



# FORESTRESTORATIONWIKI INSTRUCTIONS

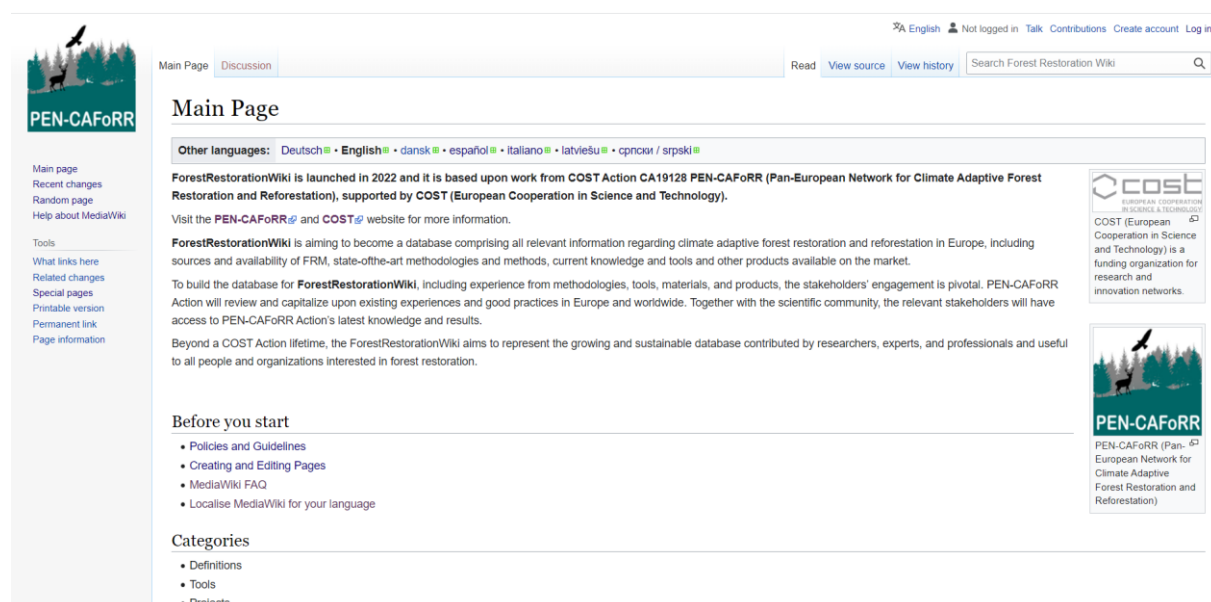
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# 1. Just visiting and watching

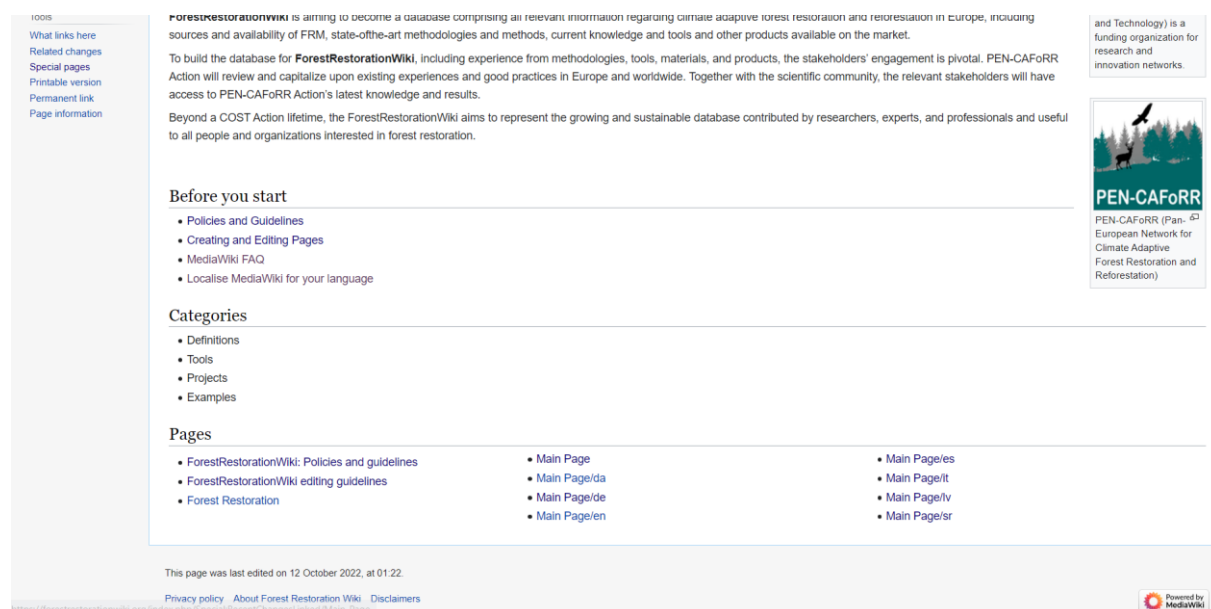
The address of our wiki site is <https://forestrestorationwiki.org/>

