

JOIN THE FIGHT AGAINST DEFORESTATION BE A PART OF THE CHANGE IN SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT IN EUROPE

AROUND **420 MILLION HECTARES OF FOREST**, COMPARABLE TO 588 FOOTBALL FIELDS, WERE LOST BETWEEN 1990 AND 2020 THE EUROPEAN UNION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR 16% OF THE WORLD'S EMBEDDED DEFORESTATION AND IS TAKING ACTION TO ADDRESS THIS ISSUE

Deforestation and forest degradation are major drivers of climate change and biodiversity loss. The European Union (EU) plays a significant role in these processes as the **secondlargest global importer of forest risk commodities** such as **soy, palm oil, beef and leather, wood, cocoa, coffee, and rubber.** This phenomenon is known as **embedded deforestation**, indicating that many products traded in the EU come from supply chains contributing to deforestation.

To tackle this issue, in 2023 the EU adopted the

EU REGULATION ON DEFORESTATION-FREE PRODUCTS (EUDR)

to **prevent companies** from placing in, making available on, or exporting from the EU market **commodities and products associated with deforestation and forest degradation**.

HOW CAN WE ADDRESS THIS CHALLENGE?

OUR SOLUTION:



EMMA4EU, the **Innovation alliance** for training programmes for deforestation-free supply chains in Europe, is an initiative co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme.

It aims to promote EUDR implementation by developing innovative training for **deforestation-free supply chains in Europe**. Its ultimate goal is to facilitate knowledge exchange and create a new professional role: the Deforestation-Free Supply Chains Manager.

ARE YOU A PROFESSIONAL, A RESEARCHER OR A STUDENT?

JOIN

Engage with stakeholders, share knowledge and create innovative solutions for deforestation-free supply chains.



LEARN

Access resources and insights to learn about the EUDR and deforestationfree supply chains.



Explore courses and training programs to improve your skills in facing deforestationrelated challenges.

WHY SHOULD YOU JOIN THE EMMA4EU PROJECT?

- To enhance your entrepreneurship and innovation skills in the field of deforestation-free supply chains.
- To access free webinars, reports, training materials, and find out about networking and job opportunities
- To collaborate on developing a new professional profile and create an innovative curriculum for deforestation-free supply chain management



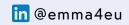
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