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**NEWSLETTER**



## NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

### Congratulations to Professor Claudio Smiraglia for the award of the Honorary Degree

We congratulate our friend and colleague Claudio Smiraglia, former Professor of Physical Geography, Climatology, and Glaciology at the Department of Earth Sciences of the University of Milan, to which the Department of Earth Sciences of the University of Florence awarded the Honorary Degree in Geological Sciences and Technologies.

### UNIMONT attended the event "Officinali in agricoltura: una scelta 'sostenibile'"

Friday, March 31 Dr Luca Giupponi, researcher at the Department of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences (DISAA) - Polo UNIMONT of the University of Milan participated in the event "Officinali in agricoltura: una scelta 'sostenibile'" addressing the theme of agrobiodiversity and the characterization of medicinal species that can represent new productive opportunities for small mountain businesses.

### Become a mountain professional: discover the training offer of the UNIMONT Campus!

The UNIMONT Campus of the University of Milan presents a complete educational offer – a Bachelor's Degree Course (L-25) and a Master's Degree Course (LM-73) – dedicated to the enhancement and promotion of the sustainable development of mountain areas.

### UNIMONT spoke at the Champoluc Green Talks on the theme "Montagne, maestre silenziose di sostenibilità"

On Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March, Prof. Anna Giorgi, Head of the UNIMONT Centre of the University of Milan, was a guest at the fourth meeting of the Green Talks organized in Champoluc in order to promote a discussion on environmental sustainability with experts in the sector and with the presence of local authorities.

### UNIMONT participated in the Senate conference "I BACINI IMBRIFERI MONTANI al tempo della crisi idrica ed energetica"

On Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, Prof. Anna Giorgi, Head of the UNIMONT Centre of the University of Milan, spoke in Rome at the conference "Mountain catchment basins during the water and energy crisis" organized by FederBIM for World Water Day 2023.

### UNIMONT and DISAA took part in the seminar "Il patrimonio forestale lombardo: multifunzionalità e gestione sostenibile" for the International Day of Forests

On Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March, lecturers and researchers of the Department of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences (DISAA) - UNIMONT Centre of the University of Milan took part in the seminar "Il patrimonio forestale lombardo: multifunzionalità e gestione sostenibile" organized as part of the International Day of Forests.

### UNIMONT attended the kick-off meeting of the PNRR iNEST – Spoke 1 consortium in Bolzano

On Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March, Prof. Anna Giorgi, Head of the UNIMONT Centre of the University of Milan, spoke at the kick-off meeting of the PNRR iNEST - Spoke 1 consortium on the topic of research and innovation in mountain areas, presenting UNIMONT's experience in these fields.

### "Young Entrepreneurs in the Mountains" – Take part and share the survey on youth entrepreneurship in Italian mountain areas, to understand its value and potential, to facilitate its success!

The GIM - Young Entrepreneurs in the Mountains questionnaire is aimed at Italian entrepreneurs aged between 18 and 40 and aims to map and characterize the enterprises set up by young people in Italian mountain areas: <https://survey.zohopublic.eu/zs/3zDH5i> (the questionnaire is in Italian only).



## STUDY IN UNIMONT

### Happy Easter!

The UNIMONT Campus of the University of Milan will be closed from Thursday 6th to Monday 10th April 2023.

### Master's degree enrollment is open

On 6th March, enrollments have been opened for the Master's Degree Course (LM-73) in Valorization and Sustainable Development Of Mountain Areas - MOUNTAINSIDE.

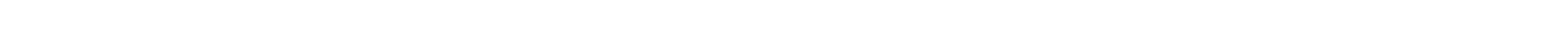
### 27th May 2023 OPEN DAY | Bachelor's Degree

Save the date! On 27th May 2023 will be held the Open Day of the Degree Course (class L-25) in Development and Protection of the Mountain Environment.



## NEXT EVENTS

### 13th April 2023 | Le vette dell'innovazione tecnologica: La Dolomiti Innovation Valley



The creation of the largest open-air laboratory in Europe among the World Heritage Sites where companies, start-ups, spin-offs, research centers will be able to test, test and validate new technologies.

### 17th April 2023 | Polo alpino di competenza sulla lana

Presentation of the project of a centre of expertise at the level of the Alps to maintain, enhance and promote knowledge of the culture of wool in all its aspects (production, history, management, etc.), generating a socio-economic spin-off in a peripheral region.

### 19th April 2023 | RacCONTA LA MONTAGNA: Leonardo Caffo, La montagna di fuoco

In the *Montagna di fuoco*, a passion for the volcano that unites a father and a son is intertwined. And while the father, the volcanologist Salvatore Caffo, narrates its history and essence, the son, a philosopher, outlines its spirit, which conditions the entire landscape and inhabitants of Etna.

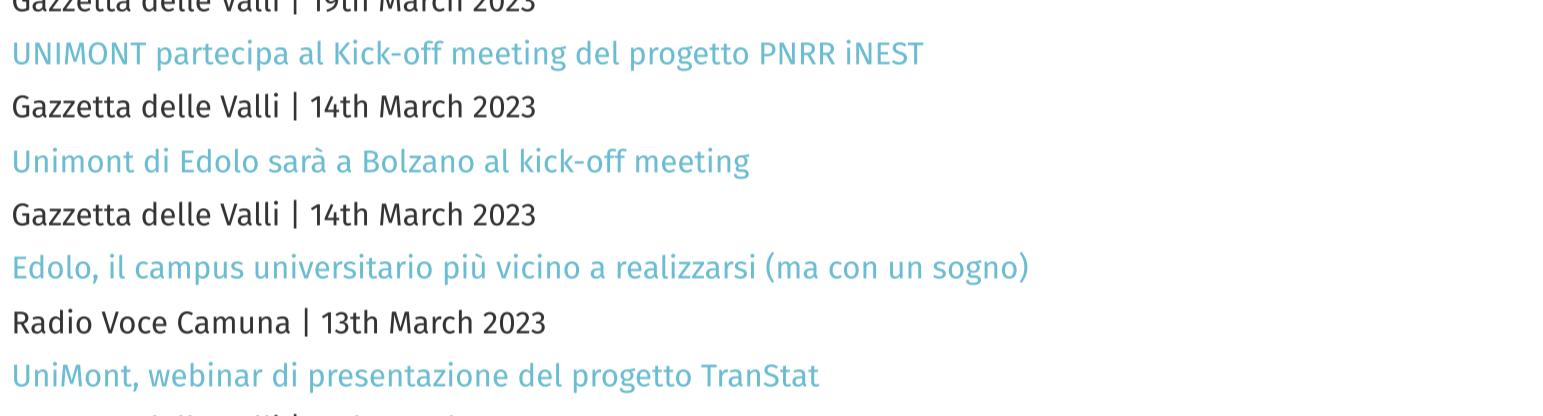
### 20th April 2023 | AGROECOLOGY IN THE RIFT VALLEY: a model from Laikipia Permaculture Centre on the slopes of mount Kenya

The seminar will report the results of projects realized in collaboration with local and international partners, in supporting regenerative agroforestry, climate resilience, small farming solutions and the improvement of local agrifood production, with the aim to protect natural resources and improve the communities' sustainable development.



## NEW PUBLICATIONS

Giupponi L., Leoni V., Pedrali D., Giorgi A.(2023). Restoration of vegetation greenness and possible changes in mature forest communities in two forests damaged by the Vaia storm in Northern Italy. *Plants* 2023, 12(6), 1369.



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