



# XV WORLD FORESTRY CONGRESS



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# FOREST EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN: INNOVATIONS IN LEARNING FOR A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

4 May 2022, 18:30-20:00 Korean Standard Time (KST)

Today's children are tomorrow's adults, but how can we inspire their curiosity and interest in forests, so that they might make responsible decisions about them upon reaching adulthood, in line with SDG 15 (Life on land)?

From outdoor learning exercises to skill-building activities and interactive educational games, there are a number of innovative hands-on approaches to forest education which are increasingly being recognized as powerful and effective tools.

To find out more about them, join international experts from the forest and environment education sectors to discuss and inform actions to strengthen and modernize forest-related primary education in alignment with the Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) approach.

The event will highlight methodology developed by Schutzgemeinschaft Deutscher Wald (SDW) and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) in the framework of the project "Forests for a sustainable future: educating children", as well as other programmes and initiatives worldwide.

## SPEAKERS



### Michiko Martin

Director of Conservation Education for the US Forest Service



### Ji Youn Shin

Professor of Sahmyook University  
Vice Chairman of Korea Forest Kindergarten Association



### Maria De Cristofaro

Forestry Officer, Outreach and Capacity Building, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nation



### Janet Martires

Project Development and Information, Education and Communication Specialist, Kids-to-Forest Asia

## MODERATOR



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