to that he was a game keeper at various estates. Tobias has a strong understanding of silvicultural practices through his forestry studies in Sweden. The combination of biological and ecologic knowledge as well as silviculture build a sound foundation with space for personal development. Currently he is participating in logistics and administration plus various innovative projects such as "How to become plastic free".





Tom Fox, owner of Fox Forestry, has been revolutionizing the forest management and forest products industry since 1996. They specialize in innovative forest management projects in both the private and public sectors. Their experience is showcased best along the coast of Maine and the Canadian Maritimes where they consistently develop and implement forest management solutions specific to their regions. Fox Forestry is known globally for their ability to combine their personal knowledge and experience with the world's leading brands of forestry equipment. Tom has traveled the world studying industry professionals and specific manufacturing companies creating an interesting combination of successful forestry equipment sales and forestry services. In short, the Fox Forestry crew is a unique group of professional foresters, timber harvesting professionals, nursery and planting staff, as well as professional sales representatives ready to assist with answers to almost every forestry need you may have!





Stefan Hunziker is a climate scientist. For the last four years, he has worked at the Swiss Federal Institute for Forest, Snow and Landscape Research, part of the ETH Zurich domain. Stefan's research is focused on atmosphere-forest interaction, particularly on drought effects and on climate and forest monitoring.





Scot McGuire formed the consulting company MCS in 2017 with the mission to bring talented and driven people together to form innovative products and B2B/B2C solutions that enable positive and sustainable results. Combining more than 27 years of experience in the USA, EU and China as General Manager, Sales Director, Project Manager and Product Development Specialist in different industries, In the last years, Scot has worked as a consultant, introducing TRICO® to the forest industry in the USA and Canada.



Living in harmony: Reforestation, regeneration & deer management in the future

Panel Speakers



Sabrina Dietz received her Master's degree in Applied Ecology at Hogskolen i Innlandet. Over the next four years she worked as a field technician at Alka Wildlife and then led a project at ByBi Norway. Sabrina returned to her studies as a research assistant at the University of Oxford before moving to the European Federation for Hunting and Conservation (FACE) as Wildlife Policy Assistant. In 2020, she became the Wildlife Policy Officer at FACE.





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Stig-Olof Holm is an associate professor at the Department of Ecology and Environmental Sciences at Umea University. His fields of expertise are sustainable forest management, wildlife biology and management, alpine ecology, ecosystems, ecology and biodiversity, agriculture and animal welfare. He is also involved in a European research project which compares mixed tree species forests with tree monocultures with respect to different forest ecosystem services.





Florian Noll completed his bachelor's degree in International Forest Ecosystem Management at the University of Applied Sciences Eberswalde. He then went on to study a master's degree in Forestry at the University of British Colombia. Between 2010 and 2014 he worked as a logging engineer at Interfor and senior Engineer at Meridian Forest Services Ltd. As an abstractor, Florian collated and analyzed data on various aspects of timber evaluation, planning and appraisals, wildlife management and forest planning. He now manages the Service Centre at the Bavarian State Forest Enterprise.





Uwe Sayer studied Forest Sciences at the University of Freiburg and earned his doctorate in Ecology, where his work was awarded the Camillo Schneider Prize. He has been working for FSC Germany since 2000 and in 2002 he was appointed Managing Director. As part of his work, Uwe Sayer has steered the international offices through various mandates, including the European coordination of the national FSC representations and more recently the representatives of the worldwide FSC organizations in to the International FSC board.





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Inspirational Journey Speakers

Julia Hengl is the Specialist in Biological Development responsible for all Repellent projects at Kwizda Agro GmbH. By growing up on a family farm in Lower Austria she learned all the practical aspects of agriculture and plant protection. During the bachelor's degree Agricultural Sciences and the subsequent master's degree in Phytomedicine at the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna (BOKU) she focused more on research and development. She has been with Kwizda Agro for the last three years. Her role is to manage the development of the repellent products for the agricultural and forestry portfolio.





Gary Jobling is the Product Manager responsible for Repellents as part of the New Tech group at Kwizda Agro GmbH. He has over 30 years of agricultural experience, working in a range of functions including trialling, technical support, sales and marketing. He has been with Kwizda Agro GmbH for the last two years. His role is to manage the long term objectives of the Repellents team with their seed treatment and forestry portfolio.





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