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Editorial

For our Foundation, 2017 was:

A year of action

The goal of the partnership launched in 2014 with Oak Foundation for a three-year period was to set up an essential pilot work to promote sustainable artisanal fishing practices in Mozambique, a country that relies primarily on its fishery resources for its survival. This partnership has been renewed for a further three years, with a budget of €1.5 million, in order to consolidate and extend the initiatives already under way.

A year of opening

The Foundation enlarged its support to projects in a new focus country: Myanmar.

A year of experimentation

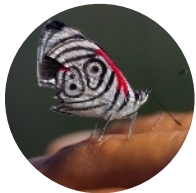
After being the first French foundation to join the Divest/Invest movement, Fondation Ensemble went on to invest in two projects with high social and environmental impact.

A year of reflection

In order to enable smaller foundations to benefit from its structure and organization, Fondation Ensemble embarked on the process of becoming an Umbrella Foundation.

A year of renewal

A Board of Directors is a living body that needs to renew itself to stay creative and not place an excessive burden on its members for too long. Our deepest gratitude goes to our faithful friends, Gérard Worms and Bertrand Charrier, who have ended their term of office and to Barry Windsor who has been Secretary General of our foundation for over 13 years. Two new members – our daughter, Delphine Brémond, and Thierry Huau, have joined us. We thank them and wish them a warm welcome.



Jacqueline Délia Brémond
Co-Founder/Co-Chair

The Foundation in figures

\$27,4 million invested

292 projects funded

5,5 million beneficiaries

Board of Experts: 34 members

4 focus sectors

6 focus countries

2,4 million hectares protected

2 million trees planted

94 animal species protected

Commitments in 2017

6 projects were selected for a total commitment of **\$784,000**, co-financing overall budgets worth \$2.25 million, with a leverage ratio of 1:2.9 (\$1 committed for every \$2.9 of project budget).

2 initiatives were funded by impact investment for a total of **\$308,000**.

21 'Threatened animal species' projects were selected for a total commitment of **\$216,000**.

Partner NGO	Country	Intervention sector	Length (months)	Foundation Contribution	% budget
FECD	Ecuador	Sustainable agriculture	36	\$140,000	43 %
Autre Terre	Peru	Sustainable agriculture	48	\$123,000	42 %
Environmental Defense Fund	Myanmar	Sustainable fishing	36	\$117,000	31 %
Conservation International	Peru	Biodiversity conservation	36	\$140,000	30 %
Alliance for Responsible Mining	Peru	Sustainable technology	36	\$123,000	40 %
GRET	Myanmar	Sustainable technology	36	\$140,000	49 %

Governance - Board of Directors



ADVISORY BOARD

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Former Senior Official, UNDP

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Ethology graduate, Mediator
Author of wildlife documentaries

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Urban planner and ethnobotanist
Member of the 'International dendrology society'

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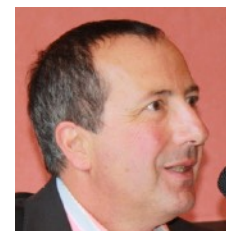
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Our Focus Sectors



SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

The Foundation supports initiatives that improve food security, increase and diversify local populations income, through a sustainable and environmentally friendly approach.



SUSTAINABLE FISHING

The Foundation supports initiatives aimed at conserving fish stocks through a community based approach: setting up protected areas, fighting illegal fishing, conservation...

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BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION

The Foundation supports initiatives aimed at protecting or rehabilitating land and marine ecosystems of particular interest, through and for the benefit of local communities.



SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGIES

The Foundation supports initiatives that enable access to renewable energy, sustainable construction and waste conversion.

Impact Investing

After joining the Divest/Invest movement, which encourages shareholders to divest from all fossil fuel holdings and invest in a carbon-free economy, the Foundation decided, for the first time, to invest in projects with high social and environmental impact.

