

22nd InnoVAWood General Assembly

**The European networking event for
wood science, technology and education**

14 - 15 May 2024 in Prague, Czech Republic

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Welcome to Prague !

- Meet & exchange with other members and new partners –
- Learn about joint initiatives, EU projects & proposals –
 - Visit the Ahrend company –
- Enjoy the wonderful city of Prague –



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Organisational information

Host organisations

Czech University of Life Sciences Prague,
Faculty of Forestry and Wood Sciences - CZU FLD
Department of Wood Processing and Biomaterials, fld.czu.cz

Organisational fee & registrations

Fee per participant:
200€ for regular members
95€ for SSP members (reduced fee for 2 persons)

[Please register here](#)

Venues

Informal Get Together - evening Monday, 13 May, from 7pm onwards
Grand Hotel International Dejvice Restaurant <https://www.hotelint.cz/restaurace/>
Koulova 1501/15, 160 45 Prague 6, Czech Republic

Day 1, 14 May
CZU Faculty of Forestry and Wood Sciences building,
Boardroom L125, Kamýcká 129, 16500 Prague, Czech Republic
Online participation possible on Day 1 only

Day 2, 15 May
CZU Faculty of Forestry and Wood Sciences building, Boardroom L125,
Kamýcká 129, 16500 Prague, Czech Republic
Excursion (bus shuttle)
No online participation on Day 2

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Day 1 - General Assembly Tuesday, 14 May 2024 @CZU-FLD

08:30 - 09:00 **Registration**
(0:30) At CZU FLD [Kamýcká 129, 165 00 Prague - Suchdol](#), Boardroom L125

09:00 - 09:15 **Opening and Words of Welcome of Host Organisations**
(0:15)

- Róbert Marušák, Dean of Faculty of Forestry and Wood Sciences, Czech University of Life Sciences Prague
- Erik Larnøy, President of InnovaWood

09:15 - 09:30 **The Czech forestry and wood sector at a glance**
(0:15)

09:30 - 10:00 **Speed networking session**
(0:30)

10:00 - 10:30 *Networking Coffee Break*
(0:30)

10:30 - 11:30 **General Assembly Plenary**
(1:00)

11:30 - 12.30 **Keynote presentation**

12:30 - 14:00 *Lunch at Wooden Pavilion / Menza building*
(1:30)





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14:00 - 15:00 (1:00)	Research and innovation results sharing and connecting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Series of 2min pitches• Networking sessions on the results presented
15:00- 15:30 (0:30)	<i>Networking Coffee Break</i>
15:30 - 16:30 (1:00)	Panel discussion on the bioeconomy - overcoming barriers between forestry, furniture and construction
16:30 - 17:00 (0:30)	Executive Board election
17:00 - 18.00 (1:00)	<i>Leisure time / individual transfer to city centre or hotel</i>
18:00 - 19:30 (1:30)	City Tour <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Guided by bus shuttle transfer through Prague city center. Ending at dinner location.
19:30 - 22:30 (3:00)	Official Conference Dinner <ul style="list-style-type: none">• At Grand Hotel International Dejvice Restaurant Koulova 1501/15, 160 45 Prague 6, Czech Republic https://www.hotelint.cz/restaurace/



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Day 2 - Workshop & Excursion **Wednesday, 15 May 2024 @CZU-FLD + Ahrend company**

9:00 - 9:15 (0:15)	Introduction
9:15 - 10:00 (0:45)	Cooperation in research and education <ul style="list-style-type: none">• European initiatives, projects and funding opportunities Nada Koníčková, Deputy director for international cooperation at Bioeconomy, Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment Technology Centre• Funding opportunities for research & mobilities
10:00 - 10:15 (0:15)	<i>Quick Coffee Break</i>
10:15 - 12:15 (2:00)	Workshop sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workshop sessions for in depth discussion and cooperation set-up (2x60min parallel sessions)
12:15 - 12:30 (0:15)	Closure of General Assembly
12:30 - 13:15 (0:45)	<i>Lunch at Wooden Pavilion / Menza building</i>
13:15 - 14:00 (0:45)	<i>Bus shuttle to company</i>
14:00 - 15:30 (1:30)	Visit of Ahrend Corporation U Továren 770/1b, 102 00 Prague 10 (https://ahrend.cz/en/)
15:30 - 16:30 (0:30)	<i>Bus shuttle to Prague city centre</i>
16:30	<i>Approximate arrival in Prague (bus shuttle stops at metro <u>Dejvicka</u> and <u>Grand Hotel International</u>)</i>



