



## Intensive Study Site Grants Available in 2014

You are a PhD Student, a Post-Doctoral Student or a Researcher and you are a member of an EVOLTREE partner lab? Then make the most of a grant to carry out research work on one or more of the Intensive Study Sites (ISS) established within EVOLTREE. Activities may include sample collection, monitoring established experiments, setting up new experiments, or other work related to studies on forest ecosystems.

Consult the ISS web page (<http://www.evoltree.eu/index.php/intensive-study-sites>) for detailed information about the ISS type and location, the ISS infrastructure, a list of projects so far conducted (Sept 2013), a list of permanent tree samples (Sept 2013) and the Framework Agreement with data sharing policies.

### *How much is the grant?*

The sum of 3000 Euros is the **maximum** amount that you will be reimbursed for your expenses. You will only be reimbursed for the amount you spend on receipt of the originals of your receipts. You will be responsible for covering costs beyond the amount of 3000 Euros.

### *I'm interested, so how do I apply?*

Fill in the [application form](#) available for download on the EVOLTREE website, save it as and send it by email to **Stephanie.hayes(at)efi.int**.

Applications can be made at any time during the year and will be evaluated by the EVOLTREE Executive Committee, the ISS Coordinator (François Lefèvre) and the relevant ISS coordinator(s).

### *Once I have completed the research on the ISS, what happens then?*

When applying for the grant, you will be asked to agree to make data from your work on the site available on one of the EVOLTREE e-Lab data repositories (<http://www.evoltree.eu/index.php/elab>). We will also request you to provide us with a brief one page "Back-to-office" report once the work has been completed.

**Should you have any queries regarding this grant, please contact:** [stephanie.hayes\(at\)efi.int](mailto:stephanie.hayes(at)efi.int)