Two such projects were supported this year:



Development of agriculture practices that are both people-friendly and environment-friendly
Investment: \$146,000

Impact Investment Fund • Multi-country



Scaling-up of biogas technology through the sale of domestic biodigesters
Investment: \$161,000

ATEC • Cambodia

Sustainable agriculture

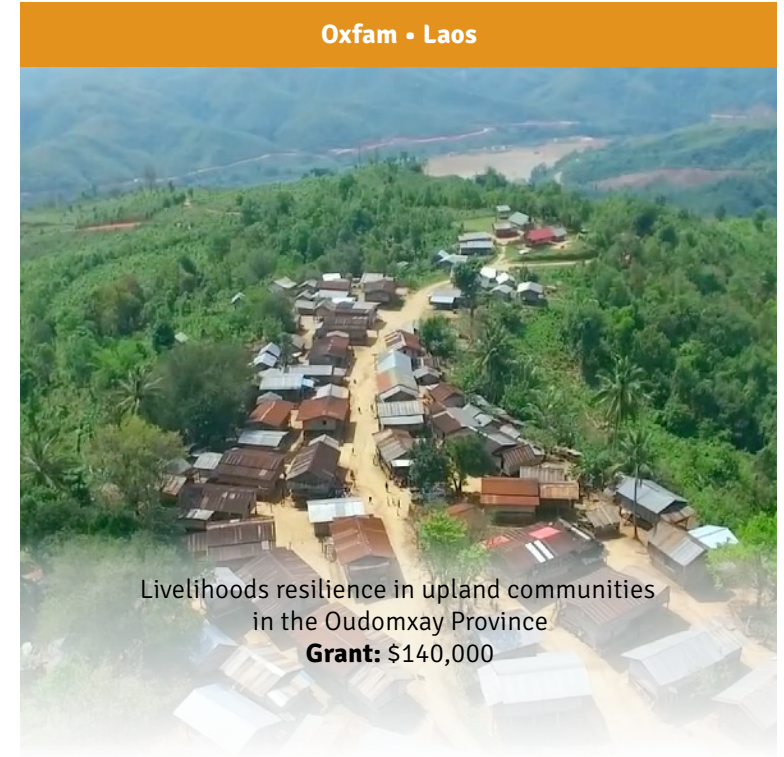


26 PROJECTS FUNDED OVERALL



Fighting poverty and contributing to development through the use of appropriate agricultural models
Grant: \$164,000

Agrisud • Laos



Oxfam • Laos

Livelihoods resilience in upland communities in the Oudomxay Province
Grant: \$140,000

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Sustainable agriculture



6 ONGOING PARTNERSHIPS



Improved agro-climate information access for women and ethnic minority
Grant: \$140,000

CARE • Cambodia



Autre Terre • Peru

Organic certification, product development and internal capacity building of the Frutos del Ande cooperative
Grant: \$123,000

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Sustainable agriculture

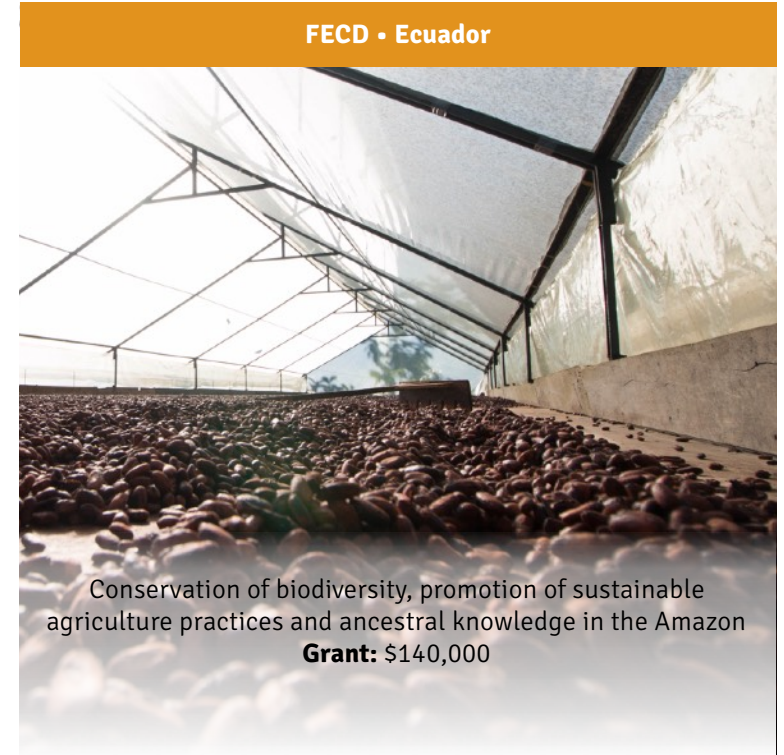


4,3 MILLION DOLLARS COMMITTED



Enabling communities to adapt to climate change through the management, conservation and restoration of the páramos.
Grant: \$187,000

