DETECTION AND CONTROL OF FOREST INVASIVE ALIEN SPECIES IN A DYNAMIC WORLD

International conference organised by the project LIFE ARTEMIS 25–28 September 2019, Ljubljana, Slovenia

About the Conference

We are pleased to announce the international conference **Detection and control of forest invasive alien species in a dynamic world**. The conference is organised in the framework of project LIFE ARTEMIS. It will be held in Ljubljana, Slovenia, from 25 to 28 September 2019. We will dedicate the first three days to presentations and workshops. On the last day, we will organise a field trip.

The conference will offer an engaging platform for researchers, policymakers and practitioners, working on early detection and control of forest invasive alien species (IAS). The conference will present the latest developments regarding methods for early detection of alien species and aspects of early warning and rapid response systems.

Topics of the Conference

- Alert lists of alien species
- Information systems to record alien species
- Development of institutional frameworks for early warning and rapid response to IAS
- Understanding and mobilising public participation for early detection and management of IAS
- Mitigation and control of IAS

During the conference, we will organise workshops on advances in methods to detect IAS, management of IAS at hot-spots and on the development of institutional frameworks for the management of IAS.

Registration and fees

If you are interested in participating, please apply through our online registration form, which you can find at **ias-conference.si/register**. Please note that you should also register in case you plan to attend only part of the conference. The deadline for registration is **30 August 2019**. The conference is organised in the framework of project LIFE ARTEMIS and is therefore free of charge for all participants. However, travel costs, accomodation and food are not included.

Organisers of the Conference

The confrence is organised by the partners of project LIFE ARTEMIS: Slovenian Forestry Institute, Institute of the Republic of Slovenia for Nature Conservation, Slovenia Forest Service and Institute Symbiosis.

The conference is co-financed by the European Union in the framework of the financial mechanism LIFE, Ministry of the Environment and Spatial Planning, the City of Ljubljana, Slovenian Research Agency and the project partners.

Key dates

Call for abstracts: 15 January 2019 Abstract submission deadline: 15 May 2019 Notification of acceptance: 30 June 2019 Registration deadline: 30 August 2019 Conference dates: 25–28 September 2019



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