



## Biological Community Responses to Forest Restoration

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Various restoration attempts focus on forest environments. Our understanding of the responses given by the biota found in these forests when restorative actions are taken is crucial in order to evaluate the effectiveness of such attempts.

This special issue of *Forests* welcomes articles that review, evaluate, and theorize on biological community responses to forest restoration, from ecological, genetical, or evolutionary viewpoints.

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