

### AFCA 2024 - Pre-Conference Event Agroforestry: Practices in Armenia and the world Agenda

#### Forest Restoration and Climate Change in Armenia (FORACCA)

Date	October 24 2024
Place	Armenian National Agrarian University Agritech Incubator Hall / Address: 74 Teryan street, Yerevan

1:30 - 2:00	Registration
2:00 - 2:10	Opening remarks
2:10 -2:45	Keynote presentation by Patrick Worms, president of the International Union of Agroforestry (IUAF)
2:45-3:15	Agroforestry practices in Hungary, Andrea Vityi, international agroforestry expert and associate professor at the University of Sopron
3:15-3:30	Networking break
3:30 - 4:45	Agroforestry practices and work done in Armenia, presentations by ANAU and partner organizations
4:45-5:00	Wrap up and takeaways for AFCA 2024

Working languages are Armenian and English.



# Agroforestry Conference Armenia - AFCA 2024

### **Preliminary Agenda**

Date: 25 October 2024, 09:00am-17:30pm (Yerevan local time)

9:00 - 9:30	Registration
9:30 - 10:20	<ul> <li>Opening remarks</li> <li>Hambartsum Matevosyan, Chief advisor to the R.A. Prime Minister (TBC)</li> <li>Ursula Läubli, Deputy regional director for SDC South Caucasus</li> <li>Hakop Simidyan, Minister of Environment (TBC)</li> <li>Gevorg Papoyan, Minister of Economy (TBC)</li> <li>Hrachya Zakoyan, Acting rector of ANAU</li> </ul>
10:20- 10:40	Keynote 1: "Agroforestry, Its importance and potential benefits" by Patrick Worms, President of the International Union of Agroforestry (IUAF)
10:40-11:00	Keynote 2: "Introduction to agroforestry and its current status in Europe" by Bohdan Lojka, president of the European Agroforestry Federation (EURAF)
11:00- 11:30	The FORACCA project and results so far
11:30 - 12:00	Networking break
12:00-12:15	Agroforestry practices in Armenia
12:15-13:30	Panel discussion 1. Promoting social inclusion: community needs and benefits
13:30-14:30	Lunch break
14:30-15:30	Panel discussion 2. Embracing agroecological transformation for sustainable economic development
15:30-16:30	Panel discussion 3. Creating enabling environment: legal challenges and opportunities
16:30-17:00	Networking break
17:00-17:10	Summary of conference findings
17:10-17:30	Initiating the Armenian Agroforestry Association
17:30-19:00	Guided poster session and reception

Live translation provided (Armenian-English, English-Armenian).



# AFCA 2024 Field Day, October 26th, 2024

#### **Preliminary Agenda**

Goal: Jointly visit agroforestry sites selected in the framework of the FORACCA project, as well as similar agroforestry sites.

Format: Field demonstration & on-site discussion

09:00 – 9:30	Gather at ANAU main entrance
9:30-10:30	Drive from Yerevan to Ttujur
10:30 - 11:30	Ttujur site demonstration
12:00-1:00	Working lunch
1:00-2:00	Drive from Aparan to Lernavan
2:00-3:00	Lernavan site demonstration
3:00-3:30	Drive from Lernavan to Shenavan
3:30-4:30	Shenavan site demonstration
4:30-6:00	Drive from Shenavan to Yerevan

\*All drive times checked on google maps according to the date and time.

Yerevan-Ttujur: 1-1.5 hrs

Aparan-Lernavan: 35-45 min

Lernavan-Shenavan: 25min- 30min

Shenavan-Yerevan: app. 2hr