

## Special Issue

# Lidar for Forest Science and Management

### Message from the Guest Editors

Associated with SilviLaser 2017

(<http://www.cpe.vt.edu/silvilaser2017/>), hosted in Blacksburg, Virginia at Virginia Tech in October 2017, this Special Issue will be focused on lidar applications for assessing and managing forest ecosystems. Allied technologies, such as phodar, are welcome, as are any methods of acquisition (piloted or unpiloted; airborne, space borne and terrestrial). We particularly welcome technological or analytical advances that have strong potential to improve forest science and silviculture.

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