work

at local level
at national level
at international level
International/ regional initiatives in 2015:

- GSI Inception Event (Jan 2015) and other meetings (organization, participation, reports, etc.)
- “ICCA days” in 5 UNDP GEF SGP regional events: Asia (Feb 2015), Latin America (March 2015), Anglophone Africa (April 2015), Eastern Europe, Central Asia & Arab countries (May 2015), Francophone Africa (June 2015)
- Numerous exchanges among IPs and LCs
- Solidarity Fund for Defenders of Commons & ICCAs
Pilot GEF SGP-ICCA Consortium planning event (Ecuador, May 2015) – resulted in ToRs for strategic national organization + recommendations for GSI Global Coordinator
Regional ICCA Knowledge Sharing and Capacity Building Events in South East Asia (Lombok, Indonesia, August 2015) & preparation for South America (Puerto Lopez, Ecuador, December 2015… next week) + and Southern Africa (Namibia, Feb. 2016)
Latest policy advice on ICCAs

ICCAs & Aichi Targets

The Contribution of Indigenous Peoples’ and Local Community Conserved Territories and Areas to the Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-20 (Aichi Targets)

The Strategic Plan for Biodiversity 2011-20, framed by Parties to the CBD at the 10th Conference of Parties in 2010, outlines an ambitious roadmap towards halting and reversing biodiversity loss across the planet. While clearly not a replacement for the Convention, which is a mix of policy, goals, strategies, actions, and guidance, the Strategic Plan is crucial for its implementation. The 20 ‘Aichi Targets’ it encompasses understandably go beyond ecological and biological aspects, essential as they are, to also focus on the social-cultural, economic, and political elements of achieving this roadmap.

While all sectors of society have a role to play in the implementation of the Strategic Plan, Indigenous peoples and local communities are central to it. This is not only because the lands and waters over which such peoples and communities have custodianship and/or customary

Collective Land Tenure & Community Conservation

Policy Brief of the ICCA Consortium issue no. 2

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The ICCA Consortium
One hour film on the governance stream at WPC – or three 20 minute videos (about to be completed)

Proceedings of the governance stream at WPC – 158 pages and annexes
Toolbox (in Spanish) to help indigenous communities resist threats from extractive industry projects

**CARTILLAS DE EMPoderamiento y capacitación:**

1. Ecosistemas clave - Funciones ecosistémicas
2. Visión indígena del Territorio versus la visión agrarista
3. Derechos indígenas – Derechos humanos
4. Fortalecimiento de organizaciones y conflictos
5. Impactos y amenazas del extractivismo petrolero-minero, megaproyectos, avance de fronteras agrícolas, contaminación
6. Guía para el empoderamiento indígena frente a las operaciones petroleras
7. Bases para el Monitoreo socioambiental en territorios y tierras indígenas
8. Cartilla de medición y monitoreo de desbosques (Global Forest Watch)
9. GLOSARIO. Términos y conceptos para procesos de capacitación y empoderamiento de pueblos indígenas

**PROTOCOLOS DE MONITOREO**

1. Monitoreo del Estado de los ecosistemas y funciones ecosistémicas
2. Protocolos de monitoreo para el avance colonizador y explotación de recursos de los bosques
3. Monitoreo del avance agroindustrial y ganadería de reemplazo
4. Monitoreo de megaproyectos
5. Monitoreo de Minería – explotación de oro aluvial
6. Monitoreo de Minería calizas
7. Monitoreo de apertura e ingreso de caminos
8. Monitoreo de la exploración sísmica
9. Encuestas semi-estructuradas para el seguimiento de la exploración sísmica
10. Monitoreo de la explotación petrolera (Pozos de exploración)
11. Seguimiento de conflictos internos y conflictos externos
12. Entrevistas sobre los sitios sagrados (valores espirituales y culturales)
13. Guía de valores intangibles para el isoso
14. Visualización de puntos de GPS en Google Earth
- Work towards national governance evaluation & action processes for systems of protected and conserved areas in the Philippines, Iran, Ecuador (2 workshops) ... steady slow progress ...

- Encouragement, support and strengthening of national ICCA Networks (e.g., coalitions, federations and working groups) in Bolivia, Chile, China, Democratic Republic of Congo, Guatemala, India, Indonesia, Iran, Kenya, Madagascar, Nepal, Philippines, Senegal, Spain, Taiwan and Vietnam...

- Studies of the socio-cultural and political-historical context of ICCAs in Xinjiang (China) and the Amazon and Mesoamerica (in progress) + videos on Chile, DRC, etc.
National ICCA workshop and field visit in Zambia (April 2015)
Strengthening the ICCA network in Casamance & carrying out a national ICCA exploratory mission in North Senegal (May-June 2015)
National ICCA knowledge sharing and capacity building event in Madagascar and declaration of Mantasoa (Sept. 2015)
issues for TAG discussion
(results of first Ecuador event & lessons learned in 2015):

• Priority countries could & should be coherently grouped by region to facilitate capacity building and functioning of Regional Learning Networks

• Regional events currently require additional fundraising & involve long UNOPS procedures--we’re dealing with this, but it was not expected

• Workpackage 2 ought to be delivering now its results for packages 1 and 3... It is urgent to get it going!

