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- Side event on FIS
- 16-20 July, Rome, IT

**Towards a harmonized global approach for managing
Forest Invasive Species**
(insect pests, diseases and plants)



Rome, Italy
20 July 2018



COST - NNEXT

- Non-native tree species for European forests
- 12-14 September 2018, Vienna, AT



Non-native Tree Species for European Forests -
Experiences, Risks and Opportunities (FP1403)



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NON-NATIVE TREE SPECIES for EUROPEAN FORESTS

12-14 September 2018
Vienna, Austria
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OECD – PREPSYS - EUPHRESKO

- EAB & BBB (Agrilus spp.)
- 1-4 October 2018, Vienna, AT

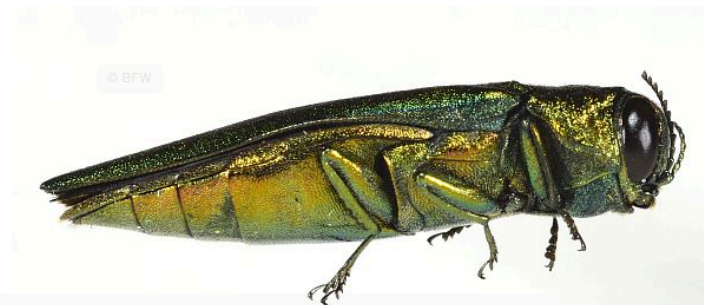
Conference "Preparing Europe for invasion by the beetles emerald ash borer and bronze birch borer"

The Conference Preparing Europe for invasion by the beetles emerald ash borer and bronze birch borer, two major tree-killing pests, will be held in Vienna, Austria, on 1-4 October 2018. The conference will focus on the threats to European forests from two tree-killing pests, the emerald ash borer (EAB), *Agrilus planipennis*, a buprestid native to SE Asia and bronze birch borer (BBB), *Agrilus anxius*, which is native to North America. EAB has invaded North America and European Russia and is causing massive tree mortality.



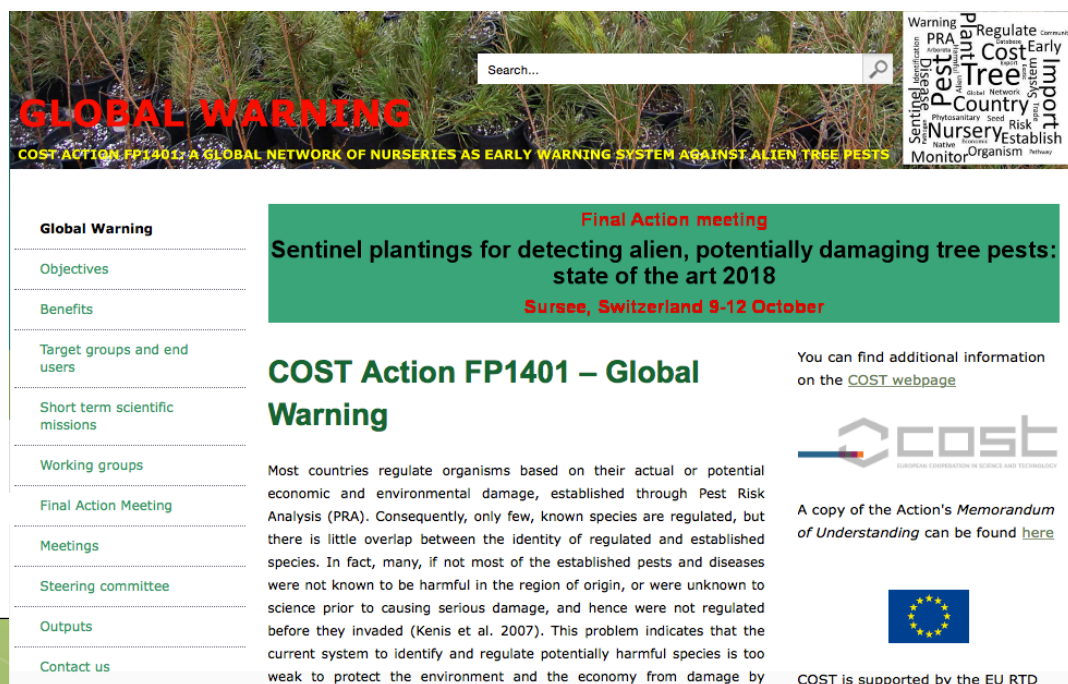
"Co-operative Research Programme:
Biological Resource Management for
Sustainable Agricultural Systems"

Whilst there is considerable research activity and dissemination of information in North America, there has been relatively little input to assessing the 'state of the art' in a specific European context and, particularly, to increase awareness and heighten readiness for what now seems to be an inevitable westward progression of the pest from its advancing front in Russia. The conference will bring together expertise from a wide range of countries, representing the native and invaded ranges of the two pests. Experience gained in both native and invaded locations will provide focus on the inter-disciplinary nature of dealing with invading pests. Ecological aspects are clearly important in developing understanding of pest biology but also interactions with trees in a mix of environments and, increasingly, the social and economic consequences of tree loss in both economic and amenity contexts. There will be a number of internationally acknowledged, invited speakers from North America, Asia and Russia who will present the state of knowledge on these two pest insects. There will also be scope for a limited number of submitted oral presentations as well as a poster session.



COST - GLOBWARN

- Pest and pathogens & sentinel plantings
- 9-12 October 2018, Sursee, CH



The screenshot shows the homepage of the 'Global Warning' website. At the top, there is a header image with the text 'GLOBAL WARNING' in large red letters and 'COST ACTION FP1401: A GLOBAL NETWORK OF NURSERIES AS EARLY WARNING SYSTEM AGAINST ALIEN TREE PESTS' in smaller yellow letters. A search bar is visible in the top right. Below the header, there is a green banner for the 'Final Action meeting' titled 'Sentinel plantings for detecting alien, potentially damaging tree pests: state of the art 2018' held in 'Sursee, Switzerland 9-12 October'. To the left of the main content is a sidebar with a table of contents listing sections like Objectives, Benefits, Target groups and end users, etc. The main content area features the title 'COST Action FP1401 – Global Warning' followed by a paragraph explaining the project's goals and the current state of tree pest regulation. On the right, there is a section for additional information on the COST webpage, the COST logo, and a link to the Action's Memorandum of Understanding. At the bottom, the European Union flag is displayed with the text 'COST is supported by the EU RTD'.

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COST Action FP1401 – Global Warning

Most countries regulate organisms based on their actual or potential economic and environmental damage, established through Pest Risk Analysis (PRA). Consequently, only few, known species are regulated, but there is little overlap between the identity of regulated and established species. In fact, many, if not most of the established pests and diseases were not known to be harmful in the region of origin, or were unknown to science prior to causing serious damage, and hence were not regulated before they invaded (Kenis et al. 2007). This problem indicates that the current system to identify and regulate potentially harmful species is too weak to protect the environment and the economy from damage by

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