Special Issue

Bridging the Gap between Regional Scale Forest Modelling and Field-Based Research

Message from the Guest Editors

In this Special Issue of *Forests* we solicit manuscript submissions using both top-down and bottom-up approaches in order to bridge the gap between regional scale vegetation modelling and field-based forest research, integrating novel or under-utilized measurements. In particular, we encourage the submission of top-down regional vegetation modeling exercises which use field based measurements as constraints during model development. At the same time we call for field-based, bottom-up, studies with an explicit regional scale modeling component. Novel or under-utilized measurements can include, but are not limited to, dendrochronological sequences, long-term ecological monitoring data (i.e., inventory data), nearsurface remote sensing, and data gathered in past or ongoing manipulation experiments. We hope this Special Issue will compile a selection of high quality research bridging the interfaces of modeling, remote sensing and field-based methods in forest ecology.

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