

GEOGRAPHICAL FEATURES

The area of Seui is vast and dominated by mountains (Montarbu, Margiani Pubusa and Arqueri). The area around the town is very interesting from a botanical and geological point of view and tourists can admire the “taccos”, a special kind of calcareous mountains dating back to the Jurassic period. The Forest of Montarbu is one of the most beautiful and intact natural parks of Sardinia. Many rare species of flora and fauna can be found in it and in the countryside around Seui. Long, pleasant walks can be taken in the shade of the ancient holm oaks, hollies, yews, junipers and the Mediterranean scrub.

In the woods wild boars, mouflons, foxes, hares, hawks, golden eagles, partridges, peregrine falcons, and vultures can be found.

Mount Perda Liana, in the north, is 30 km far from Seui; it the most spectacular “tacco” in Sardinia. According to the legend the “Illienses”, an ancient population of Sardinia who fought back the Romans, used to meet at the base of this mountain.

In Arqueri tourists can visit the Church of Carmine surrounded by a thick wood of holm oaks with a fresh spring.