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Hamish Kimmins heeft Patrick Jansen en Mark van Benthem ooit indirect gestimuleerd om een boek te gaan schrijven over de manier waarop praktisch bosbeheer bij kan dragen aan behoud of herstel van de biodiversiteit. In de Canadian Forest Service Newsletter uit 2002 stond een interview met hem, waarin hij een heel ander beeld gaf van de rol van bosbeheer dan vaak in Nederland werd verkondigd. Het lag dan ook voor de hand om deze vooraanstaande boscoloog te vragen om het voorwoord voor zijn rekening te nemen en uiteindelijk ook naar Nederland te komen voor de boekpresentatie en de eerste Probos lezing. De boekpresentatie vindt plaats op 2 april op kasteel Doorwerth (zie onder knop evenementen), waarbij Hamish Kimmins een korte presentatie zal geven. De avond daarvoor zal hij echter een uitgebreide lezing verzorgen op de eerste Probos lezing onder de titel 'Ecological theatre'. De bedoeling is om elke 1 tot 2 jaar een Probos lezing te organiseren met vooraanstaande buitenlandse sprekers. Hieronder treft u een korte beschrijving van Hamish Kimmins aan, onder andere met een interview en het voorwoord uit het boek.

Interview

Viewpoint Newsletter (Fall 2007). Viewpoint is the national newsletter of the Canadian Forest Service (CFS) of Natural Resources Canada.

Voorwoord

Voor het voorwoord uit het boek 'Bosbeheer en biodiversiteit'.

Opleiding

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