

CEC WORK PLAN 2023-2025

Draft for Discussion







Mission

To strengthen the work of the Union through creative, innovative, participatory, responsive, and effective communication and education, as tools to effect positive social and behavioural change for the well-being of people and planet.















Key Resolutions

| WCC-2020-Res-062-EN Role of children and youth in nature conservation | Children and youth voice Central role primary schools, secondary schools, colleges, universities Environmental Education in formal curriculum Children and youth in policy making Online and offline activities Facilitate global network and twinning of educational establishments | CEC CEESP |
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| WCC-2020-Res-064-EN Promoting conservation through behaviour-centred solutions | Awareness is not enough Advances in behavioral science can be applied Specifically, the role of zoos, aquariums, museums Embed action and behavior change in outreach and education Champions holistic campaigns Inspire all citizens to mobilise and adopt sustainable lifestyles | CEESP CEC |





Key Resolutions

| WCC-2016-Res-084-EN Environmental education and how to naturalise the spaces in educational centres | Humans are integral part of nature Contact with nature provides for optimal emotional and physical health and well being Environmental education is a mainstay of nature conservation Recognise the educational value of natural environments Promote curriculum development in natural environments Include EE in educational systems as cross cutting subject Teacher training Ensure EE has fundamental place in children's education | CEC |
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| WCC-2016-Res-085-EN Connecting people with nature globally (#NFA) | Broaden societal support for conservation Mobilize funding Protected areas are dependent on public support Launch and support #NatureForAll Sensitise and motivate government, ministries of education, health, environment, education institutions Share knowledge, frameworks and tools Conduct research evidencing benefit of nature contact | CEC WCPA |



A Global Movement to Inspire Love of Nature

Meaningful connections with nature provide powerful benefits for individual and societal well-being and are the inspiration for actions to care for the Earth.







#NATUREFORALL IS...

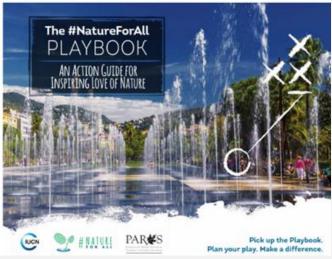
- 575+ partners
- Over 80 countries
- All regions of the world
 - Showcasing, inspiring and empowering others
- Providing toolkits, communication and education tools
- Compiling evidence and knowledge
- 100s of tools in Discovery Zone in multiple languages













A global network inspiring love of nature.





Inspire Action and Love for Nature

Foster
Enabling
Environment

Weave Communities

Ensure Financial Sustainability

Priority Program Areas

Greening School
Grounds and Outdoor
Learning

10 Step Guide for Greening Schools and Communities

Activate Regional Networks

Nature-Based Leadership Course

Green Film Network Partnership

Love Fests

10 Step Guide to create a Love Fest

Ongoing Partner Support Now - Fall 2025 World
Conservation
Congress 2025

Guides: Greening
Schools and
Communities & Love Fest

Resolution
Green School Grounds
and Outdoor Learning

OnLine Tool Kit & Capacity Exchange Program

Nature-Based Leadership Training

IUCN Member Consultation

Love Fest



Greening School Grounds

and Outdoor Learning



Action Agenda

- Advocacy
- Inclusive Audiences and Participation
- Community Engagement & Resources
- Funding and Governance
- Policy





Program Benefits

The way forward...

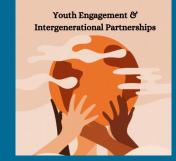








We will support youth engagement through capacity building, leadership and empowerment for meaningful intergenerational cooperation.



IUCN Youth Strategy Implementation Lead YAC

YAC Work Plan

Regional Conservation **Forums**

World Conservation Congress 2025

IUCN Virtual Global Youth Summit

2 Guides: 10 Ways to Deepen Youth Engagement & #NFA Oases

Youth Centered WCC & **Youth Summit**

Nature-Based **Leadership Training for** Youth

#NatureForAll Oasis

Youth Leadership and Capacity Building

Youth

Engagement

Guide:10 Ways to Deepen Youth Engagement

Nature-Based

Greening School

Grounds

Leadership Program for Youth

NFA Youth Oases & Guide Meaningful

WCC Process

Produce Virtual Global Youth Summit

Nature-Based

Leadership Training for Youth







We aim to create the educational framework and tools for nature to be a core component of education for planetary health recognizing nature as a teacher, as knowledge, and as a learning environment.



