

Seed Orchards

The Key Stage in Forest Tree Breeding and Sustainable Forest Management

 **May 20-24, 2024**

 **Brasov, Romania**

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to invite you to the IUFRO Seed Orchard Conference 2024.

Organized by the National Institute for Research and Development in Forestry "Marin Dracea", this scientific event aims to focus on the role of seed orchards in forest tree breeding and forest management under climate change and other societal challenges' effects.

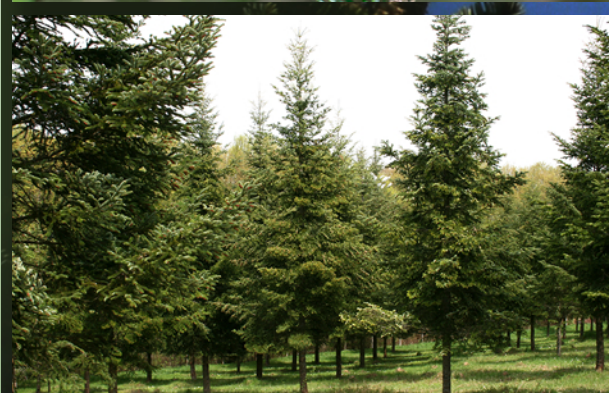
The conference will cover a large range of topics, including but not limited to:

- Seed orchard design
- Mating patterns & gene flow using molecular markers
- Reproductive phenology and seed production
- Genetic gain & diversity of seed orchards crops
- Genomics analysis
- Effect of management on cone production
- Cones' and seeds' insects and diseases
- Relationship with other forest issues

We will follow with more information as soon as our website is completed.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Brasov!

Sincerely yours,
Organizing Committee



Conference partners:



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