# **Certificate of Appreciation**

Expresses appreciation for a significant contribution to individuals or organizations for such activities of IUFRO as assistance provided in conduct of various scientific meetings, hosting scientific excursions or any other service to the Union. There are no limits to the number of such awards; they are a way of saying thanks.

Nominations may be made by IUFRO officerholders and shall include a statement of the contribution and an appropriate citation (20 words or less). Awards are approved by the President or delegated Board members, e.g., Division Coordinators.

# **Certificate of Appreciation - Details**

# Authority

IUFRO Board. Statutes, Article XVI; Internal Regulations, Section XIV.

#### **Purpose**

Expresses appreciation for a significant contribution to the organization or activities of IUFRO.

#### Award

The award shall consist of a certificate signed by the IUFRO President with an appropriate citation.

#### Criteria

The nominee (individual, groups, or organization) will have made a significant contribution to the organization or activities of IUFRO such as service provided in conduct of a scientific meeting, hosting an excursion, supporting a cooperative research program.

## Number or Frequency

Not fixed.

# **Eligibility**

Unrestricted.

## **Nominations**

Nominations of candidates may be made at any time by IUFRO officeholders. Nominations should include a statement of contribution for which recognition is sought with an appropriate citation (20 words or less) and be sent to the President of IUFRO or to Division Coordinators, with a copy to the Secretariat.

#### Selection

The President of IUFRO shall evaluate and select nominees in cooperation with a Board member and advise the Board accordingly.

## Presentation

Certificates of Appreciation shall be presented by an appropriate IUFRO officeholder at an appropriate occasion, preferably during or shortly after the event in question takes place.