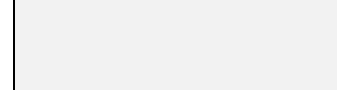
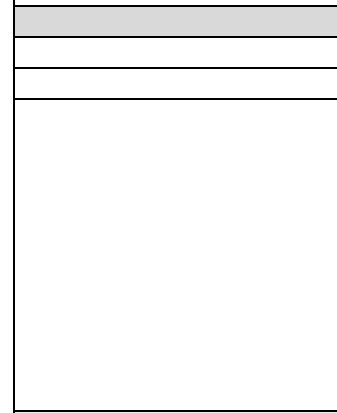


	Monday	Tuesday					Wednesday					Thursday					
		Welcome and registration					Welcome and registration					Welcome and registration					
8:00		Auditorium					Auditorium					Auditorium					
8:30		Auditorium Keynote: Cécile Fauvelot					Auditorium Keynote: Krista McGuire					Auditorium Keynote: Tuyeni Heita Mwampamba					
		Auditorium	Room 106	Room 108	Room 107	Room 109	Auditorium	Room 106	Room 108	Room 107	Room 109	Auditorium	Room 106	Room 108	Room 107	Room 109	
		Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Side event	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Side Event	
9:30		S01. Tropical Marine Ecosystems in the Anthropocene	S03. Continental wetlands	S05. Diversification of African forests	S07. Advances in canopy science	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity	S10. Tropical soil ecology	S13. Tropical tree allometry	COPED Miniforum	S16. Ecology & taxonomy of tropical bryophytes	S18. Tropical networks	S20. Tropical forests in space & time - part I	S21. Climate change	S23. Rehabilitation of tropical forest landscapes	S25. Human-modified tropical forests	COPED Miniforum: Discussion meeting	
9:45																	
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10:15		Break & Posters					Break & Posters					Break & Posters					
10:30		Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Side event	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session	Side Event	
10:45		S01. Tropical Ecosystems in the Anthropocene	S04. Savanna functioning and dynamics	S05. Diversification of African forests	S07. Advances in canopy science	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity	S11. Molecular taxonomy & cryptic species in soils	S13. Tropical tree allometry	COPED Miniforum	S16. Ecology & taxonomy of tropical bryophytes	S19. Free Session : frugivores, seed dispersal and recruitment	S20. Tropical forests in space & time - part I	S21. Climate change	S23. Rehabilitation of tropical forest landscapes	S25. Human-modified tropical forests	COPED Miniforum: Discussion meeting	
11:00	Preparation																
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12:00			Free lunch break					Free lunch break					Free lunch break				
13:30			Auditorium					Auditorium	Room 106	Room 108	Room 107	Room 109	Auditorium	Room 106	Room 108	Room 107	Room 109
13:45			Keynote: Alexandra Muellner-Riehl					Session	Session	Session	Session	Side event	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session
14:00			Auditorium	Room 106	Room 108	Room 107	Room 109										
14:30			Session	Session	Session		Session										
14:45			S02. Mangroves	S04. Savanna functioning and dynamics	S06. Audio & video monitoring	S08. Tropical tree ecology & evolution	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity	S12. Tropical molecular ecology	S14. Tropical forest nutrient ecology	S15. Altitudinal gradient	S17. Manipulations of tropical food webs	COPED Miniforum: Discussion meeting	S20. Tropical forests in space & time - part II	S22. Remote sensing forest response to ENSO: opportunities & challenges	S24. Resilient rural landscape for Rio de Janeiro	S26. Impact evaluation of forest certification	S28. Free session: Tropical ecology & conservation
15:00														S27. Future scenarios for the Congo Basin			
15:15																	
15:30		Break & Posters					Break & Posters					Break & Posters					
15:45		Auditorium	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session										
16:00							Break					Break					
16:15							Break					Break					
16:30	Arrival of participants and Registration	S02. Mangroves	S04. Savanna functioning and dynamics	S06. Audio & video monitoring	S08. Tropical tree ecology & evolution	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity	Poster session					Auditorium Closing Ceremony & Meriam Awards & Farewell					
16:45							Poster session					Auditorium Closing Ceremony & Meriam Awards & Farewell					
17:00							Poster session					Auditorium Closing Ceremony & Meriam Awards & Farewell					
17:15		Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
17:30		Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
17:45		Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
18:00	Opening ceremony	Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
18:15		Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
18:30	Keynote: Alice Hughes	Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
19:00		Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
19:30		Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
20:00	Lobby Ice Break	Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
20:30	Mixing	Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					
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21:30		Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					Auditorium Public lecture					

	Monday, 26 March, 2018	Tuesday, 27 March, 2018	Wednesday, 28 March, 2018	Thursday, 29 March, 2018
08:00-8:30	Preparation	Registration	Registration	Registration
8:30-9:30		Keynote: Cécile Fauvelot	Keynote: Krista McGuire	Keynote: Tuyeni Heita Mwampamba
9:30-10:30		Session	Session	Session
10:30-11:00		Break & Posters	Break & Posters	Break & Posters
11:00-12:00		Session	Session	Session
12:00-13:30		Free Lunch Break	Free Lunch Break	Free Lunch Break
13:30-14:30		Keynote: Alexandra Muellner-Riehl	Session	Session
14:30-15:30		Session		
15:30-16:00		Break & Posters	Break & Posters	Break
16:00-16:30		Arrival of participants and Registration	Session	Poster session
16:30-17:30				
18:00-18:30	Opening ceremony	Public lecture	Transport by Métro to Porte Dorée	
18:30-19:00	Keynote: Alice Hughes			
19:00-19:30	Ice Break Mixing		Conference Dinner Aquarium Porte Dorée	
19:00-20:00				
20:00-21:30				