Once you get there, you will see following screen:



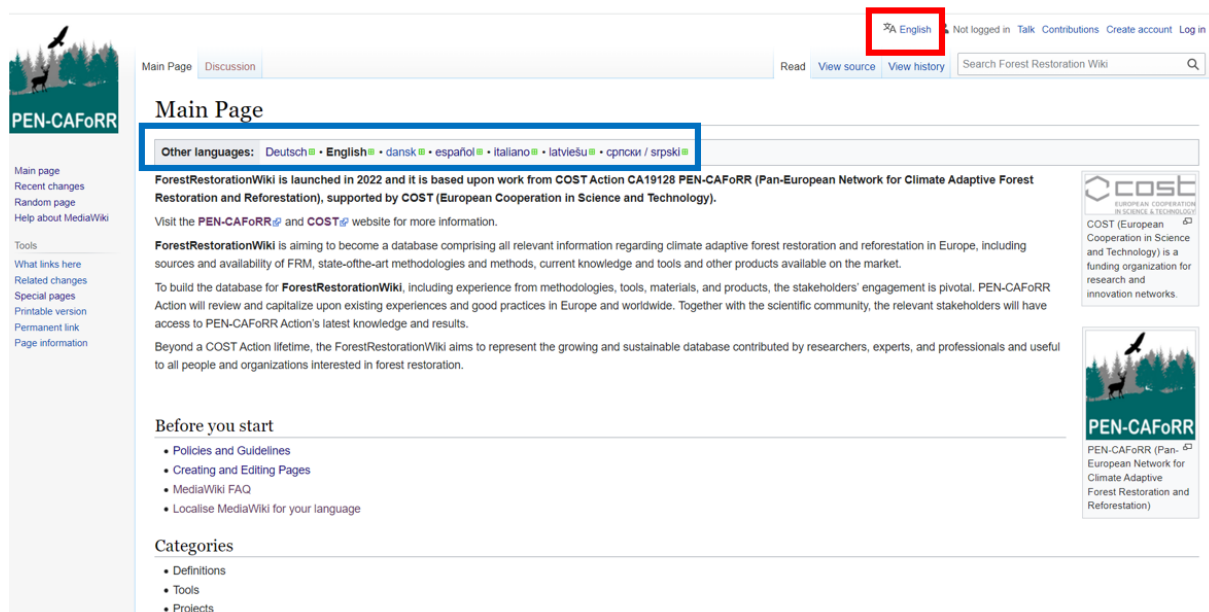
By typing of term of your interest in the search field in the upper left side of the page, you can search available pages.

By scrolling down, you will see all pages available:



In PEN-CAFoRR COST Action (CA19128) we are aiming to translate ForestRestorationPage to as many languages as we can with native language speakers review and revisions. Yet, if your native language is not on the list of translated pages (blue frame on the figure bellow), you can use the machine

translator by click and choosing your language in the language menu (red frame on the figure bellow).



The screenshot shows the main page of the PEN-CAFoRR wiki. At the top right, there is a language menu with a red box around the 'English' option. Below the language menu, the page title 'Main Page' is displayed. A blue box highlights the 'Other languages' section, which lists various languages including Deutsch, English, dansk, español, italiano, latviešu, and српски / srpski. The page content includes a paragraph about the wiki's launch in 2022, its purpose as a database for forest restoration, and a list of links for 'Before you start' and 'Categories'.

Not logged in | Talk | Contributions | Create account | Log in

English

Main Page | Discussion

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## Main Page

Other languages: Deutsch • English • dansk • español • italiano • latviešu • српски / srpski

ForestRestorationWiki is launched in 2022 and it is based upon work from COST Action CA19128 PEN-CAFoRR (Pan-European Network for Climate Adaptive Forest Restoration and Reforestation), supported by COST (European Cooperation in Science and Technology).

Visit the [PEN-CAFoRR](#) and [COST](#) website for more information.

**ForestRestorationWiki** is aiming to become a database comprising all relevant information regarding climate adaptive forest restoration and reforestation in Europe, including sources and availability of FRM, state-of-the-art methodologies and methods, current knowledge and tools and other products available on the market.

