



Key

M	Main Plenary Events
SE	Side Events
1	Stream 1 - Reaching Conservation Goals
2	Stream 2 - Responding to Climate Change
3	Stream 3 - Improving Health & Well-being
4	Stream 4 - Supporting Human Life
5	Stream 5 - Reconciling Development Challenges
6	Stream 6 - Enhancing the Diversity and Quality of Governance
7	Stream 7 - Respecting Indigenous and Traditional Knowledge and Culture
8	Stream 8 - Inspiring a New Generation
	Cross-cutting Themes

Key Time Venue Overall Theme Presentation Topic Presenter/s

Wednesday 12th November

M	17h15 - 19h00	Hall 5+6		IUCN World Parks Congress Opening Ceremony followed by cocktail reception	The Hon. Minister Molewa, South Africa
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Thursday 13th November

SE	12:15 – 13:15	Playfair Room 1	Side Event	Rhino Conservation – Successes and Challenges: A South African perspective	Department of Environmental Affairs RSA
SE	12:15 – 14:30	Nature base Solutions Pavilion	Side Event	Tourism as a Nature-Based Solution	Anna Spenceley Sue Snyman Lamson Maluleke
6	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 5	Governance E-poster	The Makuleke's community owned Kruger National Park land	Steve Collins
M	13h00 - 14h30	Hall 6	Opening Plenary	Afternoon Session Part 1	The Hon. Minister Herunga, Namibia
5	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 3	Development Challenges E-posters	Making PA Concessions work for communities Investing in an innovative protected area expansion mechanism in South Africa	Sue Snyman Kevin Mccann
8	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 4	New generation E-poster	S'fundimvelo Environmental Education Programme	Bandile Mkhize
6	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 5	Governance E-poster	Funding community conservation areas	Steve Collins
SE	20:00 – 21:30	Jamison room	Side Event	Tourism and Protected Areas	Kevin Mearns Andrew Rylance

Friday 14th November

M	08h30 - 10h30	Anphitheatre	Opening Parallel Plenary	PLANET	The Hon. Minister
M	08h30 - 10h30	Hall 6	Opening Parallel Plenary	PARKS	Greg Carr
M	11h00 - 12h00	Hall 3A2	Stream 2 opening plenary	Responding to Climate Change	Luvuyo Mandela
M	11h00 - 12h00	Jamison Room	Cross-cutting 4 opening plenary	A New Social Compact For Effective and Just Conservation	Nigel Crawhall
1	13:30 – 15:00	TBC	Identifying and conserving important freshwater areas	Expanding protected areas beyond their terrestrial comfort zone: identifying important freshwater areas using systematic conservation planning and stakeholder-driven design	Jeanne Nel
3	15:30 – 17:00	Horden Room	One Health: Linking human, animal and ecosystem health (Part 1)	There is only One Health in Southern African Transfrontier Conservation Areas	Clara Bocchino
M	15h30 - 17h30		WIN Dialogue	Extractive Industries and Indigenous People and Local Negotiation Practices	Masego
1	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 1	Conservation Goals E-posters	Reaching Protected Area Expansion Goals Through Innovative Land Transactions	Natasha Wilson
5	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 3	Development Challenges E-posters	The Chemucane Community Concession: a new partnership approach for Mozambique	Steve Collins
6	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 6	Governance E-posters	Improving protected area governance in southern Africa - towards a new vision and strategy	Leo Niskanen
3	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 2	Health & Wellbeing E-posters	Bridging the gap	Sabelo Lindani
5	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 3	Reconciling Development Challenges Life E-posters	Financing protected areas Integrating community upliftment into protected area development on communal land in South Africa	Anna Spenceley Kevin Mccann
SE	20:00 – 21:30	Playfair room	Side Event	Tourism in Transfrontier Conservation Areas, a vehicle for development and sustainable life	Anna Spenceley Sue Snyman Roland Vorwerk Lamson Maluleke Piet Theron

Saturday 15th November

3	8:30 – 10:00	Horden Room	Linking traditional medicine, good healthcare access and conservation	Healthy Streets - Healthy People: Collaborative open-access street gardens of locally indigenous medicinal plants in Cape Town, South Africa	Leif Petersen
4	8:30 – 10:00	Hall 3B2		Session: Water for Life of IUCN WCPA Freshwater specialist group	Jeanne Nel
4	8:30 – 10:00	Hub 2	Opportunities and challenges to produce food in Protected Areas	Investing in the Development of Economic Models allowing the Sustainable Use of Resources of Protected Areas: A Case Study of Somkhanda Game Reserve.	Mark Gerrard
5	8:30 – 10:00	Hall 4 North Pod	Social safeguards for equitable and sustainable development and inclusive decisions	TBC	Ravaka Ranaivoson
				Putting data to work: community voices on development and application of the IUCN/CEESP Human Dependency on Nature	Masego Madzwamuse
6	8:30 – 12:30	Hub 1	Areas under government governance	Regional and transfrontier Agreements to enhance conservation between Pas	Leseho Sello
SE	10:00 – 11:30	Nature Based Solutions Pavilion	Side Event	Teaching session on protected areas law and governance	A. Paterson
8	10:30 – 12:00	Hall 4B2		Session: Technology without walls: drawcards to nature	Andrew Campbell
1	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 1	Conservation goals E-posters	Role of a Government Ranger on the Front Line: Drawing The Boundary as Defenders of Wildlife or a Country's Sovereignty?	Chris Galliers
5	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 3	Reconciling Development Challenges Life E-posters	Living Outside the Fence: Opportunities for Communities Bordering Protected Areas (Sabi Sand)	Andrew Rylance
				Using tourism to achieve conservation goals	Sue Snyman Ralf Buckley
1	13:30 – 15:00	Hall 3A1	Protected Areas Management Effectiveness 2: making assessment count	Monitoring of the South Africa's Protected Areas Management effectiveness: an evaluation of progress since 2010 baseline study using METT	Caiphus Khumalo
5	13:30 – 15:00	Hall 4A1	Integrating protected areas into national plans and policies (Part I)	Protecting a Network of Threatened Grasslands in Important Bird and Biodiversity Areas	Daniel Marnewick
6	13:30 – 15:00	Hub 1		Governance, sustainable use of wild resources and combating wildlife crime	Karine Nuulimba Andrew Agyare
1	15:30 – 17:00	TBC	Freshwater Session 2: Freshwater biodiversity outcomes from Protected Areas	Top-down conservation targets and bottom-up management action: mutual feedback strategies to improve biodiversity outcomes Rapid discussion of Case Studies for biodiversity outcomes Africa/Asia case study	Jeanne Nel Dirk Roux
4	15:30 – 17:00	Hub 2	Community Based Natural Resource Management	Workshop: Community Based Natural Resource Management <i>Bridging the gap between Protected Areas and Human Livelihoods (M. