

Special Issue

Forest Tree Seed and Seedling Production

Message from the Guest Editors

Seeds and seedlings are the main materials in the conversion of unproductive forests to productive forests. They can be improved by genetic, management, establishment, and selection strategies of mass or individual seed sources, as well as by seed technology and nursery practices. Quality and adaptability of the materials have important roles in the economical and biological success of forest establishment practices and sustainable forestry. Additionally, they have a link between present and future generations of forests. Our goal is to facilitate the exchange of research and practice information on the progress of seedling production and seed science of forest trees. Therefore, we encourage papers to maximize quality of seed and seedling materials to establish resistance forests against biotic and abiotic damage. Potential topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Afforestation practices;
- Morphology, genetic, and physiology of seed and seedling;
- Nursery practices;
- Seed sciences and technology;
- Seedling production;
- Selection, establishment, management, and genetics of seed sources.

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