To build the database for **ForestRestorationWiki**, including experience from methodologies, tools, materials, and products, the stakeholders' engagement is pivotal. PEN-CAFoRR Action will review and capitalize upon existing experiences and good practices in Europe and worldwide. Together with the scientific community, the relevant stakeholders will have access to PEN-CAFoRR Action's latest knowledge and results.

Beyond a COST Action lifetime, the ForestRestorationWiki aims to represent the growing and sustainable database contributed by researchers, experts, and professionals and useful to all people and organizations interested in forest restoration.

### Before you start

- Policies and Guidelines
- Creating and Editing Pages
- MediaWiki FAQ
- Localise MediaWiki for your language

### Categories

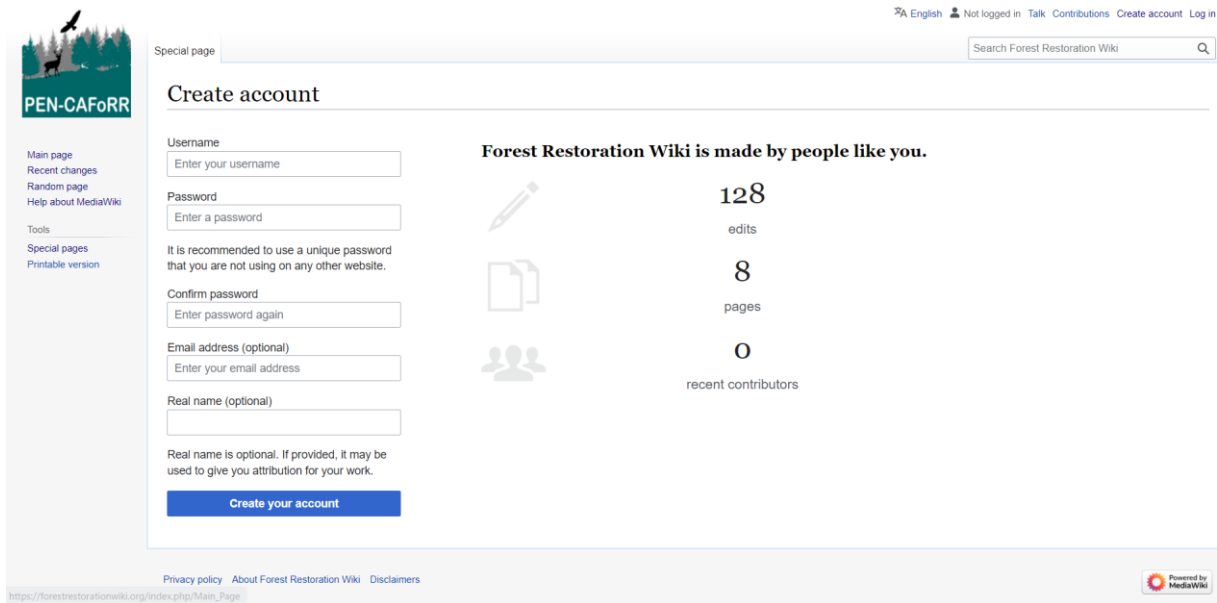
- Definitions
- Tools
- Projects

**cost**  
EUROPEAN COOPERATION  
IN SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY  
COST (European  
Cooperation in Science  
and Technology) is a  
funding organization for  
research and  
innovation networks.

**PEN-CAFoRR**  
PEN-CAFoRR (Pan-  
European Network for  
Climate Adaptive  
Forest Restoration and  
Reforestation)

## 2. Creating account

On the upper right side of the (any) page click on the [Create account](#) link. It will bring you to the following page:



The screenshot shows the 'Create account' page of the Forest Restoration Wiki. The page has a light blue header with a search bar and navigation links. On the left is a sidebar with a logo and various links. The main content area contains a form with fields for Username, Password, Confirm password, Email address (optional), and Real name (optional). To the right of the form, there is a statistics box titled 'Forest Restoration Wiki is made by people like you.' showing 128 edits, 8 pages, and 0 recent contributors. At the bottom of the form is a blue 'Create your account' button. The footer includes a privacy policy link and a 'Powered by MediaWiki' logo.

Special page

**Create account**

Username

Password

It is recommended to use a unique password that you are not using on any other website.

Confirm password


Email address (optional)


Real name (optional)


Real name is optional. If provided, it may be used to give you attribution for your work.

