WP1 – Project coordination, dissemination, exploitation and communication

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Advisory Board mid-term evaluation
Task 1.1 – Project coordination

6 meetings from September 2019 to December 2020 were organized between the Project Coordinator and the WP leaders to evaluate project progress and provide guidance regarding the future work.

Task 1.2 - Identification of the network of stakeholders and generation of the project network

Network of stakeholders
- Forest Administrations of the five regions whose territory was hit by Vaia storm (Lombardia Region, Bolzano Autonomous Province, Trento Autonomous Province, Veneto Region, Friuli Venezia Giulia Autonomous Region)
- Agency for Innovation in the Primary Sector of Veneto Region
- Regional Command of Forest Carabinieri
- Interregional Consortium of Forest Enterprises
- Study Center for Mountain – Giovanni Angelini
Task 1.3 - Dissemination, exploitation and communication of project results

Web page
- Web page inside the Dept. TESAF website (https://www.tesaf.unipd.it/en/research/dept-tesaf-projects)

Conferences and webinars
- Project opening conference «The Vaia storm: taking stock and looking ahead» (October 30, 2019)
- Conference in the frame of Fiera&Festival delle Foreste «The contribution of research two years after the VAIA storm. The role of the Department of Land and Agro-forestry Systems (TESAF) of the University of Padova» (September 14, 2020)
- Webinar “Vaia-FRONT research project and Young Scientists for Vaia” (July 2, 2020)

Task 1.3 - Dissemination, exploitation and communication of project results

Publications
- Photographic portfolio “There’s no calm after the storm” in the frame of the multimedia project Climate Change Italia carried out by Contrasto (https://www.contrasto.it/?LCID=2) and Istituto Oikos (https://www.istituto-oikos.org/en)
- Participation of the researchers in conferences at national and international level
- Publication of the research results in scientific journals