



Southeastern Member Hybrid Guild Gathering
Wednesday January 17, 2023 4:00 pm ET

The Forest Stewards Guild’s winter Guild Gathering will feature a presentation on management for regenerating oak in eastern forests. We will be joined by Tara Keyser, Research Forester and Center Director for the Upland Hardwood Ecology and Management of the Southern Research Station with the US Forest Service. There will be the opportunity to connect with other Guild members and share updates with each other during Introduction Circles – a Guild tradition!

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Agenda	
4:00	Membership Updates – Who is the Forest Stewards Guild? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shawn Swartz, Southeast Region Manager
4:10	Introduction Circles
4:30	Topic of the Day <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Oak Regeneration with Tara Keyser, US Forest Service
6:00	Meeting Close

Speaker Bio

Tara Keyser is a Research Forester and Director of the Center for Forest Restoration and Management with the USDA Forest Service, Southern Research Station in Asheville, NC. Tara received her BS in Forest Ecology and Management from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and her MS and PhD in Forest Sciences from Colorado State University. Tara’s work is focused on advancing the sustainable management of upland oak ecosystems in the eastern US, with a focus on developing ecological forestry practices for the conservation of diversity and resiliency to changing conditions.