**Create your account**

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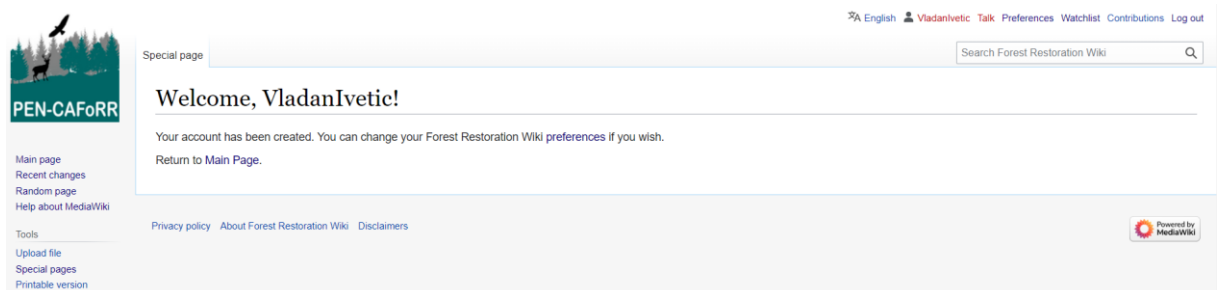
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[https://forestrestorationwiki.org/index.php/Main\\_Page](https://forestrestorationwiki.org/index.php/Main_Page)

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After filling the requested data, click on the “Create your account” button and you will create your account and a personal page, like this:



The screenshot shows the 'Welcome, VladanIvetic!' page of the Forest Restoration Wiki. The page has a light blue header with a search bar and navigation links. On the left is a sidebar with a logo and various links. The main content area contains a welcome message and a link to the user's preferences. At the bottom of the page is a 'Powered by MediaWiki' logo.

Special page

**Welcome, VladanIvetic!**

Your account has been created. You can change your Forest Restoration Wiki preferences if you wish.  
[Return to Main Page.](#)

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After this, you can do much more! For example, you can:

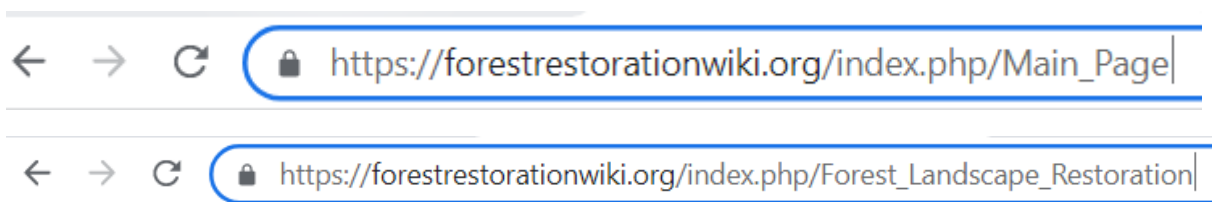
1. Create the new page (MOSTLY APPRICIATED!!!)
2. Edit existing page!
3. Discuss the content of the existing page.
4. Translate the existing page to your native, or any other language.

### 3. Create the new page

First, check does the page that you want to contribute to already exist, by looking at the bottom of the Main Page:



If it exists, go to the “Edit existing page” section of this instruction. If it does not exist, you can easily create it by replacing “Main\_Page” the name of the new page in the address line of your browser, like on following two figures:

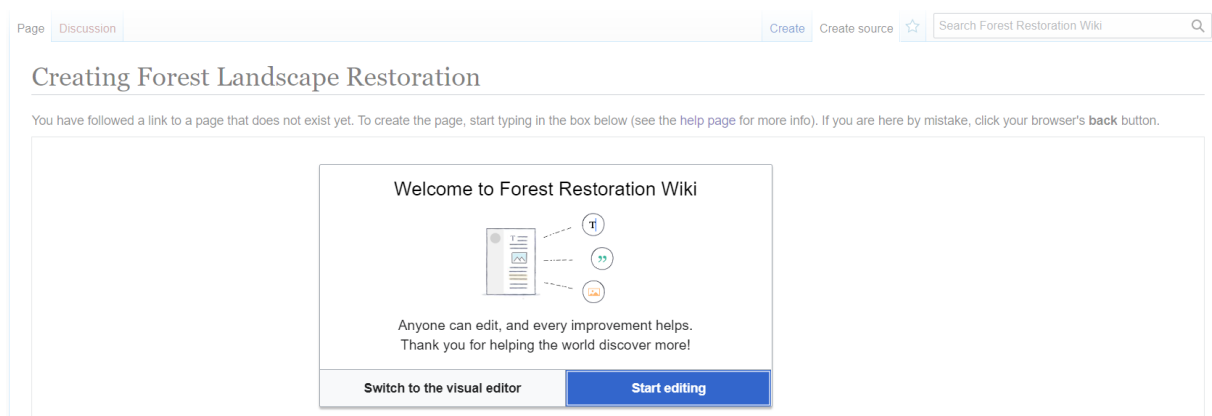


When you are typing the name of the new page, you can leave the empty space between words as the ( ) sign will be added automatically to the address. This action will automatically create the draft page.

