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# Management and Conservation of Forest Biodiversity

# Message from the Guest Editor

The diversity and conservation of the forests of the planet are getting worse every day, as a consequence of excessive deforestation and fires; scientific research needs to assess the state of conservation. Forests act as sinks for CO2, helping to mitigate climate change. The use of forests must be balanced; exploitation and conservation must be combined. The analysis of its biodiversity, structure, and function is essential for its knowledge. For this reason, forums for scientific debate on the forests of the planet are needed. We invite each author to contribute by submitting one or more articles that serve to promote scientific debate, analyze, and manage the diversity of forests in a balanced way.

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