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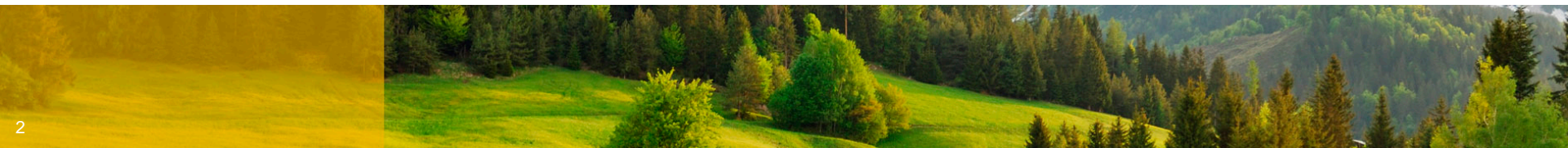
Nexus of research, policy support & funding in the forestry sector

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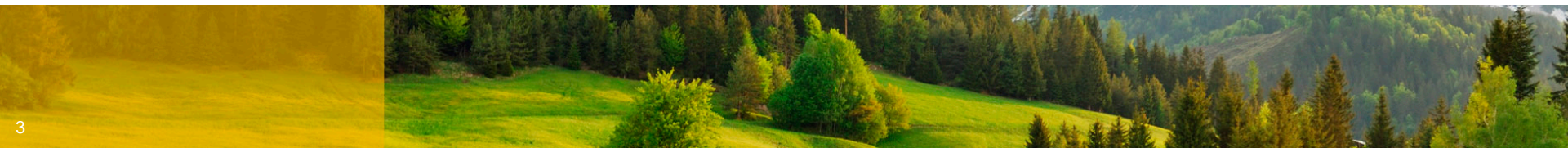
You [...] believe to get a grip on climate change by means of regulations. God bless you! What we need, are inventors in their garages (Michael Friedman, 2009)





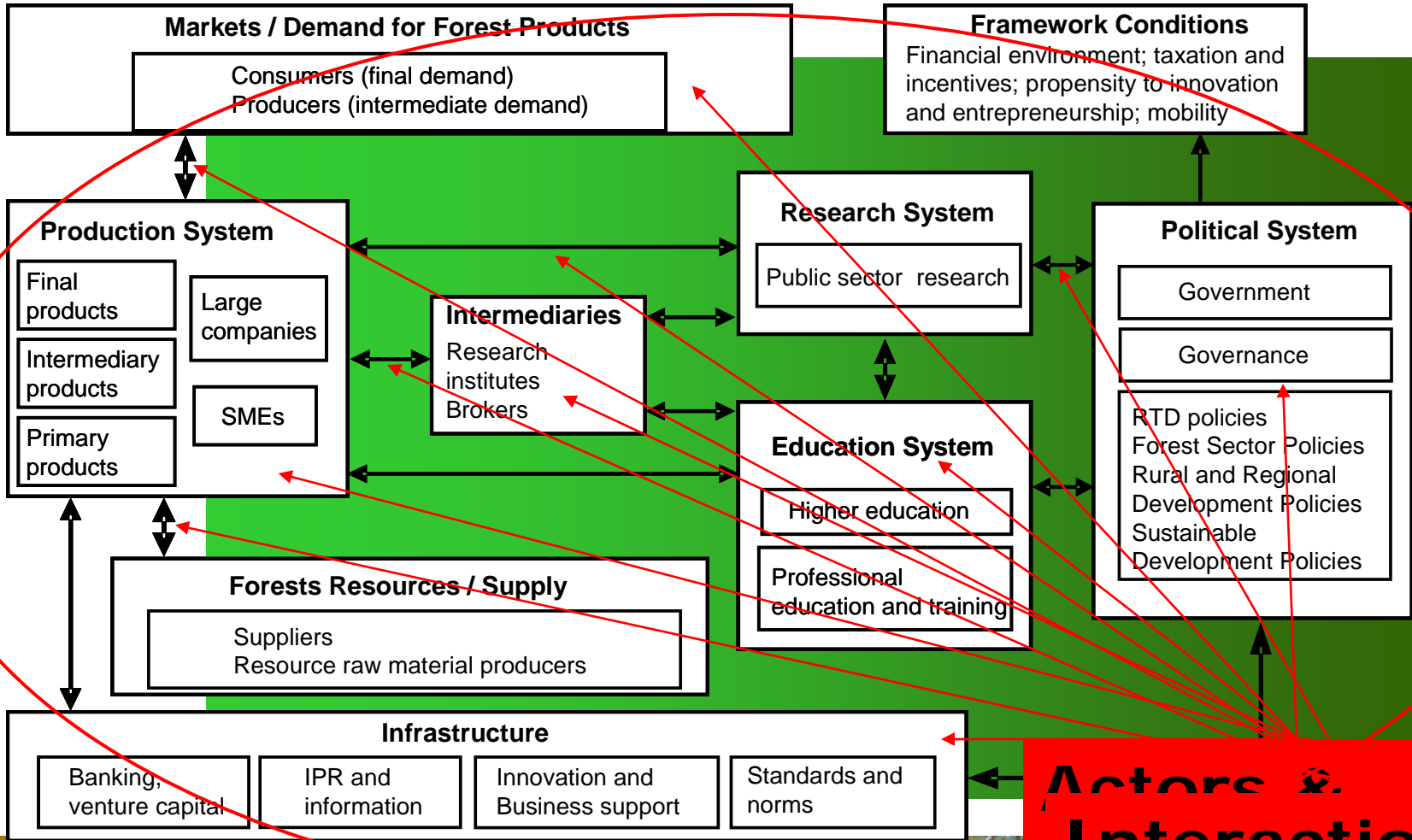
Is it only garages?