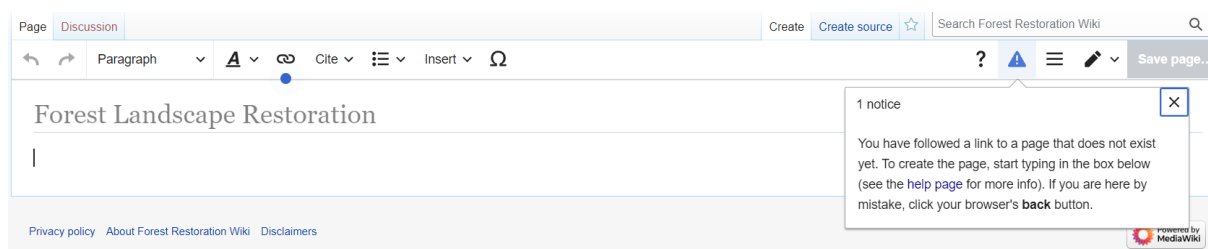


You can finally create the new page by clicking at one of the two links framed in red at the above figure.

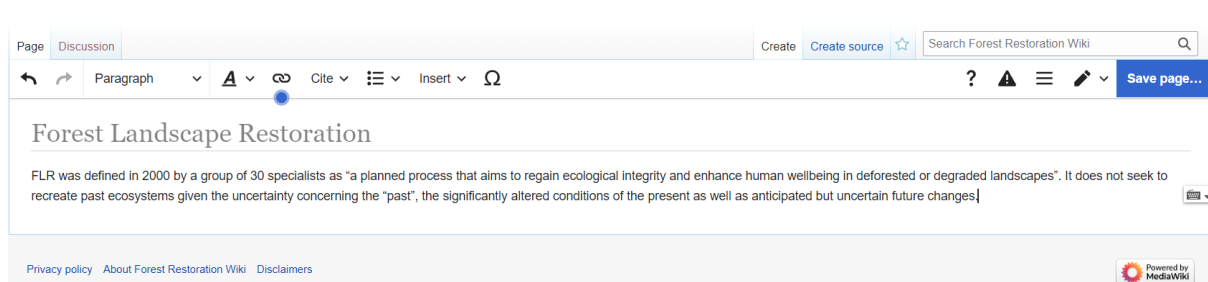
You will be taken to the following page:



I suggest you to “Switch to the visual editor” as it does not require knowledge of the script for editing the pages. This tool is installed to help to the ForestRestorationWiki contributors. You will get the instruction on how to proceed.



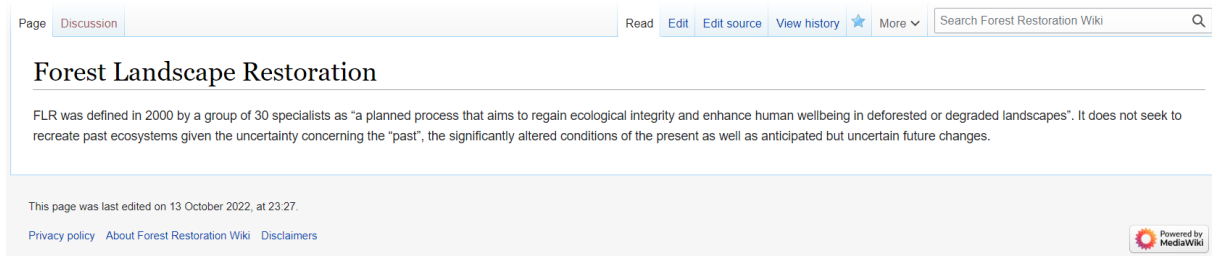
By typing some text below the page title and by clicking the “Save page...” button at the upper right corner, you will create the page.



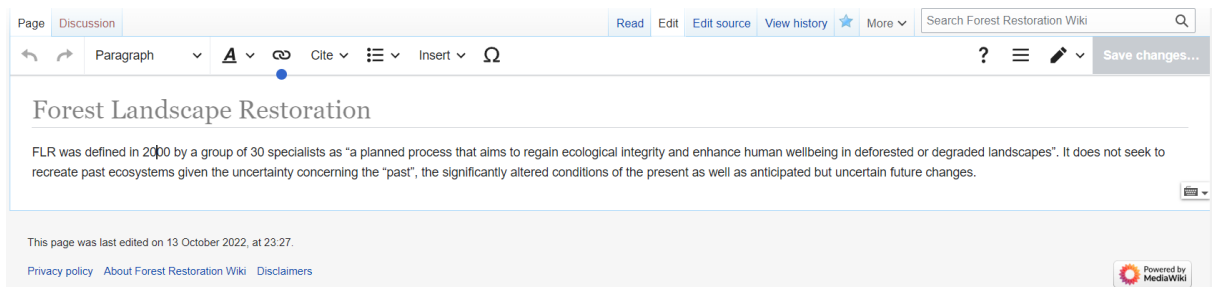
You can fully edit page at this point, but you can also save it and continue working it at any time. For how to edit the existing page, see the next section of this instruction.