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Arrival of participants and  
registration

**Auditorium**

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Opening ceremony

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Keynote : Alice Hughes

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Ice Break Mixing

Tuesday, 27 March 2018					
Auditorium					
08:30 Keynote: Cécile Fauvelot					
	Auditorium (487 seats)	Room 106 (80 seats)	Room 108 (117 seats)	Room 107 (80 seats)	Room 109 (80 seats)
	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session
09:30	S01. Tropical Marine Ecosystems in the Anthropocene	S03. Continental wetlands	S05. Diversification of African forests	S07. Advances in canopy science	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity
09:45					
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10:30	Break & Posters				
	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session
11:00	S01. Tropical Marine Ecosystems in the Anthropocene	S04. Savanna functioning and dynamics	S05. Diversification of African forests	S07. Advances in canopy science	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity
11:15					
11:30					
11:45					
12:00	Free lunch break				
Auditorium					
13:30 Keynote: Alexandra Muellner-Riehl					
	Auditorium (487 seats)	Room 106 (80 seats)	Room 108 (117 seats)	Room 107 (80 seats)	Room 109 (80 seats)
	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session
14:30	S02. Mangroves	S04. Savanna functioning and dynamics	S06. Audio & video monitoring	S08. Tropical tree ecology & evolution	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity
14:45					
15:00					
15:15					
15:30	Break & Posters				
	Session	Session	Session	Session	Session
16:00	S02. Mangroves	S04. Savanna functioning and dynamics	S06. Audio & video monitoring	S08. Tropical tree ecology & evolution	S09. Free session: Tropical diversity
16:15					
16:30					
16:45					
17:00					
17:15					
Auditorium					
17:30	Public lecture				

Wednesday, 28 March, 2018

**Auditorium**

Keynote: Krista McGuire

	<b>Auditorium (487 seats)</b>	<b>Room 106 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 108 (117 seats)</b>	<b>Room 107 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 109 (80 seats)</b>
	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Side event</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>
08:30	Keynote: Krista McGuire				
09:30	S10. Tropical soil ecology	S13. Tropical tree allometry	COPEd Miniforum	S16. Ecology & taxonomy of tropical bryophytes	S18. Tropical networks
09:45					
10:00					
10:15					
10:30	Break & Posters				
	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>		<b>Session</b>
11:00	S11. Molecular taxonomy & cryptic species in soils	S13. Tropical tree allometry	COPEd Miniforum	S16. Ecology & taxonomy of tropical bryophytes	S19. Free Session : Frugivores, seed dispersal and forest regeneration
11:15					
11:30					
11:45					
12:00	Free lunch break				
	<b>Auditorium (487 seats)</b>	<b>Room 106 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 108 (117 seats)</b>	<b>Room 107 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 109 (80 seats)</b>
	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Side event</b>
13:30	S12. Tropical molecular ecology	S14. Tropical forest nutrient ecology	S15. Altitudinal gradient	S17. Manipulations of tropical food webs	COPEd Miniforum: Discussion meeting
13:45					
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15:30	Break				
16:00	Poster session				
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17:30					
18:00	Conference dinner Aquarium Porte Dorée				

Thursday, 29 March 2018

**Auditorium**

08:30	Keynote: Tuyeni Heita Mwampamba				
	<b>Auditorium (487 seats)</b>	<b>Room 106 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 108 (117 seats)</b>	<b>Room 107 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 109 (80 seats)</b>
	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Side Event</b>
09:30	S20. Tropical forests in space & time - part I	S21. Climate change	S23. Rehabilitation of tropical forest landscapes	S25. Human-modified tropical forests	COPED Miniforum: Discussion meeting
09:45					
10:00					
10:15					
10:30	Break & Posters				
	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Side Event</b>
11:00	S20. Tropical forests in space & time - part I	S21. Climate change	S23. Rehabilitation of tropical forest landscapes	S25. Human-modified tropical forests	COPED Miniforum: Discussion meeting
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12:00	Free lunch break				
	<b>Auditorium (487 seats)</b>	<b>Room 105 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 108 (117 seats)</b>	<b>Room 107 (80 seats)</b>	<b>Room 109 (80 seats)</b>
	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Session</b>
13:30	S20. Tropical forests in space & time - part II	S22. Remote sensing forest response to ENSO: opportunities & challenges	S24. Resilient rural landscape for Rio de Janeiro	S26. Impact evaluation of forest certification	S28. Free session: Tropical ecology & conservation
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15:30	Break				
	<b>Auditorium</b>				
16:00	Closing Ceremony & Meriam Awards & Farewell				
16:30					
17:00					