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Research interest

Fungi and working with fungi, plant-fungus interactions, developing environmentally friendly wood protective preservatives. Plant products and extracts as human health improvement substances.

Specialized techniques available in my lab

- culture of different fungi
- test systems for fungal growth inhibition
- testing wood preservatives against wood-rot fungi
- weathering tests

Additional comment

I am doing my PhD studies in co-operation with University of Eastern Finland and Finnish Forest Research Institute (METLA). I started my studies in a project called "Future Biorefinery, FuBio, Theme 5: Biochemicals for protection of goods and health" financed by the Finnish Forestcluster Ltd. I have found it very useful to be able to co-operate with researchers from different institutes and different projects for the same goal.