## 4. Edit existing page!

At the page that you want to edit, click to the “Edit” button.



The visual editor will be open, giving you the opportunity to see the changes that you made as they will be visible to the reader.



As you can see, the interface is simple and thanks to the “Undo” function, you can explore all tools available and tailor the content as you like.



## 5. Discuss the content of the existing page

At the page that you are interested in to discuss, click the “Discussion” button in the upper left corner.

Page Discussion Read Edit Edit source View history More Search Forest Restoration Wiki

### Forest Landscape Restoration

FLR was defined in 2000 by a group of 30 specialists as “a planned process that aims to regain ecological integrity and enhance human wellbeing in deforested or degraded landscapes”. It does not seek to recreate past ecosystems given the uncertainty concerning the “past”, the significantly altered conditions of the present as well as anticipated but uncertain future changes.

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On pages without any previous discussion, you need to create the discussion page.

Page Discussion Create source Add topic Search Forest Restoration Wiki

### Creating Talk:Forest Landscape Restoration

You have followed a link to a page that does not exist yet. To create the page, start typing in the box below (see the [help page](#) for more info). If you are here by mistake, click your browser's **back** button.

You can do it by simple adding the text and by clicking the “Save page” button.

Page Discussion Create source Add topic Search Forest Restoration Wiki

### Creating Talk:Forest Landscape Restoration

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More definitions needs to be added to this page!

Summary:

☒ Watch this page

Please note that all contributions to Forest Restoration Wiki may be edited, altered, or removed by other contributors. If you do not want your writing to be edited mercilessly, then do not submit it here. You are also promising us that you wrote this yourself, or copied it from a public domain or similar free resource (see [My wiki Copyrights](#) for details). **Do not submit copyrighted work without permission!**

[Save page](#) [Show preview](#) [Show changes](#) [Cancel](#) [Editing help](#) (opens in new window)

The new page will be created.

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### Talk:Forest Landscape Restoration

More definitions needs to be added to this page!

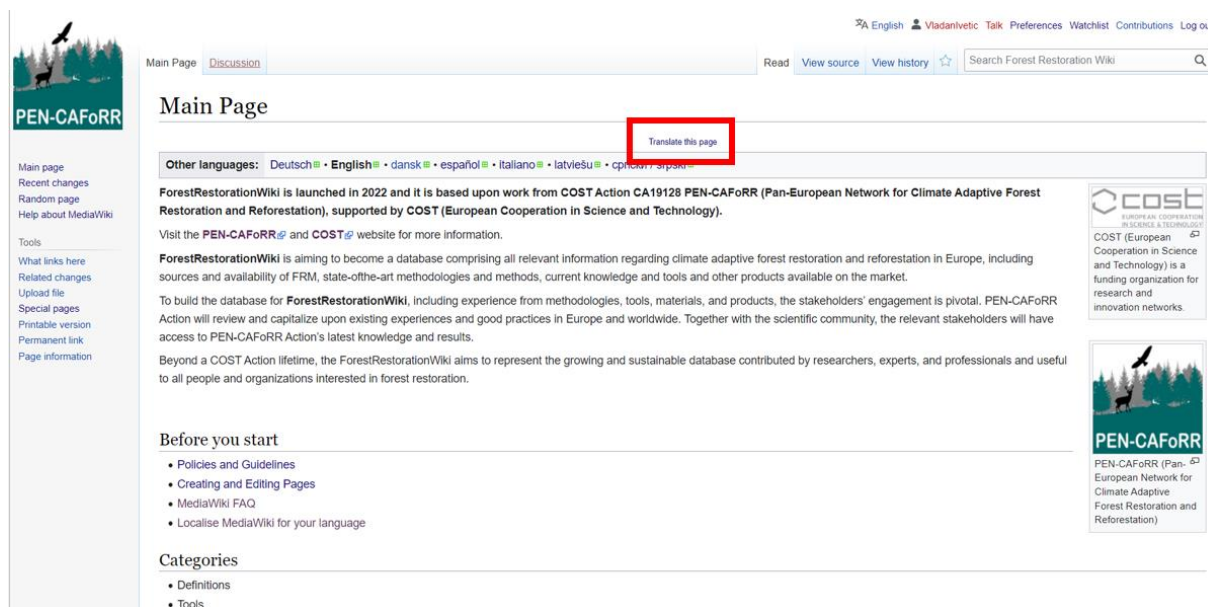
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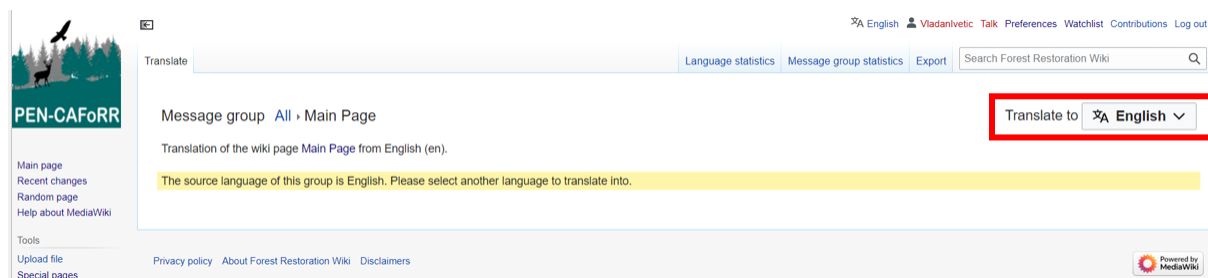
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## 6. Translate the existing page to your native, or any other language

