



**Forest Pedagogic and Environmental Education  
- The PAWS-MED Experience -  
International Conference on Forest Pedagogic in the  
Mediterranean region  
15th and 16th September 2011**



**Place: Sabaudia (near Rome), National Park of Circeo, Italy  
Conference hall, visitors centre of the National Park**

**AGENDA**

**Thursday, 15th September**

**Conference Part 1: Welcome by authorities, introduction and PAWS-MED concept**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	<b>Item</b>
<b>8:30</b>		Reception desk - Registration of participants
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Mr. Maurizio LUCCI</b> Mayor of the city	<u>Opening of the Conference</u> - Welcome to Sabaudia
<b>9:10</b>	<b>Mr. Gaetano BENEDETTO</b> President of the National Park	Welcome to the National Park of Circeo
<b>9:20</b>	<b>Mr. Cesare PATRONE</b> Head of the State Forest Service	The importance of environmental education for public awareness and crime prevention
<b>9:30</b>	<b>Mr. Pietro OIENI</b> Italian State Forest Service	Introduction to the themes of the day
<b>9:40</b>	<b>Mrs. Lauren FLEJZOR</b> FAO Forest Department, Rome	FAO experience on forest education, training and extension
<b>10:00</b>	<b>Mrs. Paola DEDA</b> UN-ECE Forest Section, Geneva	Forest communication and activities for the public inside the International Year of Forests (IYF)
<b>10:20</b>	<b>Mrs. Anette DEHARDE -RAU</b> DAA, Berlin - Chairperson	Presentation of PAWS and PAWS-MED concepts

**10:40-11:00 Break**

<b>11:00</b>	<b>Mr. Albert BOTKA</b> Forestry training center, Gmunden	PAWS-MED: how to become a forest pedagogist
<b>11:20</b>	<b>Mr. Giancarlo PAPITTO</b> Italian State Forest Service, Rome	PAWS-MED first experiences in Italy
<b>11:40</b>	<b>Mr. Savvas ANDREA</b> Department of Forests of Cyprus	PAWS-MED first experiences in Cyprus
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Mrs. Irimi NIKOLAOU</b> Greek Ministry of Environment Energy and Climate change	PAWS-MED in Greece: promising first steps of forest pedagogy
<b>12:20</b>	<b>Mrs Maria Conceição COLACO and Mrs. Joana BATEIRA</b> Portuguese Institute of Agronomy and USSE	PAWS-MED in Portugal: what is different from the past?
<b>12:40</b>	<b>Mr Andrej BREZNIKAR</b> Slovenia Forest Service	PAWS - MED in Slovenia: from forest educational trails to forest pedagogy
<b>13:00</b>	<b>Mr Eduardo TOLOSANA and Mrs. Mari Angeles SUAREZ</b> Spanish Forest Professional Association PROFOR	Spanish environmental and forest education: some lessons learnt after the first PAWS-MED experiences
<b>13:20</b>	<b>Mrs. Anette DE HARDE-RAU</b> DAA , Berlin - Chairperson	Questions, summary and conclusions

**13: 40-15:00** Lunch break locally organised by the Italian State Forest Service

**15:00-19:00** [Conference part 2: PAWS-MED forest guided tour](#) inside the National park with the participants of the conference and lead by the PAWS-MED certified multipliers

**19:00-21:00** Optional Social Dinner in the hotel “Oasi di Kufra” – Mediterranean buffet

**Friday, 16th September**  
**Conference part 3: Presentations of the state-of-the-art**  
**of forest pedagogic projects, activities, materials**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	<b>Item</b>
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Mrs. Anette DEHARDE-RAU</b> DAA, Berlin	<u>Opening of the day</u> –PAWS-MED in a broader context
<b>9:10</b>	<b>Mr. Maurilio CIPPARONE</b> IUCN - WCPA	Environmental education: comparison of methodologies and project synergies
<b>9:30</b>	<b>Mr. Ingwald GSCHWANDTL</b> UN-ECE Forest Communicators	Forest communication: a way to teach, a way to learn
<b>9:50</b>	<b>Mrs. Anastasia PURIC</b> Friuli Venezia-Giulia Region	Pedagogic experiences inside the Friuli Venezia Giulia forests
<b>10:10</b>	<b>Prof. Piotr Paschalis-JACUBOWICZ</b> IUFRO TF Education in Forest sciences	Objectives, approaches and organisation of the IUFRO Task Force

**10:30-11:00 Break**

<b>11:00</b>	<b>Mr. Oscar AGRAZ</b> Valsain Educational centre, Segovia	Pedagogical activities performed since 2003 by the Centro de Montes de Valsain, Spain
<b>11:20</b>	<b>Mrs. Lada MATOUSKOVA PRYLOVA</b> Czech Republic	Experiences of forest pedagogics inside the Czech Republic and in the European network
<b>11:40</b>	<b>Participants</b>	Questions
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Selected authors</b>	“Flash” poster presentations
<b>12:20</b>	<b>Participants</b>	Posters free display, pedagogical marketplace
<b>12:50</b>	<b>Mrs. Lorenza COLLETTI</b> Italian State Forest Service, Rome	Conclusions and <u>closing of the Conference</u>

**13: 00-14:30** Lunch break locally organised by the Italian State Forest Service

**14:30-17:30** Optional [guided tour](#) inside the National Park of Circeo  
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A summary of the Conference and all the presentations  
 will be made available on the website

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