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Forests and trees for better and healthier cities
A Uforest workshop at the European Week of Regions and Cities 2023

With 84% of the European population expected to live in urban areas by 2050, planning more sustainable and liveable cities is crucial. In this regard, urban forests represent an effective solution to many of the challenges brought by urbanization and climate change.

Join our **workshop** "Forests and trees for better and healthier cities" and **learn more about recent developments in urban forestry at EU level**, including the Uforest publications "Unlocking the Potential of Urban Forests" and "Innovation Blueprint". These resources provide background and guidelines for developing local urban forestry action plans and innovative approaches at city level. The event will include presentations and a panel discussion to showcase how cities can best implement effective urban forestry as part of wider sustainability and greening initiatives.

This event is organized in the framework of the **European Week of Regions and Cities**, an annual four-day event dedicated to the cities' and regions' capacity to create growth, implement European Union cohesion policy, and prove the importance of the local and regional level for good European governance.

WHEN & WHERE

📅 11th of October 2023, from 09:30 to 10:30 CET

📍 SQUARE Brussels Meeting Centre, Room 313-315

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SPEAKERS

👥 **Maria Chiara Pastore** (Politecnico di Milano)

Colm O'Driscoll (Etifor | Valuing Nature)

Ian Whitehead (European Forest Institute)

Gesche Schifferdecker (European Forest Institute)
Moderator

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