After logging in to your account, on the page that you are visiting, click on the “Translate this page” link (red frame on the below figure).

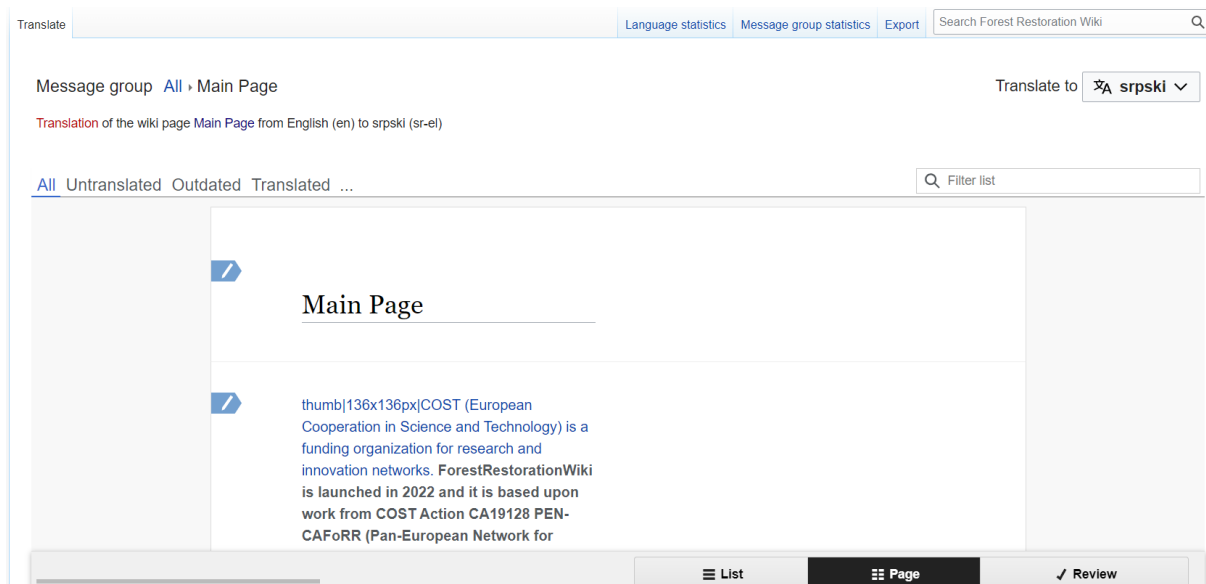


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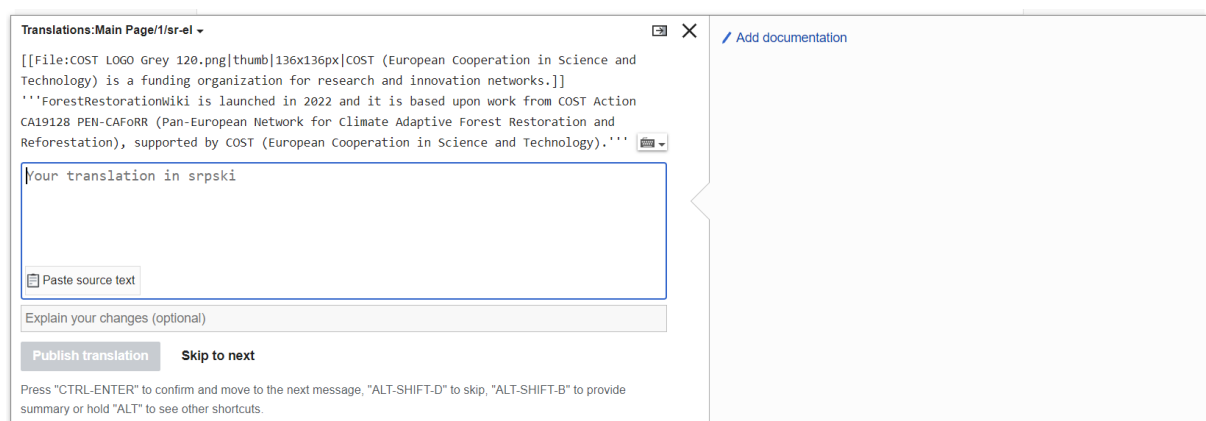