CARE • Ecuador



FECD • Ecuador

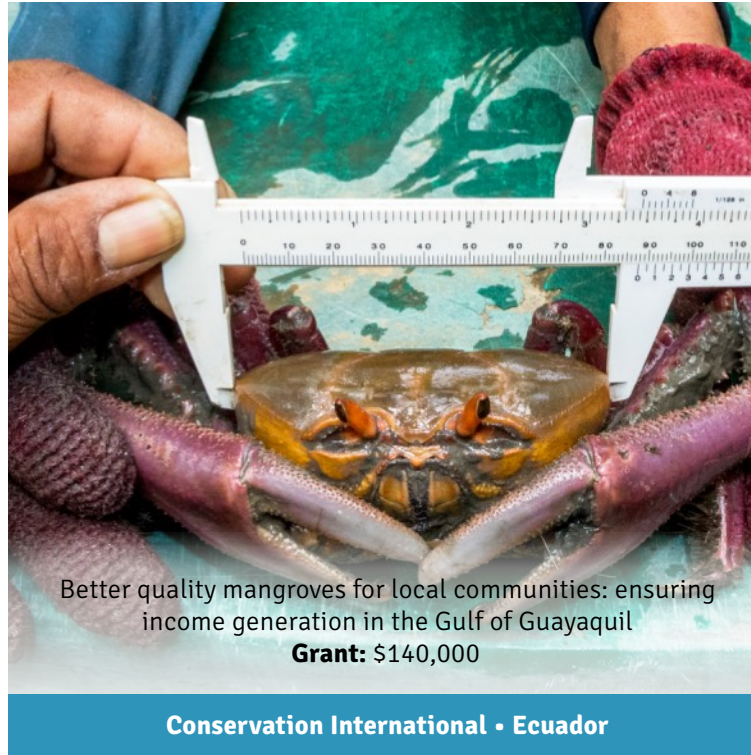
Conservation of biodiversity, promotion of sustainable agriculture practices and ancestral knowledge in the Amazon
Grant: \$140,000

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Sustainable fishing



10 PROJECTS FUNDED OVERALL




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Sustainable fishing



5 ONGOING PARTNERSHIPS



Sustainable fishing and alternative livelihood for communities living adjacent to the Ponta do Our Marine Reserve
Grant: \$234,000

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Peace Parks Foundation • Mozambique

Zoological Society of London • Mozambique



'Our sea, our life': conserving marine biodiversity through the establishment of locally managed marine protected areas
Grant: \$468,000

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Sustainable fishing



1,75 MILLION DOLLARS COMMITTED



Natural resources conservation and economic development for fishing communities of the Quirimbas
Grant: \$205,000

Istituto Oikos • Mozambique

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Biodiversity conservation



20 PROJECTS FUNDED OVERALL



Building capacity of Southern Amazonas coffee growers to conserve their tropical forests
Grant: \$140,000

Nature & Culture International - Peru

Conservation International - Pérou



Alternative development pathways for indigenous Awajun communities
Grant: \$140,000

