

Connectivity conservation for the sake of humankind

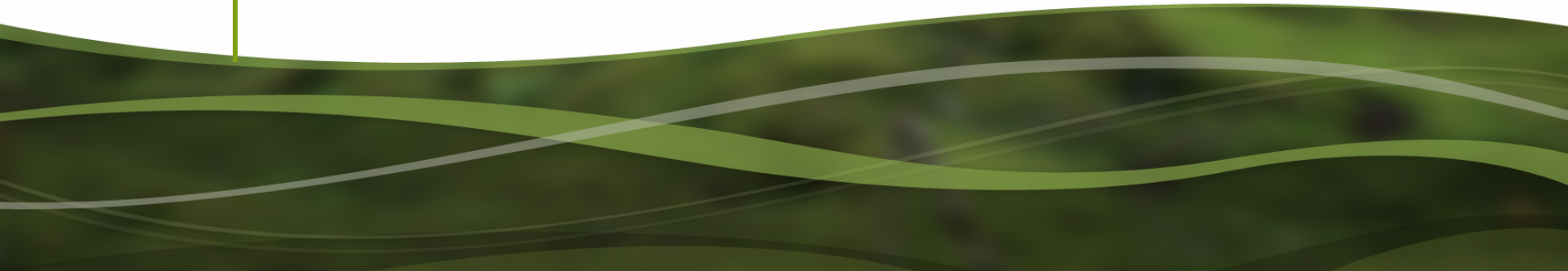
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Connectivity Conservation





A straightforward argument:


Connectivity conservation is a nature-based solution to climate change.




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Large-scale
natural landscapes



Keeping the bush **intact**




Letting animals
move and survive



Interlinking protected areas



Restoring landscapes



Involving many
people

Across many **tenures**



Connectivity conservation:

- One critical response to climate change
- Big changes and big issues need big thinking responses



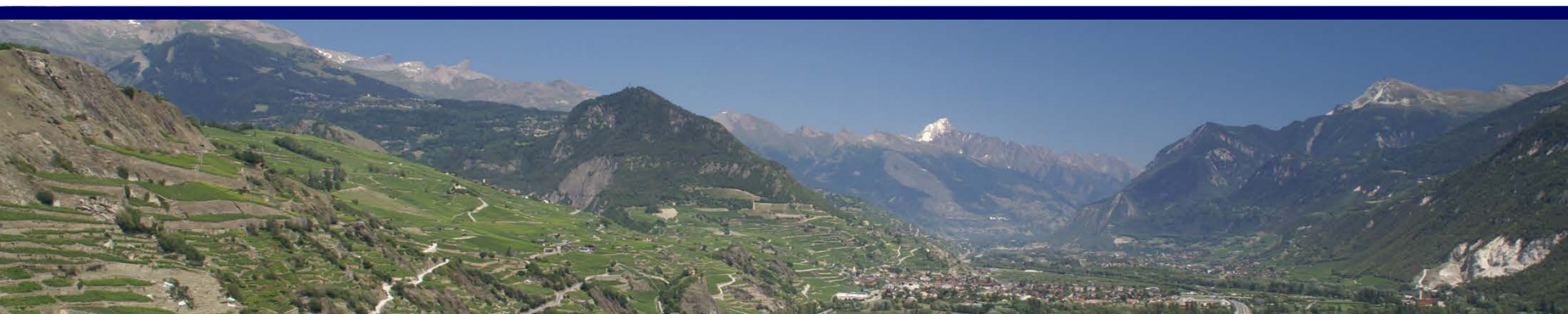


Connectivity conservation /

A key response to climate change :

It is recognised as a key adaptive strategy by :

- The IPCC (2007)
- The CBD Secretariat (PoWPA)
- Governments and regions such as Australia, Mesoamerica, the Alps, The Himalayas, etc.
- All major environmental NGO's including WWF, WCS, Conservation International and the TNC
- IUCN



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Harvey Locke

➤ Large-scale response

NORTH AMERICA

Yellowstone to Yukon Connectivity Corridor





Tatyana Yashina

➔ Linking protected areas
across political boundaries

**ALTAI
REPUBLIC**

Altai - Sayan Megadiversity Corridor





Nakul Chettri

Investing in research

Sacred Himalayan Landscape Connectivity Corridor



Ian Pulsford

Connectivity conservation in Australia

**EASTERN
AUSTRALIA**



Great Eastern Ranges Connectivity Corridor



Leadership



Large scale



Persistence



Across borders



Large scale research



With people



Thank you!