

Faculty of Forest Sciences at SLU in Sweden – a hotspot for boreal forest and climate change research.

The faculty of Forest Sciences at SLU (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences) is situated in the boreal forest part of the world. The mission of SLU is to develop the understanding and sustainable use of biological natural resources. This is achieved through research, teaching, and environmental monitoring and assessment. The main campus of the Faculty is located in Umeå, but there are also departments in Uppsala, Alnarp, and Skinnskatteberg. Eight experimental forests exist throughout the country. They offer a unique long-term continuity in the study of forest stands, vegetation, soil conditions, water, and climate.
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