

MOUNTFOR'S STRUCTURES:

- Research and Innovation Centre (CRI), Fondazione Edmund Mach, Trento
- State-of-the-art structures, young and dynamic environment, partnerships with universities and institutes all over the world
- Laboratories and offices (2000 m²), glasshouses (200 m²), field experiments



MOUNTFOR'S PARTNERSHIP:



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**MOUNTFOR-EFI
PROJECT CENTER
PRESENTATION**



**PROVINCIA AUTONOMA DI
BOLZANO**

**RIPARTIZIONE FORESTE
VIA BRENNERO, 6
5TH FLOOR**

20/03/2014

14:00 - 15:30

MOUNTFOR PROJECT CENTER

MOUNTFOR is an EFI (European Forest Institute) Project Centre hosted by the Fo-xLab, research unit of the Edmund Mach Foundation of San Michele all'Adige (Italy).

MOUNTFOR is built upon the expertise and structures of a core network of research institutes, associate members of EFI, cooperating in strict teamwork with Headquarters and Regional Offices of EFI, and leading research networking, knowledge sharing and advanced learning.

MOUNTFOR aims to contribute to the development of trans-boundary research plans and infrastructure. It works closely with policy makers and forest managers to craft and implement site-specific adaptation strategies in order to fulfill all forest ecosystem services



MOUNTFOR's SPECIFIC AIMS:

- to monitor and map forest ecosystem services in pan-european mountain systems
- To support transalpine forest monitoring and knowledge sharing to identify tools and criteria to forecast the effects of global change on mountain forests
- to assess the potential impacts of forest management, land use and land-use changes on forest ecosystem services to incorporate applied research and governance analysis
- to disseminate the benefits of forest ecosystem services to a broad range of stakeholders in support of EFI's goals



MOUNTFOR's EXPECTED OUTPUTS:

- Scientific basis for sustainable management of mountain forests
- Technology transfer (strategic infrastructures, good practices, guidelines and techniques)
- Advanced learning (training courses, international PhD school)
- WEB platform and data management to support stakeholders in managing mountain water and forest resources
- Information transfer (technical workshops, network infrastructure, scientific, conferences, COST Action)

