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Welcome Message

In Korea, forests and trees have always served as the place to live, work and rest. You can read a brief history of forests in Korea in the welcome message from the Minister of the Korea Forest Service. If you are further interested in the opportunity to learn from forest-related stories and experience of Korea or policies and activities of the Korean forestry authority, go to this page.

Venue of the XV World Forestry Congress – COEX

The Congress will be held at COEX, which is Asia’s largest mixed-use development space - with convention center, exhibition center, shopping and other features. It is located in the cultural heart of Seoul. Further info here.