

Raise awareness and mobilize the public around the Urban Tree.

Imagine: a series of exceptional, fragile trees, honoured and celebrated so that we can better understand their lives and their place in our towns and cities.

We are seeing trees with new eyes in the light of recent scientific research: appreciating anew their knowledge and adaptability in these times of change.

The Urban Tree is all around us. But do we know how to look at it? Understand it? Can we maybe help trees live better in urban settings? Share a better future with them?

Paul Gourgue, Pricille Cazin et Sophie Stinglhamber bring together their experiences to draw our attention closer to trees: beings whose physical dimensions and longevity vastly exceed ours. What they have to offer us, what we have to lose.

A large urban art project is being created for the benefit of Trees: artistique and multidisciplinary curation, to discover their magic, their inestimable value. To give something back to them.

- Sophie Stinglhamber: creative agent, Urban Tree: sensitising different audiences through art, illuminating the life and architecture of trees. <u>sustainableart.be</u> *Further information on the Urban Tree project on request.
- Expertise in detecting health, fragility and disease in urban trees, Paul Gourgue: Tree Adviser « docteur tree ». LinkedIn: Paul Gourgue.
- Public information, workshops and conferences connecting with urban trees: Priscille Cazin, Sylvolutions et Wood Wide Web. <u>sylvolutions.be</u> et <u>woodwideweb.be</u>

