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Academy Lunch Talks

Digital Lunch Talks with International Fellows 2026



The Academy will in short digital lunch talks introduce our international fellows and their work in order to inspire and disseminate information on well-known or less well-known research and sometimes hidden facts. Please find more information on each talk on www.ksla.se

2026-08-17 kl 11.30–12.45: “Decoding the Social Aspects of Forest Debate” with **Associate professor Purabi Bose***, Goa, India. Presenter Professor Camilla Sandström*, Umeå University.

2026-09-02 kl 11.30–12.45: ”Livsmedel som en nyckel till beredskap och resiliens i en mer osäker värld” med **direktör Markus Lassheikki***, Strategi och försörjningsberedskap, Centraförbundet för lant- och skogsbruksproducenter, Helsingfors. Samtalsledare professor Helena Hansson*.

2026-10-22 at 11.30 am until 12.45 pm: “The Nordic Forest Cooperation and the Case of Iceland” with **Professor Jón Geir Pétursson***, Environment and Natural Resources, School of Engineering and Natural Sciences Environment and Natural Resources, University of Iceland. Presenter professor Camilla Sandström*.

2026-10-23 at 11.30 am until 12.45 pm: “Evaluating social impact of Nature-based Solutions” with **Senior Expert Heidi Tuhkanen***, Sustainable Cities and Resilient Communities Unit, SEI Tallinn. Presenter professor Thomas Randrup*.

2026-11-18 at 11.30 until 12.45 pm: “Climate change and its agriculture and forest dimensions” with **Director General Petteri Taalas***, MBA DG’s Office, International Cooperation, Stakeholder Relations, Finnish Meteorological Institute FMI. Presenter Agronomist Rolf Brennerfelt*.

PROGRAMME

11.15	Zoom Link opens
11.30	Introduction and presentation of the speakers
11.35	Lunch Talk starts
12.00	Questions and General discussion
12.30	Closing remarks