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Biodiversity conservation



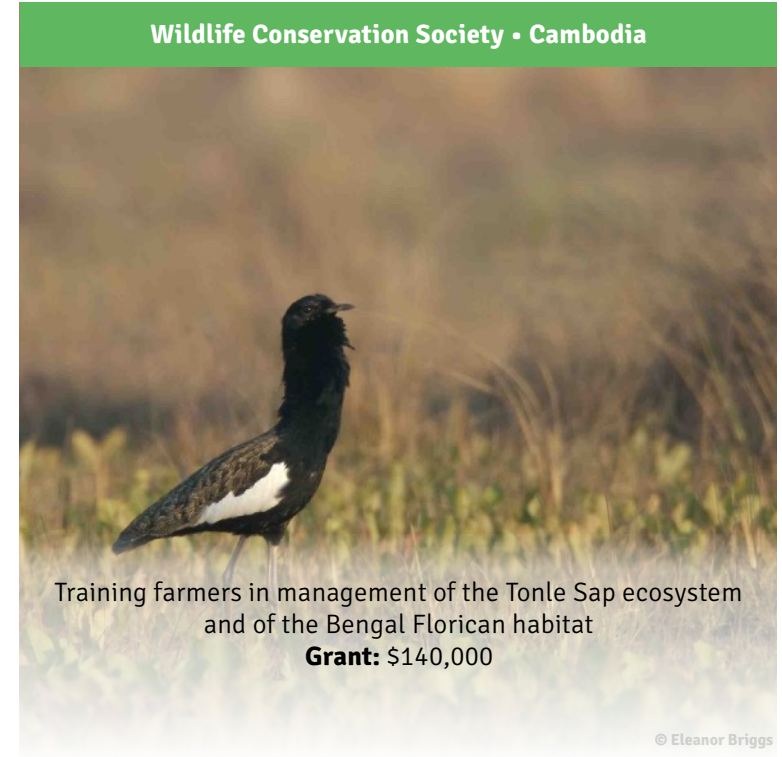
6 ONGOING PARTNERSHIPS



Forestlink: Real-time monitoring to empower indigenous peoples to protect the Amazon rainforest
Grant: \$140,000

Rainforest Foundation UK • Peru

Wildlife Conservation Society • Cambodia



Training farmers in management of the Tonle Sap ecosystem and of the Bengal Florican habitat
Grant: \$140,000

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Biodiversity conservation



3,1 MILLION DOLLARS COMMITTED



Strengthen the Diawling Park's biodiversity conservation initiatives
Grant: \$175,000

Gret • Mauritania

Ocean Revolution • Mozambique



Entrepreneurial biodiversity conservation through the creation of an Ocean Life Center and of a marine protected area
Grant: \$164,000

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Sustainable technologies



**17 PROJECTS
FUNDED
OVERALL**



Healthcare and educational conditions improvement through the provision of access to solar and hydro electricity
Grant: \$93,500

Electriciens Sans Frontières - Laos



GRET - Myanmar

Identifying and sharing innovative technologies for recycling organic waste in Myanmar
Grant: \$140,000

