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PROGRAMME

4th September 2024
Medvedgrad Visitor Center

09:00 - 10:00 PARTICIPANTS REGISTRATION

09:00 - 10:00 DISPLAY OF POSTERS

10:00 - 10:30 GREETINGS AND OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE

10:30 - 11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00 - 12:00 PLENARY LECTURE

11:00 Flora inventory as a tool for preserving the natural and landscape values of Medvednica Nature Park; *Ivana Vitasović Kosić*

11:20 Natural diversity of flora and fauna in the area of the South Dilj economic unit; *Slavica Antunović, Katica Nuspahić, Dinko Zima, Ljiljana Božić-Ostojić, Edita Štefanić, Robert Benković*

11:40 Project destination: Zagreb
Extracurricular activity for high school students in the city of Zagreb; *Martina Bienenfeld*

12:00 The importance of green areas in connecting people and the city – the role for future generations; *Kristina Duvnjak Perković*

I. section Sustainable management of protected areas (biodiversity, landscape diversity, geodiversity)

12:20 Unraveling the dynamics of urban streams: ecological research in the Medvednica Nature Park and the urban area of Zagreb; *Mirela Sertić Perić, Zrinka Dragun, Marta Renje, Tvrtko Dražina, Renata Matoničkin Kepčija*

12:30 Beech leaves (*Fagus Sylvatica*) as a microhabitat for small terrestrial invertebrates on Medvednica Mountain; *Stefan Majnarić, Mirela Sertić Perić, Fran Rebrina*

12:40 Discovering the potential of invasive plant species - threat or opportunity to the bioeconomy?; *Anamarija Peter, Dubravka Dujmović Purgar, Vesna Židovec, Mihael Kušen, Jana Šic Žlabur*

12:50 Invasive potential of allochthonous ornamental plant species (Life OrnamentalIAS Project); *Mihael Kušen, Dubravka Dujmović Purgar, Jana Šic Žlabur, Anamarija Peter, Martina Šipek Penić, Božena Mitić, Vesna Židovec*



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- 13:00 Reproductive features of the wild boar (*Sus scrofa*) in the area of the southern part of the Medvednica Nature Park; *Krešimir Krapinec, Kristina Pavešić, Kristijan Tomljanović, Marko Vucelja, Linda Bjedov, Marin Tomaić*
- 13:10 Allelopathic potential of the invasive species *Ailanthus Altissima* and *Reynoutria Japonica* present in the Medvednica Nature Park; *Valentina Šoštarčić, Maja Novak, Nenad Novak, Laura Pismarović, Maja Šćepanović*
- 13:20 A contribution to the knowledge of the Caddisflies fauna (Insecta, Trichoptera) of Medvednica with reference to DNA barcoding; *Ivan Vučković, Anđela Čukušić, Mladen Kučinić*
- 13:30 Climate change as a potential cause of the decrease in the number of the hibernating colony of bats of the species Lesser Horseshoe Bat in the Veternica cave; *Denis Kovačić, Andrea Kostelić, Tajana Ban Čurić, Martina Belović Kelemen, Marina Popijač*

13:40 – 14:30 BREAK

- 14:30 How to control an invasive foreign species – a successful example of controlling an invasive forest pest on Medvednica; *Dinka Matošević, Nikola Zorić*
- 14:40 Cultivation and use of inoculated seedlings of forest tree species with black truffles; *Anton Brenko, Ivana Zegnal, Jasnica Medak*
- 14:50 Dry mountain grasslands of Medvednica and Zagreb highlands – yesterday, today, tomorrow; *Irina Zupan, Saša Banić, Biljana Janev Hutinec, Lana Jelić*
- 15:00 Landscaping of the Črnomerec Stream as a green-blue infrastructure corridor of the City of Zagreb; *Dorotea Garašić, Petra Pereković, Ines Hrdalo, Marina Štambuk*
- 15:10 The fight against ornamental invasive plants – the LIFE OrnamentalIAS project in action; *Martina Kadoić Balaško, Tatjana Masten Milek, Luka Basrek*
- 15:20 Analysis of methods and results of monitoring Quarantine Forest Pests in Croatia: a five-year review; *Nikola Zorić, Andrija Jukić, Tomislav Krcivoj, Dinka Matošević*
- 15:30 The variety of sources on the upstream side of the Medvednica Nature Park; *Ivan Martinić, Ivan Čanjevac*

15:40 -16:20 POSTER SECTION

- Invasive plants of the forests of the Papuk Nature Park; *Dinko Zima, Slavica Antunović, Liljana Božić-Ostojić, Iva Knezović*
- 15:40 Evaluation of the visual qualities of the landscape of the area of the City of Samobor; *Patrik Kostić, Dora Tomić Reljić*
- Measurement of radioactivity in soil and moss at Medvednica Nature Park; *Petra Tagliaretti, Branko Petrinec, Tea Čvorišćec, Dinko Babić, Tomislav Bituh, Nora Miljanić, Marina Popijač*
- 16:20 Cesium-137 and Strontium-90 in precipitation in Zagreb in 2021, 2022 and 2023; *Dragutin Hasenay, Branko Petrinec, Iva Franulović, Milica Kovačić, Tea Čvorišćec, Dinko Babić, Branimir Zauner, Tomislav Bituh, Nora Miljanić, Marina Popijač*



