

Protecting Mountain Biodiversity

Provisional programme

Chairperson: Piotr Kowalik, Gdansk University, Poland					
day	hour	location	activity	Lecturer (tentative)	topic
Friday 9	9.30	Pracatinat	Plenary lectures	Rosalaura Romeo FAO-Mountain Partnership Secretariat, Rome	The IPROMO programme and its role in promoting sustainable mountain development
				Eva Spehn, GMBA office, Basel	Setting the stage for Mountain Biodiversity. Ten years of work by the Global Mountain Biodiversity Assessment (GMBA) of DIVERSITAS.
	15-18	Pracatinat	Plenary lectures	Pier Carlo Sandei, UNEP, Wien	Global and Regional Agreements for the conservation of biological and landscape diversity in mountains
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Saturday 10	9-12	Pracatinat	Workshop	All the participants and Mountain Partnership-FAO experts	Mountain biodiversity problems in the Developing Countries
	15-18		brainstorm		
Monday 12	9-12	Alagna	Lecture & discussion	Victor Targulian, Moskow State University, Russia	Soil and biodiversity
	14-17			Ciro Gardi, Joint Research Centre, Italy	Mountain soils and biodiversity
Tuesday 13	9-13	Alagna	Lecture	Zbigniew Niewiadomski, Bieszczady National Park, Poland	Transboundary mountain protected areas
	Afternoon		Discussion		
Wednesday 14	9-13	Alagna	Lecture	Karl Reiner, Province of Bolzano, Italy	Significance of biodiversity: cultural heritage, protected areas and policy
	Afternoon		Discussion		
Thursday 15	9-13	Alagna	Lecture	Dunia Hurrego, Florida Institute of Tecnology, Florida, USA	Mountain biodiversity in tropical ecosystems
	Afternoon		discussion		
Friday 16	9-13	Alagna	Lecture & Discussion	Giorgio Buffa, University of Turin, Italy	Significance of biodiversity: ecological value
	17-19		Synopsis of the week	Piotr Kowalik, Polytechnical University of Gdansk, Poland	General view of the lectures
Saturday 17	9-17	Mt. Rosa	Field Trip	Michele Freppaz & Angelo Caimi, University of Turin, Italy	Biodiversity at high elevation on the Alps
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Monday 19	9-13	Ormea	Lecture	Renzo Motta, University of Turin, Italy	Biodiversity in the Mediterranean mountains
	Afternoon		Discussion		
Tuesday 20	9-17	Ligurian Alps	Field trip	Renzo Motta, Luca Battaglini University of Turin, Italy	Biodiversity in the Mediterranean mountains
Wednesday 21	9-13	Ormea	Lecture	Ruth Nogueroń, World Resources Institute, Forest landscape Initiative, Washington DC, USA	Forestry, wood production and biodiversity
	Afternoon		Discussion		
Thursday 22	9-13	Ormea	Lecture	Ricardo Villalba - Alejandro Casteller, Argentine Institute for Snow, Ice and Environmental Research. IANIGLA-CONICET	Climate change and mountain biodiversity
	14-17			Piotr Kowalik, Polytechnical University of Gdansk, Poland	
Friday 23	9-12	Ormea	Discussion and synopsis of the week	Piotr Kowalik, Polytechnical University of Gdansk, Poland	General view of the lectures