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Sustainable technologies

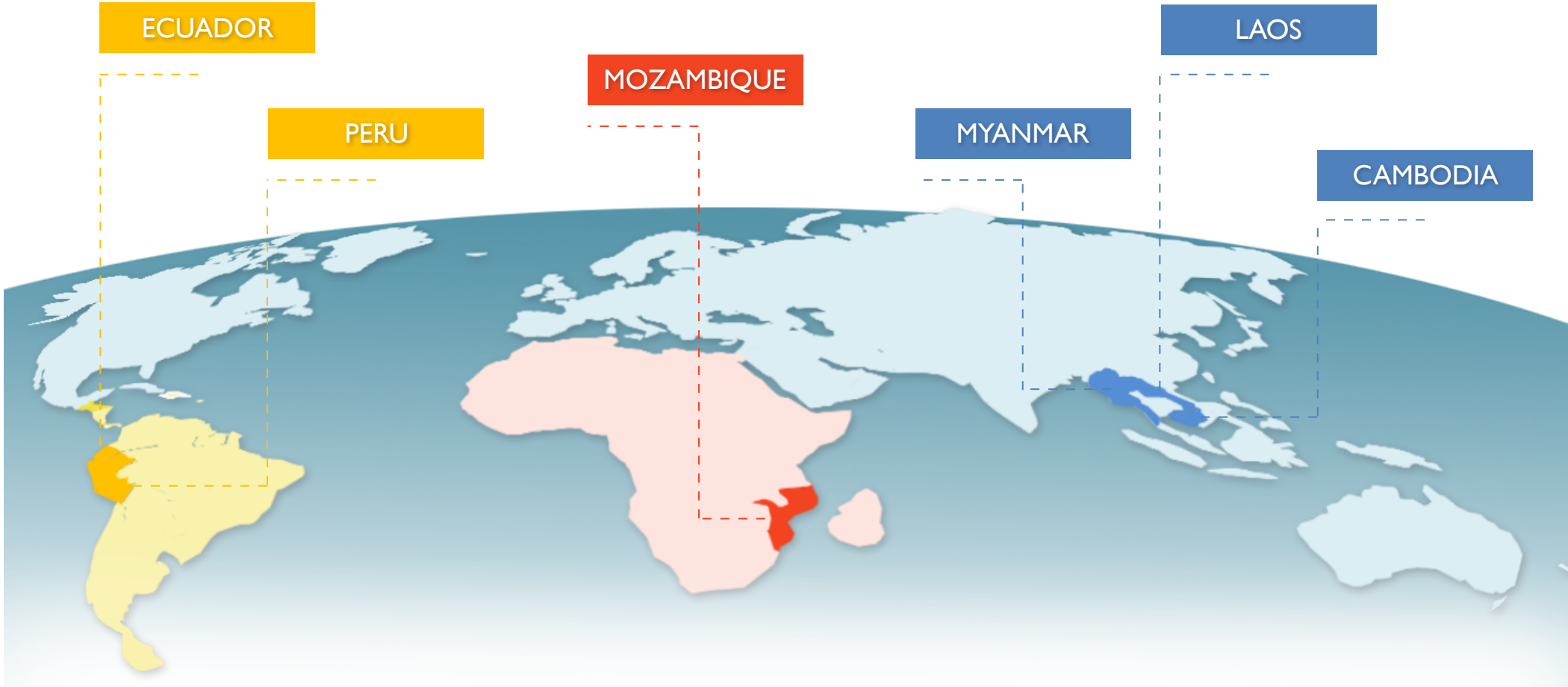


3 ONGOING PARTNERSHIPS



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Our current intervention countries




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Threatened animal species

A Rocha Ghana
Securing the future of primates in the Ankasa Conservation Area
Ghana

Grant: \$9,400



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BCI
Fijian Bats:
Action or Extinction
Fidji

Grant: \$7,000



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BLOOM
Research program on fisheries agreements
African coastal zones

Grant: \$23,000



Ecoan
Conservation of three threatened bird species
Peru

Grant: \$9,400



Fundación Azara
Towards the long-term conservation of two endangered species
Argentina

Grant: \$8,500



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Borneo Nature Foundation
Initiating orangutan conservation in the Rungan Landscape
Indonesia

Grant: \$9,400

Fundación Malpelo
Spatial ecology and connectivity of Hammerhead sharks
Colombia


Grant: \$9,400:



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Galapagos Conservancy
Restoring Galapagos tortoise populations and the Island ecosystems
Ecuador

Grant: \$9,400



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Herp
Scaling-up conservation efforts for the protection of the Togo slippery frog
Ghana

Grant: \$9,400

Threatened animal species

Island Conservation
Advancing knowledge of two Galapagos bird species
Ecuador

Grant: \$9,400



Istituto Oikos
Conservation of Sun Bears in Southern Rakhine State
Myanmar

Grant: \$9,400



Krapavis
Integrating tiger conservation in Sariska Reserve
India

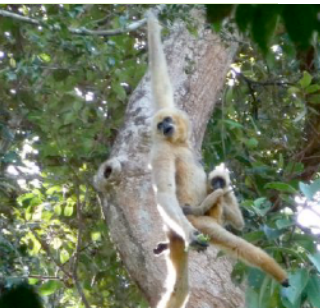
Grant: \$9,400

L.P.O.
Protection of the woodchat shrike in Provence
France

Grant: \$7,000

NTPF
Gibbon protection in the Veun Sai – Siem Pang National Park
Cambodia

Grant: \$23,000



P-Wac
Support for a rehabilitation center for orphaned chimpanzees
D.R. of Congo

Grant: \$9,400



Sebitoli Chimpanzee Project
Conducting a census of the species to ensure better protection
Uganda

