

Patterning conservation flows: How formal and informal networks shape transnational conservation practice

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Supplementary material

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| Date | _____ | Time | _____ |
| Interviewee | _____ | Location | _____ |
| Position | _____ | Organisation | _____ |

Questions

A. Background

1. Background and year since at organisation
2. How have your personal networks helped you in implementing activities or gaining new opportunities?

B. Conservation Activities

1. What are the main **areas of work** that this office/ programme engages in? At what level are these typically directed (global-regional-national-sub national-local)?
2. For each of these main areas of work, can you think of an **example** and give me some more details? (next page)
3. For these activities, does the office use a particular **convention, model or framework** to guide or frame them?
4. How does the organisation / programme **manage its international connections / activities**?
5. How does the office **decide** on what type of activities engage in? What **feedback** do you get from these activities?

6. How does the office / organisation access the **resources and knowledge** it need to operationalise its activities? (constraints)
7. How does the office / programme access the **networks** it needs to operationalise its strategy? (constraints)
8. Is the organisation able to influence the **global decision-making processes** that drive conservation agendas? How?

C. Funding

1. What are the office's main **sources of funding** for its international activities? (Can you specify relative proportions?)

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| Private donations (citizens) | Multilateral donor(s) | Government department / ministry: | International donor |
| Internal network | Trust Fund | National funding platform | Other: |

2. How does the funding source influence the activities the office engages in? How does the programme / office maintain connections with its donors / funders?

D. Connections

1. What would you consider the **most important** (up to 5; order of importance) entities or organisations that the office engages with on matters related to:

- a. Sharing information and experiences on conservation

1. 2. 3. 4. 5.

- ### b. Implementing conservation actions

1. 2. 3. 4. 5.

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2. What **forum(s)** does the organisation engage in to (a) share experiences; (b) learn from experiences?

| Forum* | Scope / Level | Description |
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* E.g. journal; conference; media; calls for funding; research panels; intergovernmental discussions;

3. Does the staff from the organisation engage in global, regional or national meetings?

E. End & Follow-up

1. How can local-global connections be strengthened?

2. Anything to add?

3. Any relevant contacts?

4. Could you or someone in your organisation share with me any annual reports or organisational documents?

5. Would you like to receive information on the outputs from this research?