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- 15:40 Environmental monitoring of radioactivity in Medvednica Nature Park: results of Radon measurements; *Tea Čvorišćec, Branko Petrinc, Dinko Babić, Tomislav Bituh, Nora Miljanić, Marina Popijač*
- Soil geochemistry in the vicinity of the French mines on Medvednica; *Sibila Borojević Šošćarić, Laura Pavlović, Tomislav Brenko*
- 16:20 Levels of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in the soils of the City of Zagreb; *Zdravka Sever Štrukil, Iva Smoljo, Gordana Pehnc, Matija Galić, Aleksandra Perćin, Iva Hrelja, Željka Zgorelec*
- Trail „Leustekova staza“ on Medvednica: revitalization and preservation for future generations; *Kruno Lepoglavec, Dalibor Babić, Iva Murgić Lepoglavec*

16:20 CLOSING OF THE FIRST DAY OF THE CONFERENCE



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5th September 2024
Medvedgrad Visitor Center

09:00 - 09:30 PARTICIPANTS REGISTRATION AND DISPLAY OF POSTERS

II. section Preservation of cultural values

9:30 Medvedgrad coin of King Bela IV.; *Igor Rapačić, Gabor Spielmann*

III. section Green economy – the future of development and progress

9:50 Afforestation of neglected land in a difficult-to-access area; *Vlado Halusek*

10:00 Prohibition of motor vehicles on hiking trails in the Medvednica Nature Park; *Mia Vučević, Nela Jantol*

10:10 Public involvement in planning, management and maintenance of trees, forests and green spaces in urban areas – professionals' perceptions and attitudes; *Silvija Krajter Ostoić, Martina Kičić, Francesca Ugolini, Maja Simoneti, Giovanni Sanesi, Andrej Verlič, Luciano Masetti, Paloma Carinanos, Pedro Calaza-Martinez, Ingrida Šaulienė, Jelena Tomičević-Dubljević, Ivana Živojinović, Amila Brajić, Dženan Bećirović, Artur Goncalves, Vladimir Stojanovski, Dijana Vuletić*

10:20 Construction in Medvednica Nature Park; *Tajana Ban Čurić, Sandra Wolf Kramarić, Martina Belović Kelemen, Marija Popijač*

10:30 Urban tourism – challenges of branding the city as „green”; *Kristina Duvnjak Perković, Ana Hodak*

10:40 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK

IV. section Sustainable tourism – responsible use of heritage in planning tourist activities

11:00 The role and significance of geoheritage in the development of sustainable tourism in Croatian national parks; *Dijana Vuković, Fani Kerum, Neven Šipić*

11:10 Brestovac as a cultural tourism potential; *Jasenska Kranjčević, Amir Muzur*

11:20 Increasing the domestic component in the tourist product is a contribution in Croatia; *Miroslav Drljača*

11:30 Dangers and advantages of using electric vehicles by tourists in nature parks; *Matija Leskovar, Marko Kršulja, Dinko Jurjević*

11:40 Codes of conduct in naturally protected areas – reality of future? ; *Kristina Bučar, Sanda Soucie*

11:50 Inventory and examples of conceptual solutions for arranging wild waste disposal sites in the Medvednica Nature Park; *Dora Kosijer Gorički, Lucija Balja, Damir Barčić, Kruno Lepoglavec, Dalibor Babić, Martina Jurjević Varga, Sandra Wolf Kramarić*



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12:00 - 12:20 POSTER SECTION

Monitoring the deposition fluxes of organic pollutants in the protected area; *Iva Smoljo, Gordana Pehnc, Gordana Mendaš Starčević*

12:00 Analysis of the success rate of rehabilitation of windbreaks in state forests in the
– Medvednica Nature Park; *Damir Miškulin, Nives Salopek, Dalibor Babić, Matea
12:20 Vuković, Tihana Otmačić*

The role of biodeterioration on historic buildings: a focus on castles and towers in
Campania; *Alessia Cozzolino, Giuliano Bonanomi, Riccardo Motti*

12:20 – 13:20 BREAK

V. section Forest management for the purpose of ecological, social and economic sustainability of forests

13:20 Safety analysis in the nature park; *Dinko Jurjević*

13:30 Challenges of managing the Medvednica Nature Park with a special focus on traffic;
Martina Jurjević Varga, Špela Pezdevšek Malovrh, Marina Popijač

13:50 Variability of potentially toxic metals in the soil of the Red slope in the Medvednica
Nature Park; *Aleksandra Perčin, Željka Zgorelec, Lea Lugarić, Ivica Kisić*

VI. section Climate change as a serious threat to the preservation of biodiversity

14:00 Agroclimatic changes in the Medvednica Nature Park; *Darija Bilandžija*

14:10 Diversity of climate change impacts on tourism in protected areas: examples from
Croatia; *Izidora Marković Vukadin, Staša Borović, Hrvoje Mataković*

VII. section The role and meaning of ecological education as an important element in the management of protected areas of nature

14:20 „To Sleme, to Sleme, to Sleme“: the culture of mountaineering on Medvednica;
Petra Ilić

14:30 Radon in the workplace - education to reduce the risk; *Tomislav Bituh, Branko
Petrinec, Tea Čvorišćec, Marina Popijač*

14:40 CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE



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