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# Forest conservation and executing national law with regard to biodiversity

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- Scale of activity: local, regional, national, international
- Actor/s: Regional & local governments, GO & NGO's,protected area managers, volunteers.
- State of the activity: started in 1966, reformed in 2010
- **Keywords**: Protected areas, ecological networks, rulings, monitoring, consultancy.



### Summary

INCVP is a subnational GO established to provide expertise for different issues in nature conservation and natural resource management.

#### **Background and activities**

Protected area (PA) and ecological network designation, species & habitats monitoring, rulings, consultancy, supervision, ecological education, international cooperation, natural values database management. Holding natural history exhibition. Membership in IUCN, WWF.

## Outlook

Challenges: Integrating innovative solutions and traditional knowledge into management practice in protected areas and natural resource management.

**Next steps.** Developing an ecological network in Vojvodina Autonomous Province and setting up for Natura 2000 network designation and governance.

#### Source and contact

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