

3RD EUROPEAN FOREST WEEK - SILVA2015: THE VALUE OF FORESTS

JOINT SESSION OF THE UNECE COMMITTEE ON FORESTS AND THE FOREST INDUSTRY (COFFI) AND THE FAO EUROPEAN FORESTRY COMMISSION (EFC)

2-6 November, 2015

Engelberg, Switzerland













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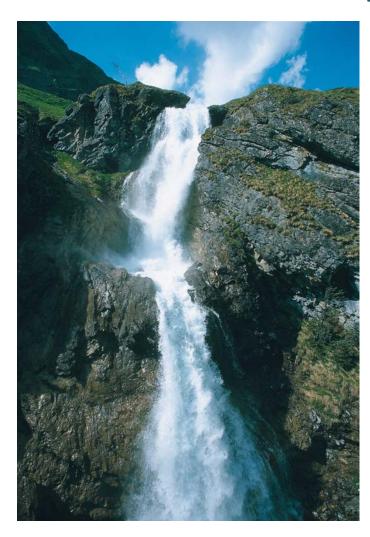


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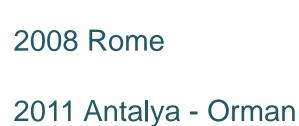


UNECE/FAO Joint Session:











2013 Rovaniemi - Metsä



2015 Engelberg - Silva

2017





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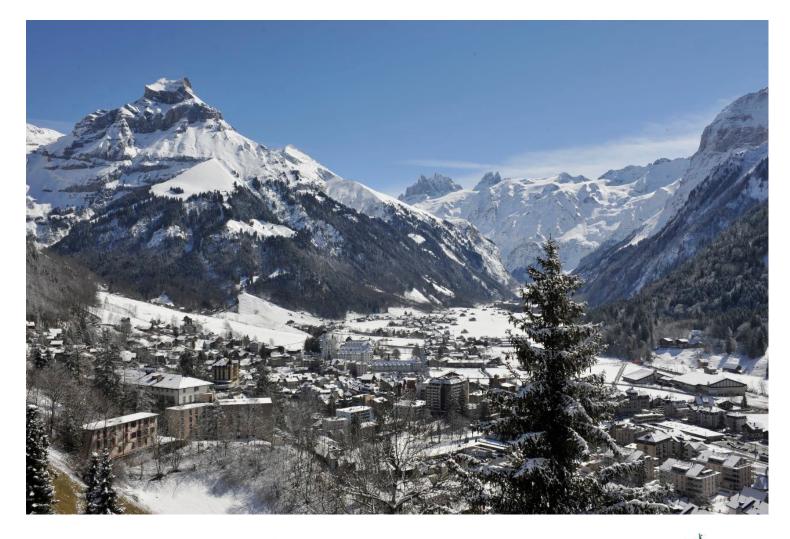






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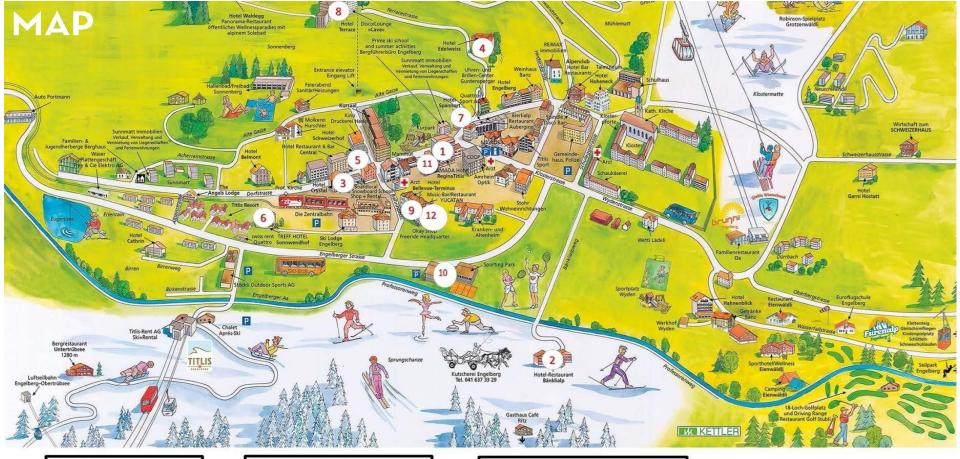
Engelberg – in the heart of Switzerland











Hotels:

- 1 Ramada
- 2 Bänklialp
- 3 Crystal 4 Edelweiss
- 5 Schweizerhof
- 6 Sonnwendhof 7 Spannort 8 Terrace

- 9 Bellevue

Congress Center:

10 Sporting Park Engelberg

IBreakout Rooms:

- 11 Ramada
- 12 Bellevue





Agenda points for Silva 2015 UNECE/FAO Joint Session:



- Market Discussions
- Implementation of the Rovaniemi Action Plan –
 Forest Sector in a Green Economy
- Implementation of the UNECE/FAO joint work programme 2014-2017 - review
- Global issues SDGs, IAF/UNFF11, ...
- FAO European Forest Commission technical & housekeeping
- UNECE COFFI housekeeping
- Any other bussiness



Possible themes for EFW in Engelberg:

Valorisation and resilience of forest ecosystems and its services

- Protection against natural hazards and disaster risk reduction
- Preservation of clean water
- Conservation and enhancement of biodiversity
- Mitigation of climate change
- Contribution to human health and well-being



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DRAFT PROGRAMME

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TIMETABLE

MONDAY / Nov 2
OPENING DAY

TUESDAY / Nov 3
PRIVATE SECTOR DAY

WEDNESDAY / Nov 4
FOREST ECOSYSTEM
SERVICES

THURSDAY / Nov 5
IMPLEMENTATION
AND DECISIONS

FRIDAY / Nov 6
EXCURSIONS

MORNING SESSION 9.00-12.00 Opening ceremony

Information

Recommendations

Wood and Wood Products:

Markets & investments

Recommendations

Disaster Risk Reduction, Natural Hazards

Watershed Management

Recommendations

Joint COFFI/EFC for decision

Recommendations

12.00-14.00

Report on FRA (tbc)

Reports

Report of WFC (FAO)

Information on activities

AFTERNOON SESSION 14.00-17.30

From Global to Regional

Recommendations

EFC for decision

Forest Ecosystem

Services Markets &

Markets & investments

Recommendations

EFC for decision

Biodiversity maintenance

Climate change

Recommendations

EFC for decision

COFFI for decision

Joint COFFI/EFC for decision

Closing Ceremony

EVENING

Village tour Gala dinner

Apero + Quiz night
Monastery concert

Trip Bruni Gondola with Gäms fondue

Free evening Bureau meeting

EXCURSIONS



Short duration (8.00-12.00)

Excursion 1:

PROTECTIVE FOREST

Importance and management/cultivation of protective forests in the world-renowned mountain tourist resort of Engelberg.

Excursion 2:

USE OF WOOD FOR BUILDINGS AND ENERGY

Buildings, wood fuels, Pilatus Aircraft

Excursion 3:

MOUNTAIN - WATER - FOREST - LANDSCAPE

Change of settlement structure, change of landscape, requirements on protective forest.

Long duration (8.30-16.00)

Excursion 4:

RISK MANAGEMENT AND FOREST

Risk concept, cycle of integrated risk management, integrated action planning.

Excursion 5:

FOREST BIODIVERSITY

Forest history with "exploitation" in 19th century, forest biodiversity in moorlands and forest reserves, protected wildlife areas, forest management.

Welcome to Engelberg Silva2015, November 2-6, 2015









We look forward to seeing you in Engelberg!













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