

GE3LS WORKSHOP

GE3LS research focuses on the ethical, environmental, economic, legal and social aspects of genomics. Because it reflects the needs of society, GE3LS research has the potential to support the prioritization of forest genetic research in order to facilitate the adoption and application of research results and tools developed. It can help to align research for funding in several ways. By studying the expectations of society and the various groups that compose it, GE3LS research can help to demonstrate the legitimacy of research in all its forms. It facilitates the identification of applied research issues by assessing, among other things, the social acceptability and economic viability of potential applications. Finally, it can facilitate the adoption and integration of applications developed in practices by providing convincing and conclusive data for decision-makers.

This workshop will bring together GE3LS researchers, as well as researchers and professionals in forest genetics in all its forms, in order to encourage the sharing of ideas from complementary horizons on the support needs of research in forest genetics, including the GE3LS research, in its race to 2049.

The potential advances and contribution of the GE3LS research will be shared with all the participants in the form of presentations to feed a common reflection to be held throughout the week. Participants from all disciplines will be invited to share their perspective in a short progressive electronic survey, according to the rhythm of the daily themes.

The following topics will be discussed: end users of forest genetics research, issues and concerns, challenges and barriers to research in the 2049 trajectory, contribution of GE3LS to research, and needs for research support.