

CONGRESS TOPIC

“Forest pedagogics – thinking global, acting local”



The 6TH INTERNATIONAL FOREST PEDAGOGICS CONGRESS in Freising continues with a tradition established in 2006: After the start in Sopron, Hungary, congresses took place in Finland, Switzerland, Austria and Luxemburg.

Hosting organisations are the Subgroup Forest Pedagogics of the Forest Communicators Network (FCN), the Bavarian Forest Administration and the German Association for the protection of Forests and Woodlands (SDW). Under the subject “*Forest pedagogics – thinking global, acting local*” current concepts, research topics and developments in forest pedagogics and the education for sustainable development (ESD) will be presented and discussed. Approaches of different countries will be presented to, and discussed by the participants in order to be integrated into the day-to-day work. The congress was accredited by the German UNESCO Committee as part of the UN-Decade of Education for Sustainable Development.

EXCURSION PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY, 27 JULY 2011

1 | Bavarian Forest National Park
Wilderness camp, Hans-Watzlik-Hain, Forest-Adventure-Trail
Full-day excursion | English

2 | “House of the Forest” in Stuttgart
Exhibition and concept
Full-day excursion | English

3 | Forest-Adventure-Centre Grünwald (near Munich)
Concept of forest pedagogic facilities
Ends in the early afternoon (approx. 14.30) | German

HOSTING ORGANISATIONS

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6TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS IN FOREST PEDAGOGICS 2011

“Forest pedagogics – thinking global, acting local”

July 25th to 26th 2011 | Freising



CONFERENCE

Date

July 25th to 26th 2011 | Optional arrival (at) Sunday July 24th
Excursion day (at) July 27th

Hosting organisations

Forest Communicators Network (FCN), Subgroup Forest Pedagogics | German Association for the protection of Forests and Woodlands (SDW) | Bavarian Forest Administration

Conference venue and accommodation

Bildungszentrum Kardinal-Döpfner-Haus, Domberg 27, 85354 Freising, Germany | Phone +49-8161-181-0
www.forestpedagogics.eu

Online-Registration

Registration closes **June 1st 2011**. Register online at

www.forestpedagogics.eu

Registration is also required for the **Market of Possibilities**.

Target audience

The congress is designed for experts in forest pedagogics and education for sustainable development (ESD), especially managers and employees of educational institutions and -networks, foresters and other interested professionals.

Moderation

Thomas Baschny, Christoph Rullmann, Dirk Schmechel

Conference languages

Conference languages are German and English. Lectures will be translated simultaneously. Workshops and excursions are held either in English or German. Please choose respectively as there will be no translation.

Conference fee

July 24 th – 26 th and 25 th – 27 th	100,- €
July 25 th – 26 th	70,- €
July 24 th – 27 th	130,- €
without accommodation (July 25 th – 26 th)	50,- €
without accommodation (July 25 th – 27 th)	80,- €




SUNDAY, 24. JULY 2011

20.00 "Get-together" at a restaurant in Freising (for participants arriving early)

MONDAY, 25 JULY 2011

from 09.00 **Market of Possibilities**
 09.00 **Arrival with coffee and Bavarian Brezels**
 10.00 **Opening speech**

Helmut Brunner | Bavarian Minister of State for Nutrition, Agriculture and Forestry; Congress patron | *Forest pedagogics in the context of the International Year of Forests* |  **German**

10.20 **Moderated opening panel**
 Panel members:

Helmut Brunner | Bavarian Minister of State for Nutrition, Agriculture and Forestry


Dr. Wolfgang von Geldern | SDW

Ingwald Gschwandtl | FCN

Peter Lohner | Federal Ministry for Nutrition, Agriculture and Consumer Protection


Dieter Thalhammer (requested) | Mayor of the city of Freising


11.00 **Lectures and discussion I**

Prof. Ute Stoltenberg | University of Lüneburg | *Forest pedagogics in a global context – implemented locally* |  **German**

12.00 **Lunch break**

13.30 **Lectures and discussion II**


Herbert Christ | German Society for International Cooperation GIZ
Forests connect – Forests define culture, culture shapes forests
 **German**


Mónica Hinojosa & Lukas Laux | Bavarian Forest National Park
From Bavaria to Panama – Forest pedagogic concepts and methods around the globe |  **German**


Ingwald Gschwandtl | Head of EU-FCN
The EU-Forestry-PR-Strategy of the Standing Forestry Commission – relevance for forest pedagogics |  **English**

15.30 **Coffee break**

16.00 **Lectures and discussion III**

Prof. Robert Vogl | University of Applied Sciences Weihenstephan
Prof. Heinz Mandl | Ludwig Maximilian University Munich
Evaluation of forest pedagogic programmes as a component of ESD |  **German**

Katia Meunier-Caille | Opération interministérielle "A l'école de la forêt", France
A l'école de la forêt – Integration and connection of ESD in forest pedagogic programmes in France |  **English**

Berthold Reichle | "House of the Forest", Stuttgart
The exhibition CityForestWorld – Concept and experiences
 **Deutsch**

18.00 **Introduction to the forums**

ca. 20.00 **Evening programme**

TUESDAY, 26 JULY 2011

08.30 **Forums I**

10.00 **Coffee break**

10.30 **Forums II**

12.30 **Lunch break**

13.30 **Forum results**

15.30 **Final discussion and future perspectives**




from 16.00 **Departure** for participants not attending an excursion
Guided city- or cathedral-tour for participants attending an excursion

FORUMS




The forums aim to present innovative best-practice-examples and act as a panel for intensive experience exchange between participants and forum leaders. The participants will develop recommendations for forest pedagogic practice, especially focusing on the improved implementation of ESD aspects in forest pedagogic programmes






1 | Forest and climate(change)

 **Silke Hackenberg** (Educational-Institution, Babenhausen)
Albin Huber (Bav. Forest Administration)
 **Forest Climate Centre Freising** |  **German**
 Practical examples of how to use current research topics in forest pedagogics




2 | Forest and history

 **Raymund Filmer** (Bav. Forest Administration),
Herbert Rudolf (Bav. State Forest Enterprise)
 **Kranzberg Forest** |  **German**
 Use of historic sites and history in forest pedagogics




3 | Forest and home

 **Clare Nugent** (University of Stirling, Scotland),
Handan Anapa (TEMA Foundation, Germany)
 **State Aboretum Freising** |  **English**
 Forest pedagogics for participants with migratory background |
 How different lifestyles influence our perception of forests




4 | Forest and nature conservation

 **Ulli Sacher-Ley, Axel Schreiner**
 (Friends of the Earth Bavaria, Germany)
 **Conference centre** |  **German**
 Forest pedagogics between forest use and conservation –
 integrating approaches for competing interests

5 | Forest and New Media

 **Anna Pikus** (Polish Forest Service),
Nina Ree-Lindstadt (Forestry Extension Institute, Norway)
 **Conference centre** |  **English**
 Use and benefit of facebook, twitter and other new media
 in forest pedagogics | Forest pedagogic online games |
 Geocaching and forest pedagogics

6 | Forest and education

 **Marcel Fierz** (SILVIVA e.V., Switzerland),
Nicole Fürmann (German Association for the Protection
 of Forests and Woodlands SDW)
 **Conference centre** |  **English**
 Minimum standards for forest pedagogic programmes
 in Europe