



April 20-21, 2026

Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology | Zagreb, Croatia  
30th anniversary of the reintroduction of the beaver in Croatia

## Dear conference participants,

our goal is for each country in the Danube basin to give a presentation highlighting the distribution and status of the beaver population, as well as to prepare posters. *Each presentation should be 15 minutes long. The official language is English.*

## Proposed topics for presentation and posters

1. Distribution of the beaver in the Danube region
2. The beaver and climate change
3. Coexistence with the beaver
4. Other related topics

## Programme:

### 20. April 2026.

08:00 – 09:00 – *Registration of participants*  
09:00 – 09:30 – Official opening of the conference  
09:30 – 10:00 – Short movie: *The Beaver in Croatia – Chronicle of Return*  
10:00 – 11:00 – Presentations (3 presentations)  
11:00 – 11:30 – *Coffee break (poster session)*  
11:30 – 13:00 – Presentations (4 presentations)  
13:00 – 14:00 – *Lunch*  
14:00 – 15:30 – Presentations (4 presentations)  
15:30 – 16:00 – *Coffee break (poster session)*  
16:00 – 17:00 – Presentations (3 presentations)  
17:00 – 17:30 – Round table: Challenges after reintroduction

### 21. April 2026.

09:00 - 19:00 - Excursion - Ivanić Grad - Nature Park Lonjsko Polje

## Registration deadline

15 February 2026

Please fill in registration form at: <https://forms.gle/xjYNKG1rHLH4wrGY8>

## Deadline for submitting presentation/poster abstracts

28 February 2026

Please send abstract to: [beaver@sumfak.unizg.hr](mailto:beaver@sumfak.unizg.hr)

*Final decision on the acceptance of abstracts for oral or poster presentation will be made by the Scientific Committee. Please find the abstract template and poster guidelines in your inbox*

## Conference fee payment

until 28 February 2026 - €150

after 28 February 2026 - €180

*Excursion: additional €40*

Invoice will be issued after sending your registration and confirmation of payment.

*VAT is included. Refund is not possible.*

*Registration fees include a contribution for printed material, coffee breaks and conference lunch*

## Payment

IBAN: HR0923600001101340148

Bank SWIFT code or BIC: ZABAHR2X

Name of the account holder: University of Zagreb Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology

Name of the bank: ZAGREBAČKA BANKA

Address of the bank: Trg Bana Jelačića 10, 10000 Zagreb

Description: Beaver: *Participants first and last name*

## Organizer

University of Zagreb Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology

## Co-organizers

Ivanić Grad Museum, Academy of Forestry Sciences, Tourist Board City of Ivanić-Grad

## Organizing committee

Marijan Grubešić, Josip Margaletić, Stjepan Posavec, Kristijan Tomljanović, Marko Vučelja, Linda Bjedov, Rosana Škrugulja, Ana Gašparović, Karl Andreas Nitsche

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