

## Special Issue

# Biodiversity Conservation and Forest Management—Trends and Perspectives

### Message from the Guest Editor

The geographical ranges of plants in the world depend on many factors. One of the most important over the millennia has been, and is, the climate. The disappearance or expansion of the area covered by woody species as the foundation of forest ecosystems largely affects other species of plants, animals or fungi, and contributes to changes in the microclimate, matter circulation, and others. As a result of climate change, many species are doomed to extinction, and others may seize the opportunity to enlarge the area that they currently occupy. In both cases, scientists and foresters are faced with the challenges of properly preparing for these changes, examining them, trying to predict their effects, counteracting them and supporting selected species in expansion. The aim of the Special Issue will be to explore different aspects of forest ecology and biology, evolution and biogeography of woody plant species.

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