Dear Colleagues,

we would like to invite you to the

International Scientific Conference
Forests in Science, Practice and Education

organised on the occasion of the first centenary of the Faculty of Forestry in Warsaw.

The conference aims to (i) look at the path that forestry and forests went through the last 100 years, (ii) assess the current state of forest science, education and management, iii) as well as to discuss the future challenges for forest practice and science at local, regional and global scale under observed socio-environmental changes. The main topics, that we would like to address and discuss during the conference include:

- **Silvicultural concepts across diverse climate zones**
  and their implications for stand structure and dynamics (co-organised by CARE4C research consortium)
- **Forest use and engineering – challenges and society expectations**
- **Current and future threats to forests**
- **Biodiversity in forest ecosystems**
- **Perspectives in forest education**
- **Forest products and services – planning and implementation**

The conference will be held between 18 and 19 June, 2019 on the campus of the Warsaw University of Life Sciences–SGGW.

We would like also to invite you to participate in the pre- and post-conference excursions that will take place in the Forest Experimental Station in Rogów (16-18 June) and one of the most famous lowland forests in Europe – the Bialowieża Forest (19-22 June).

**We would be pleased to welcome you to Poland.** For the further information, please see the information below and visit the conference web page:

100years.wl.sggw.pl

Please do not hesitate to pass this information to any person you think may be interested

Yours sincerely

[Signature]

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Dean of the Faculty of Forestry in Warsaw
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Important information and dates

Conference fees:

Early-Bird Registration: 135 EUR
Students/PhD students: 100 EUR (valid only for early-bird registration)
Regular fee: 160 EUR

Pre-conference trip to the Experimental Forest Station in Rogów

We would like to invite you to the place where the number of research plots have been established, generations of Polish forestry students have improved their practical skills, and the history of the Forest Faculty of WULS–SGGW has begun and continued until today.

date: 16–18 June
cost: 170 EUR (transportation, accommodation and all meals)
Remarks: The return to Warsaw is planned for 18 June in the morning (departure from Rogów at 9:00).

Post-conference trip to the Białowieża Forest

We are going to show you one of the most famous remnant of European natural lowland forests and area of large bark beetle outbreak. The place where nature conservation and forest management have met and coexisted for centuries. Both parts of Białowieża Forest (strictly protected and managed ones) will be presented.

date: 19–22 June
cost: 300 EUR (transportation, accommodation and all meals)
Remarks: The excursion starts just after the main conference and the departure to Warsaw is scheduled for 22 June, 1:00 p.m.

Key Dates:

Abstract Submissions deadline: 28 February 2019
Notification of abstract acceptance for oral and poster presentations: 15 March 2019
Early-Bird Registration: 1–30 April 2019
Standard Registration: 1–31 May 2019

Conference language: English

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