Innovation is more....





Systemic Model of Innovation



Actors & Interactions

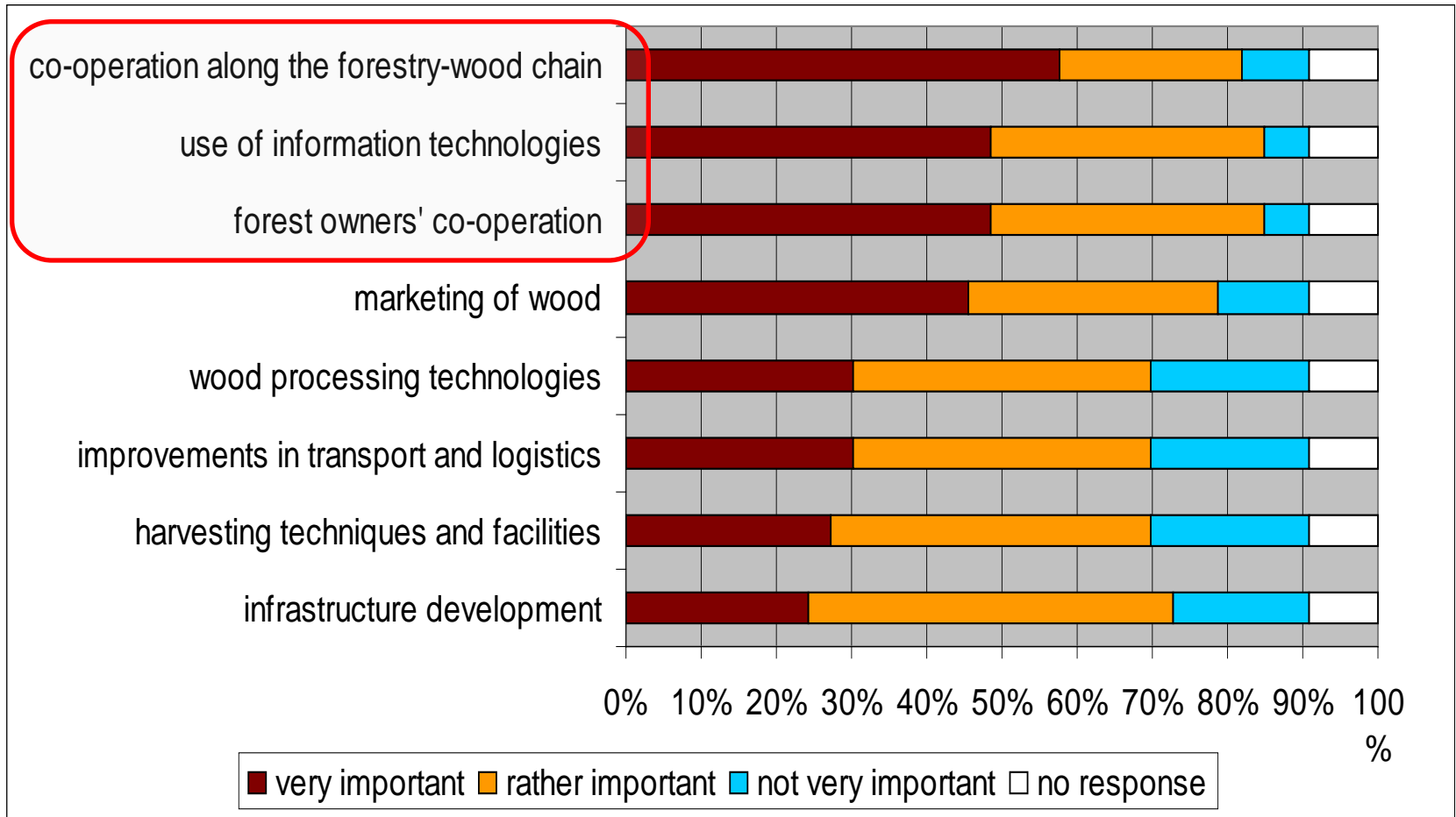
Adapted from Arnold/Kuhmann 2001

System as a whole



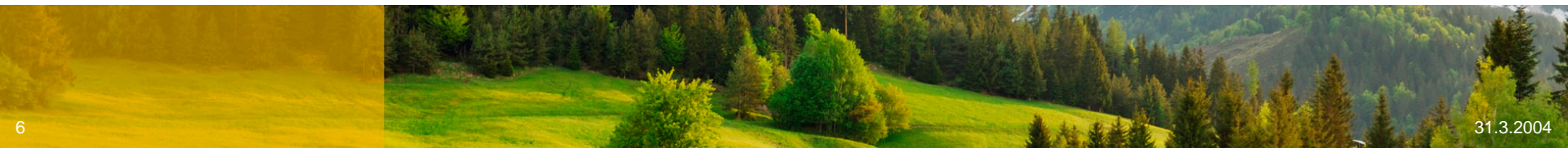
Most important innovation areas

Processes



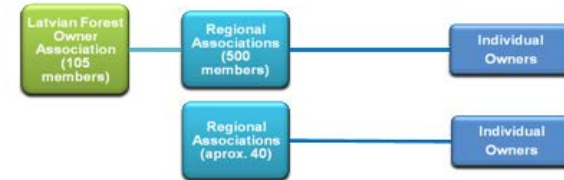
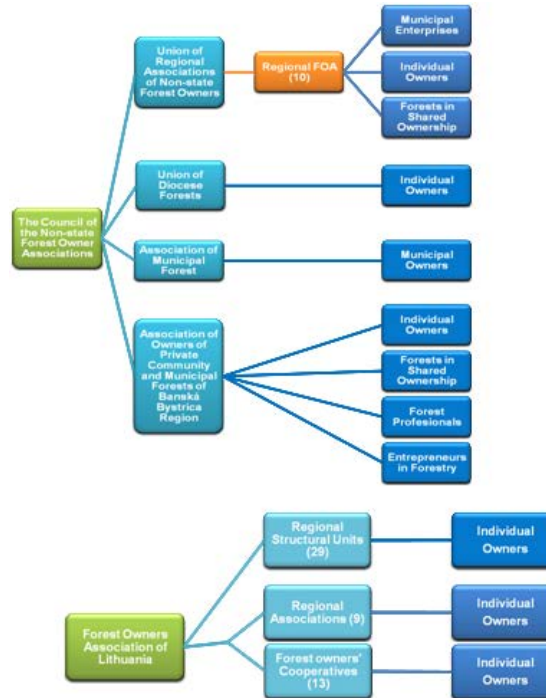


The nexus – a gradient across different levels



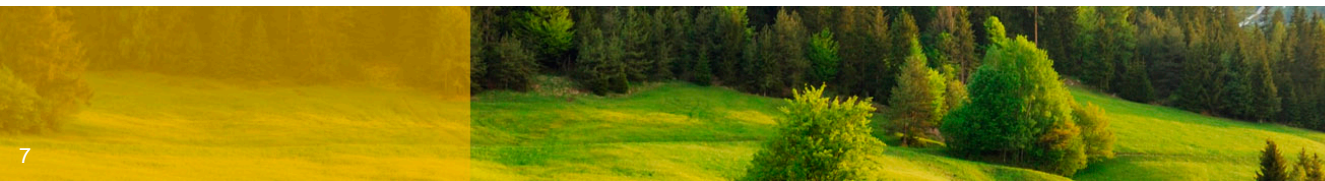


Support organisation – land owners associations



SUCCESS CASES AND GOOD PRACTICES IN FOREST OWNERS' ORGANIZATIONS IN EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

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Market a region

EU Leader initiative to give a thematic identity to a regional; development initiative built around the Boletus mushrooms which are found widely in the area (“territorial marketing”).