Grant: \$9,400



Solinia
Conservation of freshwater mammals in Peruvian Amazonia
Peru

Grant: \$7,000



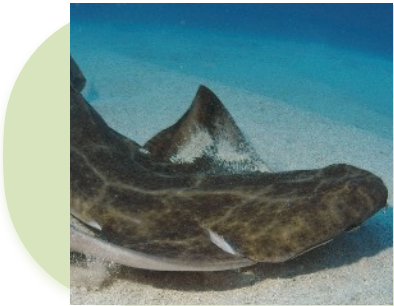
Projet Primates France
Improvement of the intake capacity and rehabilitation process for chimpanzees
Guinea-Conakry

Grant: \$8,800



Sumak Allpa Foundation
Rehabilitation process and final translocation of a woolly monkey troop
Ecuador

Grant: \$7,500



The Shark Trust
Angelshark: championing one of nature's most vulnerable species
Mediterranean sea

Grant: \$9,400

Networks and Working groups



Admical, an association founded to promote corporate sponsorship, is today a clearing house for information, exchanges, ideas, and training. The Foundation participates, in particular, in its Environment Committee and also signed the 'Charte du Mécénat' (Sponsorship Charter).



The CFF brings together a number of Foundations and Endowment Funds and leads nine working groups. Fondation Ensemble is a member of two groups: 'Family or private foundations' and 'Environment'.



The EFC operates as a platform for the exchange of experience, and as a development resource for joint projects. It is also a source of information on Foundations in Europe. With some 250 full members (Foundations and private funding bodies), it operates in over 37 countries (Europe, and also Africa, Asia, Oceania, Latin America and North America).



Un Esprit de Famille is an association that brings together those who run a fund or family-based foundation and are bound by shared values and a desire to work together in order to optimize their own practices.

Club du Rond-point:

Mrs Délia Brémont, is a member of this Club founded in 2008, which brings together several founders of French Family Foundations.



Implementing Partners



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Becoming a partner

Donate

As from € 3 000, you can sponsor a 'threatened animal species' project of your choice.

Fondation Ensemble does not intend to raise funds among general public. However, to support more projects, we are looking for partners and philanthropists. You will get customized news from the program you support.

You can review all the ongoing and finished projects on our website (already 94 animal species have been supported since 2004).

Co-fund a project

Starting from a contribution of €40 000, co-fund a major project in one of the Foundation's focus sectors, with personalized follow-up.

Since 2004, four focus sectors: Sustainable Agriculture and Fishing, Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Technologies. Its Board of Experts is composed of 34 members who are involved in the rigorous project selection process. Like all the Foundation's projects, yours will benefit from our team's expertise and will be closely monitored, including in the field...

The Oak Foundation and Synergie Solaire Endowment Fund have already put their trust in us. Join them, become our next partner and let us give ourselves the means to move forward, together.

As a public interest organization recognized by the French state, Fondation Ensemble may receive notarized donations, temporary donations, usufruct, bequests, donations, dedicated donations, etc. It is authorized to receive donations from abroad. The Foundation can issue official receipts for the following tax deductions in France:

- Real Estate Wealth Tax (IFI) (75%, up to a ceiling of €50 000)
- Income Tax (66%, up to a ceiling of 20% of taxable income)
- Corporate Tax (60%, up to a maximum of 0,5% of annual turnover before tax).



Becoming a partner

CONTRIBUTIONS ARE SOLELY USED TO FUND MORE PROJECTS

OUR EXPERTISE IS FREE OF CHARGE

A BOARD OF 34 EXPERTS

A TEAM OF PROFESSIONALS

A UNIQUE AND RELIABLE SELECTION PROCESS

TRANSPARENT PROJECT MONITORING

13 YEARS EXPERIENCE FOR A RECOGNIZED FOUNDATION

Oak Foundation

Swiss-based Oak Foundation commits substantial resources to addressing social and environmental problems, particularly those that have an impact on the lives of the disadvantaged.

‘We have a lot in common with Fondation Ensemble when it comes to our world view... And that’s very important for me. Just as important as expertise, because it’s not enough to dream of changing the world, you have to be able to make your dream come true.’

Leonardo Lacerda
Director of the Environment Programme





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