Climate Education
Coalition

White Paper

Nature-Based Education for Planetary Health

Biodiversity-Climate-Community

UNESCO Greening Education Partnership

High Ambition Coalition

5-8 National/Local Champions

10 Step Guide for Transforming Education

World Conservation Congress 2025

White Paper

Nature-Based Education for Planetary Health

High Ambition Coalition **Declaration**

Resolution

Nature-Based Education for Planetary Health

IUCN 10 Step Guide for Transforming Education

IUCN Member Consultation

OnLine Tool Kit & Capacity Exchange Program

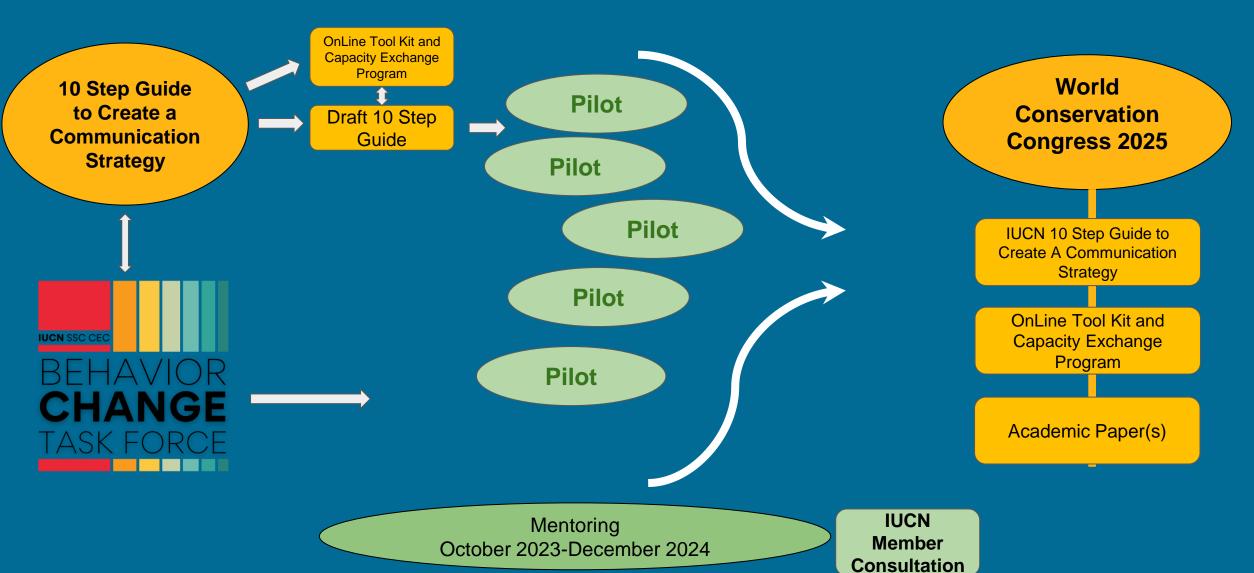






We will create the practical communication tools and training platform the Union needs to make a bigger difference in the world!





Builds on previous guides...

- 2000: 10-step Communication Strategy was developed by GIZ and an OECD-DAC working group that included IUCN-CEC, WB, WWF, GIZ, CIDA, SIDA, UNEP, etc. in 2000, and became the recommended guide for the 38 OECD member countries.
- 2000: GIZ's <u>Communicating the Environment. Environmental Communication for Sustainable Development</u> incorporating a conceptual framework, case studies and lessons learned.
- 2006: GIZ added 5 <u>Sustainable Development</u> branches to the 10 steps: Development and environmental communication, Social marketing, Non-formal and environmental education, Civil society mobilization, and Conflict management and negotiation.
- 2007: <u>CEPA guide</u> developed by IUCN-CEC for the CBD, with similar 10 steps adding fact sheets, examples and checklists.
- 2012: GIZ and CBD published the <u>Strategic Communication for ABS Guide and Toolkit</u> for <u>Practitioners</u>, which incorporated a practice-oriented approach, combining the 10 steps with the 8 ABS fields and a set of Job Aids and tools for each of the 10 steps.

Stage 1 Assessment Situation analysis and problem identification Audience and Knowledge, Attitude and Practices (KAP) analyses Communication objectives Stage 2 Planning Resources planning: Budget, time, staff Involvement of partners Media selection and mix Stage 3 Production Message design Media pretesting and production Stage 4 Action & Reflection Media use in the field Process documentation and Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E)





Member Engagement...

- Invited to give input on White Paper, Guides and all products
- Share their resources and materials in Online tool kits
- Be part of Capacity Building and Mentoring program
- Be part of the Love Fests and Film Festivals
- Create and share content
- Be part of Resolution process
- Volunteer on translation





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