

Workshop & Panel Discussion

"What is the role of arts and science in European forest resilience against wildfires?"

Event Details:

Date: June 13, 2024

Time: 10:00 - 13:00 CET

Venue: Joint Research Center (JRC) Headquarters, CDMA Building, 21 Rue du Champ de Mars / Marsveldstraat 21, B-1050 Brussels

About the Event:

In light of the severe wildfire impacts in 2023, this workshop aims to explore the role of culture and arts, informed by science, in enhancing the resilience of EU forests against wildfires. We will discuss how societal changes, beyond technical solutions, can contribute to the New EU Forest Strategy for 2030.

Objectives:

- Explore the contribution of culture and arts in strengthening forest resilience.
- Formulate concrete policy-relevant recommendations.

Panelists:

- Francis Joy: Researcher on Sámi spirituality and member of Northern Art, Community and Environment Research NACER
- Margherita Pevere: Bioartist, Researcher, and Performer for the Lament project
- Tânia Ricardo: Representative of the Community of Santa Comba Dão, involved in the LAMENT project
- Conceição Colaço: Coordinator of the Agro-environmental Education and Dissemination of Research Results Research Area

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We look forward to your participation in this important discussion on enhancing forest resilience through culture and arts!