• ToRs for proactive ICCA initiative--great that they are now agreed; they are to be carefully shared with countries that are “ready” for them...

• Even when received, however, some GEF SGP offices are “sitting on the ToRs” as they still lack info on funding
• In what way is the Consortium expected to support and advise GEF SGP coordinators?

• National workshops and field visits to countries are very useful—how can we institutionalize/multiply them?

• National validation and support to ICCAs for the Registry opened up discussions (e.g., on the relation between the Registry and WDPA) that are still on-going; desirable processes appear context-dependent

• On the basis of work carried out in 2015, a revised version of the ICCA Resilience and Security Tool will be prepared for the start of GEF SGP GSI grants

• Further work (and publications) on governance vitality are needed & should be planned (with IUCN? As part of Green List analyses?)

• Expressed need for a variety of graphic descriptions of GSI’s structure and processes
Project Organisation Structure

SGP Project Board
- BMUB Representative
- UNDP/GEF PTA/STA
- Biodiversity & Ecosystems
- GEF SGP Global Manager

Technical Advisory Group
- UNEP-WCMC
- CBD Sec, ICCA Consortium
- Indigenous/CSO reps

Project Assurance
- UNDP/GEF RBM Advisor, BPPS

Project Manager
- Global Lead, ICCA Global Support Initiative

Project Support
- Programme Associate

SGP Country Teams (NC and PA)
- 26 target countries at the global level in Africa, Arab States, Asia-Pacific, Europe & CIS, and LAC
ICCA GSI project organisation structure

Work Package 1 ($9.83M)
Small grants (up to $50K) in 20 target countries incl. $1M support to COBs + SGP NCs
ICCA GSI Strategy under SGP OP6 CPS
* 1st wave 'proactive' strategic grant ToR (2015)

Work Package 2 ($700K)
Legal & Policy recognition
(WP1 countries + 6 Upgraded SGP FSPs, priority SGP countries)
* ToR for regional/global contracts

Work Package 3 ($895K)
Network exchange & Knowledge
(WP1 countries + 6 Upgraded SGP FSPs, priority SGP countries)
* Regional events (Ecuador, Lombok)

Technical Advisory Panel
SGP Project Board

Project Manager
PMU support
Liaison 3 WPs, global core partners, SGP country teams

ICCA Regional Learning Networks
Exchange b/w 3 WPs

CBD Aichi 2020 targets 11, 14 and 18

Global Core Partner #1 ($540K)
Global ICCA Consortium
Member organisations, regional focal points, global policy support

Global Core Partner #2 ($475K)
IUCN Global Programme on Protected Areas (GPAP)
6 national governance assessments, WPC Promise of Sydney

Global Core Partner #3 ($400K)
UNEP World Conservation Monitoring Centre (WCMC)
Linkages b/w ICCA Registry, WDPA, indicators for global targets
ICCA Global Support Initiative

UNDPane - UNOPS (16.3 M US$)

UNDP GEF SGP

“Package 1” – GEF SGP
ICCA grants to be disbursed in 20 countries
13,000,000 US$

ICCA Consortium
496,000 US$

IUCN GPAP
475,000 US$

UNEP WCMC
400,000 US$

Organisations to be identified & contracted
1,000,000 US$

“Package 2” –
legal support

“Package 3” –
support to networking and capacity building
1,000,000 US$

exemplary cases (local level)
analyses & ICCA Networks, assistance to GEF small grants, governance assessment & action national level – 20 countries);
capacities & learning networks (regional level);
Consortium strengthening, ICCAs in global policies, links to ICCA Registry (global level);
WPC follow-up/ governance vitality (technical level)

Processes of governance analysis, evaluation & action in 6 countries

ICCA Registry
## Current GSI countries

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GEF SGP disbursement of Workpackage 1 funds is to be preceded by a proactive “Strategic organization initiative”. This initiative could be extremely useful also for countries in Workpackages 2 and 3... Can we extend that option to them?
### Groupings and changes that may facilitate regional initiatives:

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| Argentina
Paraguay (+ Chile informally) | Ecuador
Peru
Brazil
Colombia (+ Bolivia) | Guatemala
(Maya region) | Madagascar
Senegal
Benin
+ Guinea
Bissau?
Guinea?
DRC? | Namibia
Zambia
Tanzania
Kenya | Iran
Jordan
Kyrgyzstan
Georgia | Indonesia
Philippines
Malaysia
Vietnam |
| - Suriname | - | | Morocco
+ Thad?
Niger?
Tunisia?
Algeria?
Burkina Faso?
1 Namibia? | + Tajikistan?
Afghanistan?
Azerbaijan?
Turkey? | + East Timor?
Cambodia?
Laos? | - Maldives |

For some countries, individual rather than regional support seem indicated…
Also, any chance to support Nepal, India, China?
Consortium activities to be discussed in this meeting:

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