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November 2021

Register Now - December 8th Virtual Gathering

[Join us](#) on December 8, 2021, from 3:30-5:00pm ET; 2:30-4:00pm CT; 1:30-3:00pm MT; 12:30-2:00pm PT to celebrate the Women's Forest Congress and aligned organizations. Hear stories from organizations who share our values and are raising the profile of gender equity in the broader forest, conservation, and recreation spaces. Grab your favorite beverage and listen to their stories, then join "book club" style networking discussions. Registration is limited to the first 300 individuals.

2022 is Right Around the Corner!

Stay tuned for announcements regarding upcoming virtual events in the first half of the year and of course, if you haven't done so yet, [mark your calendars](#) to join us October 17-20, 2022, in Minneapolis, MN!

WFC Blog

This month, Rachel Comte - Principal, Arborist, and Urban Planner at [Urban Canopy Works](#) LLC based in Kentucky - shares why it's so important to get involved in whatever way or ways

A Note of Gratitude

As we move into a season of Thanksgiving, the Women's Forest Congress wants to thank our growing network for their continued support and engagement. Our Advisory Council continues to provide guidance and advice to the planning and implementation of the Women's Forest Congress. Additionally, our working groups rolled up their sleeves throughout 2021 to support the growing Women's Forest Congress movement. These groups helped us design dynamic and engaging virtual events, ensured diverse representation; promoted and engaged partners; and developed and delivered content that will inform topics to expand in 2022. You'll hear more about the working group's evolution during our December 8, 2021 event, so be sure to [register](#) today. We are truly grateful for all the amazing women and allies supporting the Women's Forest Congress.

Fun Fact of the Month

#DYK November is Native American Heritage Month in the US? As noted in the President's [proclamation](#), this month we "celebrate the countless contributions of Native peoples past and present, honor the influence they have had on the advancement of our Nation, and recommit ourselves to upholding trust and treaty responsibilities, strengthening Tribal sovereignty, and advancing Tribal self-determination." Check out the various [exhibits and collections](#) of The Library of Congress, National Archives and Records Administration, National Endowment for the Humanities, National Gallery of Art, National Park Service, Smithsonian Institution and United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, "paying tribute to the rich ancestry and traditions of Native Americans."

THERE IS A NEED – ARGUABLY TODAY MORE THAN EVER – FOR DIVERSE PERSPECTIVES TO HELP ENSURE THE HEALTH AND FUTURE OF FORESTS.



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