

Terms and Conditions “Carbon Forestry” Course

1. Contact

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2. Conditions of participation

An application is required (via registration form). Once participants have been accepted, they will receive their registration confirmation by email. Please ensure that your valid email is entered correctly on the form. All essential information will be delivered only via mail for registered attendees. The Chair of Silviculture / Faculty of Environment and Natural Resources will send participants a notification letter once the registration is completed.

Change/flexibility in format of instruction

The course is planned as a hybrid version with about 1.5 weeks of online and 1.5 weeks of live engagement in Freiburg. The organizers may change this envisaged hybrid format of the course in light of new dynamics regarding the pandemic situation as well as in light of travel restrictions for a significant amount of participants. Non-payment of invoice sent to you is NOT recognized as a cancellation. All cancellations and requests for refunds MUST be submitted in written form by the deadlines listed within this policy.

Withdrawing from application after acceptance

Withdrawal from the application or the course can only be accepted in written form. Refund requests postmarked (date of email, fax) prior to 21 calendar days before the start of the course will receive a 50% refund. Non-payment of invoice sent to you is NOT recognized as a cancellation. All cancellations and requests for refunds MUST be submitted in written form by the deadlines listed within this policy.

Minimum number of participants and cancellation

If the minimum number of participants is not achieved, or if the course cannot take place due to *force majeure* or for other good reasons, already paid participation fees will be refunded without deduction. Further claims are excluded.

Certificates

Participants will receive a Qualified Participation Certificate and (optionally) ECTS points (if they pass all examinations).

Disclaimer

The University with its members or agents shall not be liable for damage caused to the participants or their belongings, except that the damage was caused intentionally or through gross negligence. This does not apply to personal injury caused in this respect. There is no liability for consequential damages. The statutory provisions shall apply. In the case of invalidity of individual clauses, the other clauses shall remain valid. German law shall exclusively be applicable.

Liability/insurance

There is no liability insurance coverage for persons participating in the training program offered by the University of Freiburg. The University of Freiburg as well as its employees, members, associates and servants shall therefore not be liable for damages resulting from the participation in the training program or on the way to/during travel related to the training program. Claims that cannot be excluded in accordance to mandatory law, especially damages caused deliberately or through gross negligence by the University or damages to the body, life or physical condition or health, remain unaffected.

It is recalled that there may be no statutory accident insurance coverage during the participation in the training program of the University of Freiburg.

Data protection / Right of information

You have the right upon request to receive information about your data stored by the Albert-Ludwigs-University and the right to ask for rectification of inaccurate data (access and rectification). A request for information or corrections should be directed in writing to the course email. The data transmitted to the University of Freiburg is only stored for contract processing purposes and is not intended for disclosure to third parties, unless agreed otherwise (e.g. Alumni network).

The participant agrees that photographic material taken of him/her during the course may be used by the Chair of Silviculture for promotional and educational purposes. The participants can object to this agreement by sending an email to: carbon.forestry@waldbau.uni-freiburg.de.