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Further useful info

Transport

Train connection times

4 hours from Berlin, Vienna, Bratislava

Vaclav Havel Airport Prague

Aviaticka 10, 16100 Prague, Czech Republic, 10 km west of the center of Prague city

Various public transportation possibilities (Shuttle Bus, Taxi & Uber)

<https://www.dpp.cz/en>

<https://www.praguego.com/transport/airport/>

Prague public transport

Ticket machines at metro stations

<https://pid.cz/en/travelling-around-prague/>

get the app: <https://app.pidlitacka.cz/o-aplikaci>

Hotel suggestions

Grand Hotel International ****

Good location for direct access to the Airport (Bus line No 119 (from Terminal 2), stop Nádraží Veleslavín (15 min) - change to metro Line A from Nádraží Veleslavín to station

Dejvická (2nd Metro station, 10 min) - change to bus line No 107 from Dejvická to station Čínská (1st Bus station, 5 min)). Located in Prague district Dejvice.

Koulova 1501/15, 160 45 Prague 6. www.hotelint.cz

Connection from Grand Hotel International Dejvice to Czech University of Life Sciences Prague Campus by bus line No 107 from bus station Čínská to bus station Zemědělská univerzita (8th Bus station, 10 min).

Vienna House by Wyndham Diplomat Prague ****

Good location for direct access to the Airport (Bus line No 119 (from Terminal 2), stop Nádraží Veleslavín (15 min) - change to metro Line A from Nádraží Veleslavín to station

Dejvická (2nd Metro station, 10 min) - by walk 5 min. Located in Prague district Dejvice. Evropská 15, 16041 Prague, Czech Republic.

https://viennahousediplomatprague.h-rez.com/index.htm?l=gg-en-rsp&gclid=EAlalQobChMI57PR_f_n_wlVNZ9oCR0IEAbIEAMYASAAEgLPGfD_BwE

Connection from Vienna House by Wyndham Diplomat Prague to Czech University of Life Sciences Prague Campus by bus line No 107 from bus station Dejvická to bus station Zemědělská univerzita (9th Bus station, 12 min).

Prague Hotel Carl Inn ***

11 minutes walk to the Czech University of Life Sciences Campus. Take a bus from the Kamýcká bus stop to the old city.

Sídlištní 1/1167, 165 00 Prague, Czech Republic.

<https://carlhotel.cz/en/>



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Hotel Avion Prague ***

Closest metro Nádraží Veleslavín or bus stop Červený Vrch will take you to the Czech University of Life Sciences Campus or to the old city.

Kladenská 115, Prague 160 00, Czech Republic

<https://www.hotelavion.cz/en/>

Hotel of the Training Center for Veterinary Administration ***

A good option if you want to stay at the Czech University of Life Sciences Campus. Around 45 EUR per night including breakfast. Take a bus from the Kamýčká bus stop to the old city.

Sídlištní 136/24, Praha 6 - Lysolaje, Czech Republic.

<https://www.svupraha.cz/en/training-center-for-state-veterinary-administration/training-center-for-state-veterinary-administration> Reservation by email or phone:

recepce.svua@svscr.cz, +420 220 923 128

General and tourist information

Prague

<https://www.prague.eu/en>

<https://www.pragueexperience.com/information/tourism.asp>

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Prague>

Czech Republic

<https://www.visitczechia.com/en-US/Travel-Info>

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Czech_Republic

Free time

<https://www.historyhit.com/guides/historic-sites-in-the-czech-republic/>

<https://peakvisor.com/adm/czechia.html>