



The Ecological Corridors Project was carried out by the Brazilian Government between 2007 and 2014. Now it incorporates important studies made by the Institute of Advanced Studies of University of São Paulo increasing and updated information and database about corridors. Taking the spatial analysis as premise to territorial planning and regional development, the Brazilian proposal aims to strengthen the dialog with other countries seeking to integrate the initiatives in course and increase the synergy on different levels.

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Brazilian initiative and the continental perspective



Looking after the commitments regarding to the Sustainable Development Goals stated at the United Nations 2030 Agenda, the Aichi Targets and other Multilateral Environment Agreements - MEAs, the Brazilian proposal for Ecological Corridors strengthens the National System of Conservation Units and is based on six drivers:

PROPOSAL DRIVERS

- The intended developing program to be implemented aims to reconcile human activities and the environment. The Brazilian proposal of ecological corridors incorporates environmental conservation goals, actions to strengthen the National System of Conservation Units, with social inclusion and economic development. Takes into account traditional and local knowledge and promotes sustainable use of sociobiodiversity.
- Multiple authors (participation and consensus)
- Collaboration among sectors (horizontal synergy)
- Multiple levels (vertical synergy)
- Integration and harmonization of ongoing actions and projects.
- Flexibility (considering and respecting different social realities)

PREMISES



CONTINENTAL CONTEXT

Several countries are carrying out initiatives, studies and experiences about ecological corridors implementation.

Recovering connectivity between the unique America's ecosystems, which hold important portion of world's biodiversity, lead us to reestablish genetic fluxes that are essential to the global environmental equilibrium.

Common efforts over environmental conservation and preservation become absolutely strategic.

Consolidating the existent corridors proposals will strengthen the National System of Conservation Units, promote synergy and collaboration among countries.

NEXT STEPS

Develop common activities in formal partnerships to enable the necessary collective construction of a initiative, bringing global benefits as results from local and regional actions, strengthening the existence of ecological corridors.

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