



# INTEREST GROUP Ecosystem Services

## Mission

The ES-IG was established in 2010 with the primary aim of creating a platform for the exchange of information and ideas for the use of the ecosystem services concept for more sustainable, risk-based assessment, valuation, regulation and management of terrestrial and aquatic systems.



Cultural services: e.g. recreation



Supporting services: e.g. pollination



Regulating services: e.g. water purification

## Current Projects

- Sponsoring special sessions at SETAC meetings
- Collaborating with Sustainability and LCA IGs to support holistic thinking
- Developing a technical information paper on ES

## Join Us!

### Supported and Related Sessions:

- Tuesday, 5 May | 8:30–12:25 | Wicklow Hall 2A  
Special Session: From Ecology to Land Management via Regulation to Protect Biodiversity in Agricultural Landscapes
- Tuesday 5 May, 13:55 – 15:30 | Wicklow Hall  
Ecosystem Functions and Services: Understanding and Managing Anthropogenic Impact
- Tuesday 5 May, 8:30 – 15:30 | Wicklow Hall 2B  
Life Cycle Impact Assessment and Ecosystem Impact Assessment: Strengthening the Link Between LCA and Ecology
- Wednesday 6 May, 8:30 – 12:25 | Liffey Meeting Room 2  
Embedding Ecological Concepts in Ecotoxicology: Processes, Populations and Communities

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