LE STRADE DEI VINI E DEI SAPORI

PARMA

LA STRADA DEL FUNGO PORCINO DI BORGOTARO

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La mappa del territorio

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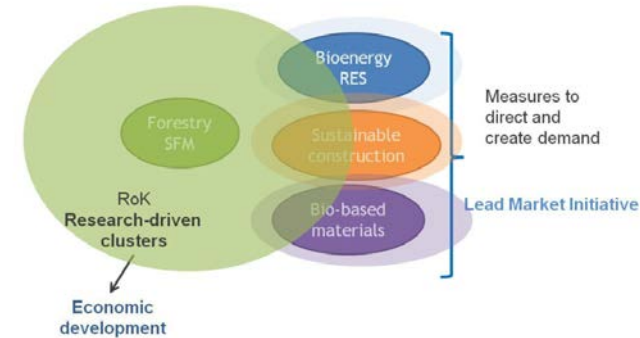
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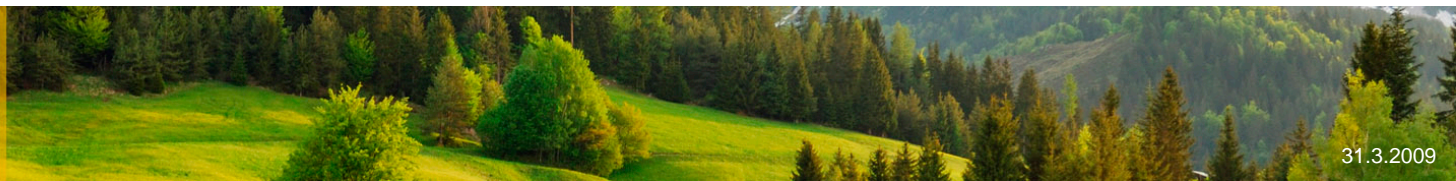
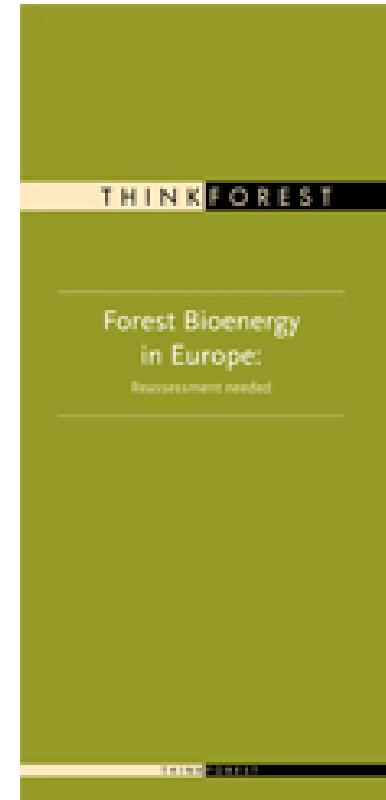
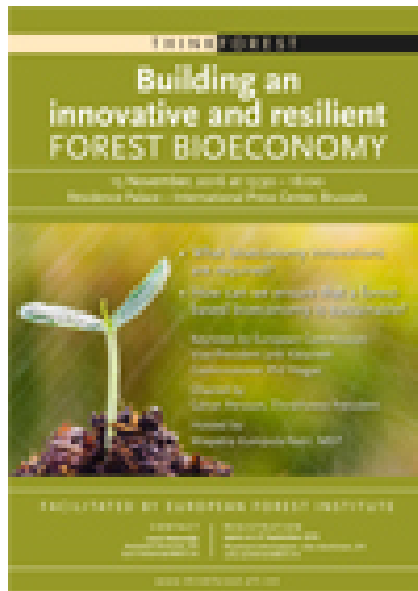
Faciliate cluster creation



