## **Request for Presentation Proposals**

**DUE: 4 APRIL 2016** 











# The International Union of Forest Research Organizations Communications & Public Relations Working Party &

The United Nations Economic Commission on Europe & Food and Agricultural Organization's

Forest Communicators Network

# are accepting presentation proposals for their upcoming JOINT FOREST COMMUNICATORS MEETING!

Hosted by the U.S. Forest Service

WHEN: 29 August to 01 September 2016

WHERE: Portland, Oregon, USA

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Forest communication practitioners and researchers

**THEMES:** The meeting will address major challenges and opportunities for forest communication, including presentations from members of each network and other experts. Meeting themes include:

- Sustainability and Trust: Communicating Across Sectors to Benefit Forests
- \* Thinking Global and Acting Local; Thinking Local and Acting Global: Scaling Forest Communications Up, Down and Across Continents
- \* Skill Development: Improving Communications Tools and Techniques

**WHAT TO PRESENT:** Academic research, case studies, business examples and more! Oral presentations only (no posters). All presentations must be delivered in English.

**HOW TO SUBMIT:** Complete the template on the next page and then email your proposal to Cynthia Miner (<a href="mailto:clminer@fs.fed.us">clminer@fs.fed.us</a>) or Ingwald Gschwandtl (<a href="mailto:lngwald.GSCHWANDTL@bmlfuw.gv.at">lngwald.GSCHWANDTL@bmlfuw.gv.at</a>)

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**Title of Presentation** 

**Type of Presentation** (Select one that best describes your presentation type)

Research Findings Business Best Practices

Case Study Other (please describe below)

Presentation Proposal and Description (2500 character limit; ~400 words)