In the upper right corner (red frame) select the language that you want to translate the page on.

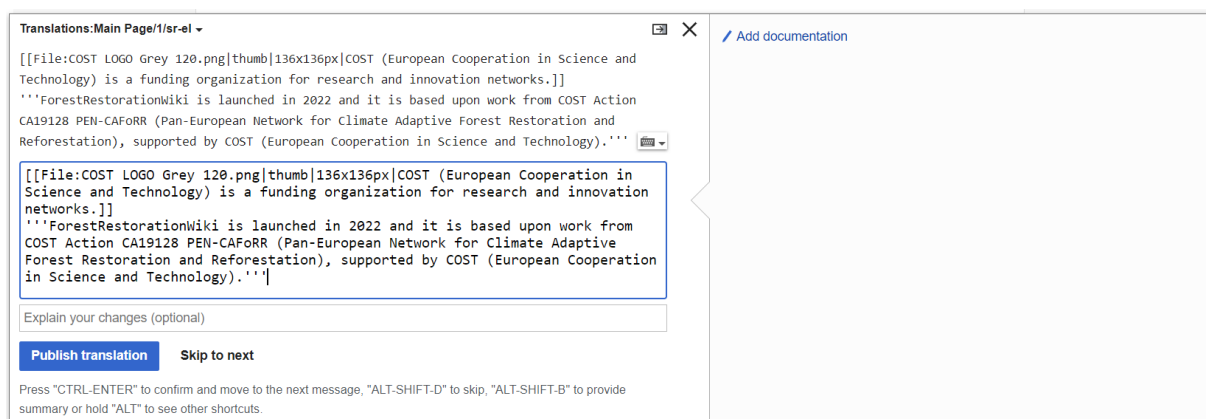
You will be taken to the following page:



By clicking at the section of the page that you want to translate, the following window will open:



The easiest way to edit sections with links, web addresses and pictures is to click on the “Paste source text” button.



Then you can replace the parts of the text that needs to be translated by retyping it or by using copy and paste functions in one for the machine translation tools (Google translator for example).

Translations:Main Page/sr-el
Add documentation

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[[File:COST LOGO Grey 120.png|thumb|136x136px|COST (European Cooperation in Science and Technology) is a funding organization for research and innovation networks.]]
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[[File:COST LOGO Grey 120.png|thumb|136x136px|COST (Evropska saradnja u nauci i tehnologiji) je organizacija za finansiranje istraživačkih i inovacionih mreža.]]
'''ForestRestorationWiki je pokrenut 2022. godine i zasnovan je na radu COST Action CA19128 PEN-CAFORR (Panevropska mreža za klimatsko adaptivno obnavljanje šuma i pošumljavanje), uz podršku COST-a (Evropska saradnja u nauci i tehnologiji).'''

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Explain your changes (optional)

Publish translation Skip to next

Press "CTRL-ENTER" to confirm and move to the next message, "ALT-SHIFT-D" to skip, "ALT-SHIFT-B" to provide summary or hold "ALT" to see other shortcuts.

Once you have your text translated, click on the “Publish translation” button, and it will automatically take you to the next section. Once when all sections are finished, the page is fully translated. However, you can still stop working at translation and continue at any time. The level of how much content of the page is translated will be indicated next to the language name.

Other languages: Deutsch • English • dansk • español • italiano • latviešu • srpski (latinica) • српски / srpski

ForestRestorationWiki је покренут 2022. године и заснива се на раду КОСТ Акције Пан-европске Main Page/sr-el (9% translated)

Then:

translate this page

Other languages: Deutsch • English • dansk • español • italiano • latviešu • srpski (latinica) • српски / srpski

ForestRestorationWiki is launched in 2022 and it is based upon work from COST Action C Naslovna strana (73% translated)

Once when the whole page is translated, the four green squares will be shown, like it is with the other languages at this example.