

# International Forestry Update Teleconference: May 14, 2008 - 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

## Program

Forests are managed worldwide for a variety of products and environmental services, which are then traded in the global marketplace. Increasingly, species and management practices so familiar in the Southeastern U.S. are being utilized in other parts of the world. Understanding competitive advantages and market forces can help us more effectively manage and promote forest products and services here and abroad.

## Topics and Speakers

### Global Timber Markets, South American Wood Production and Comparative Timber Investment

Fred Cabbage, Ph.D., is Professor, Department of Forestry and Environmental Resources, NCSU with 3 decades of research, teaching, and publications relating to forest economics and policy. Fred is editor of the forthcoming *Encyclopedia of Forests and Forestry in the Americas*. Fred is also a North Carolina registered forester and owns forest land in Georgia.

### Status and Competitiveness of North Carolina Forest Products

Sudipta Dasmohapatra, Ph.D. is Assistant Professor with the Department of Wood and Paper Science at NCSU. Her research interests are in marketing and business, especially the area of new market opportunities and value added in the forest products industry. She is currently involved in research related to the competitiveness of the hardwood industry in North Carolina and other SE states.

### Silvicultural Strategies for Competing in Global Markets

Tim Albaugh is Senior Research Associate at NCSU and the Associate Director for the Forest Nutrition Cooperative. He has published and lectured on forest productivity, nutrition and biomass production for 20 years. Currently, Tim completes analysis and reporting of Cooperative research and works with forest managers in the southeastern United States and South America to bring them the latest information on forest productivity.

## Delivery

This Forestry Issues Forum will be presented in teleconference format via the NC Research and Education Network (NCREN) a two-way, interactive medium allowing participants to view speakers and their presentations as well as ask questions.

## Registration and Cancellation Policy

Preregistration is required. Make checks payable to "NCSU" or pay by MasterCard or Visa. Upon receipt of registration and \$35 payment, participants will receive confirmation and teleconference location map. Cancellations received before the registration deadline qualify for a full refund less a \$10 service charge. Refunds will not be given for cancellations after May 5 (substitute attendee recommended).

### South Carolina participants contact:

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## Special Notes

The 3-hour forum will begin promptly at 9:00 AM and end promptly at 12:00 PM. Please allow extra time for obtaining necessary parking permit, locating visitor parking and the video teleconference site on the campus of your choice. All video teleconference sites are nonsmoking and many do not allow food or drink. We will provide reasonable accommodation for persons with special needs when requested in advance of the workshop. We reserve the right to cancel any program.

## Registration Deadline - May 5, 2008

On-line registration with credit card:  
[www.ncsu-feop.org](http://www.ncsu-feop.org)

### Please indicate preferred site, check only one:

- Alleghany High School (Sparta)
- Brunswick Community College (Leland)
- Elizabeth City State University (Elizabeth City)
- Gateway Technology Center (Rocky Mount)
- Montgomery Community College (Troy)
- Mountain Horticultural Res. & Extn. Center (Fletcher)
- NC State University (Raleigh)
- Southside Virginia Community College (South Hill, VA)
- UNC-Pembroke (Pembroke)
- Vernon James Research & Extn. Ctr. (Plymouth)
- Western Carolina University (Cullowhee)
- Winston-Salem State University

### Check the fee that applies:

- Early Registration: fee paid on or before May 5 - \$35.00
- Late Registration: fee paid May 5 or later - \$50.00

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### Mail or fax registration to:

NCSU - FEOP  
Campus Box 8008  
Raleigh, NC 27695-8008  
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## International Forestry Update: Southern Pine and the Southern Hemisphere



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Video-teleconference



### Upcoming Forestry Issues Forum Video-teleconferences

[www.ncsu.edu/feop/forum/forumlist.html](http://www.ncsu.edu/feop/forum/forumlist.html)

June 11, 2008: Professional Forestry Ethics  
September 10, 2008: Bioenergy Opportunities  
November 12, 2008: Prescribed Fire Issues

### Other FEOP Continuing Education Programs

Conservation-Based Development - April 1, 2008  
Native Plants for Wildlife - April 24 & 29, 2008  
Regulating Trees and Open Space - May 1, 2008  
Wetland Delineation - May 19-23, 2008

### You may also be interested to know about:

NC Society of American Foresters  
Annual Summer Meeting - June 26-27, 2008  
[www.apsaf.org/nc/index.htm](http://www.apsaf.org/nc/index.htm)

Seminar on Conservation Easements & Tax and  
Estate Planning - May 13, 2008 Candler, NC.  
Call 828-697-5777



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