



IUCN's Commissions

The six Commissions of IUCN, comprised of almost 11,000 experts from around the world, are the foundation of IUCN's science.

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Commission on Education & Communication (CEC)
Expertise in learning, knowledge management and strategic communication to achieve IUCN goals



Commission on Environmental, Economic and Social Policy (CEESP)
Expertise in the environmental, economic, social and cultural factors that affect natural resources, biological diversity and human well-being

Commission on Environmental Law (CEL)
Expertise providing legal advice, as well as developing legal concepts and instruments on all aspects of environmental law



Commission on Ecosystem Management (CEM)
Expertise in integrated approaches to the management of natural and modified ecosystems

Species Survival Commission (SSC)
Expertise in species conservation issues as well as topical themes such as reintroduction, invasive species, sustainable use, and wildlife health



World Commission on Protected Areas (WCPA)
Expertise in planning and management of protected areas and their integration into all sectors

IUCN Science Resources

IUCN Science Bulletin

A quick summary of some of the peer-reviewed literature that relates to IUCN's Programme.

IUCN Science Databases

Links to conservation databases including the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species, the Global Invasive Species Database, Protected Planet – based on the World Database on Protected Areas and ECOLEX – the gateway to environmental law.

IUCN Conservation Tools

Tools and guidelines (several in multiple languages) that provide a "how to" guide to help tackle conservation challenges.

IUCN Science in the Journals

Peer-reviewed conservation science by experts in IUCN's Commissions and Secretariat.

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