- Regional clusters for emerging topics such as bioenergy, climate change response, value chain integrity (e.g FP7- ROKFOR)
- Wood clusters to foster cooperation between producers and processors, retailers (e.g. FP7- In2Wood)
- Cross-sectoral clusters for a forest-based bioeconomy (e.g. Finland – „industrial ecosystems“)
- Forest-based Sector Technology Platform (FTP)



Nexus between Forest Research and Policy Support





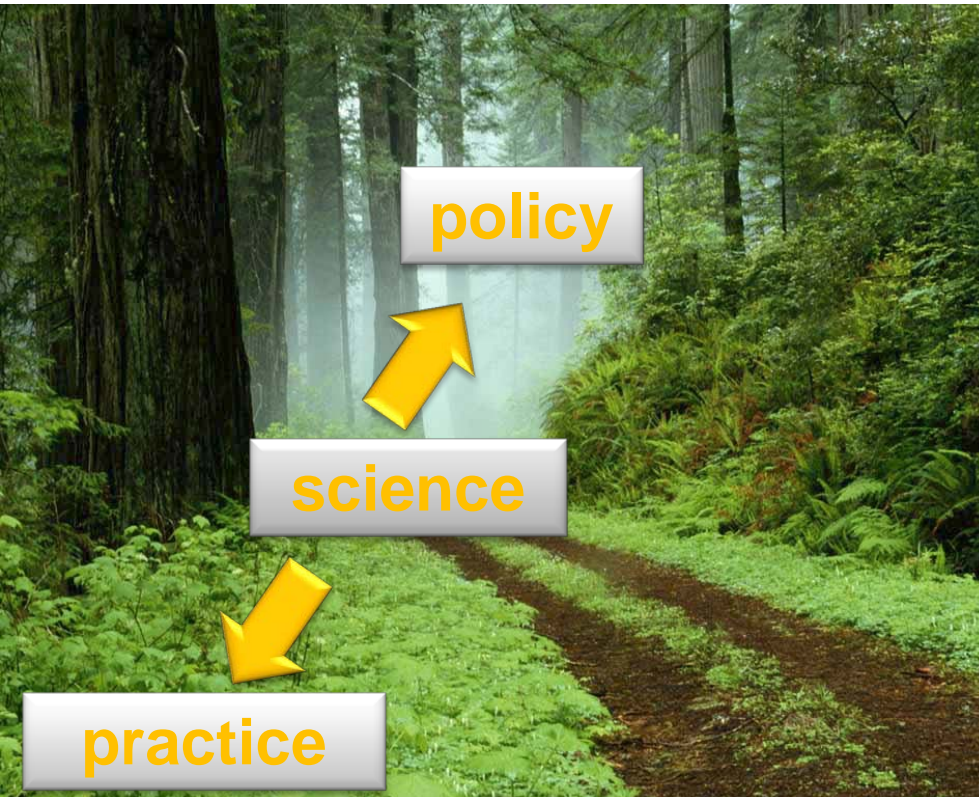
And funding?

- New shift towards national funding
- New means to stipulate funding
 - Regional Strategic Research Agendas (e.g COST TN CAPABAL)
 - Joint Action Plans (FP7 ROKFOR)
 - ERA-Nets (e.g SUMFOREST)
- Connect public funding and business investment - a new form of stakeholder involvement

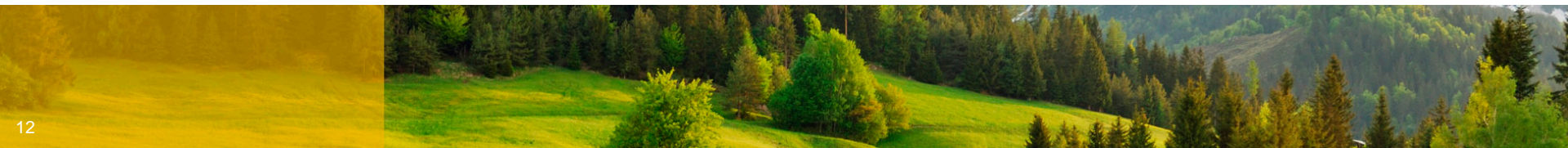




Interfaces...



- science-policy transfer
- practical, applied research
- stakeholder involvement beyond symbolic activities
- providing new inter-community communication channels
- advocacy and agenda-setting of forest-related topics
- Stipulating core funding, seed funding, co-funding
- Link Public-Public, and Public-Private Partnerships





Thank you for your attention

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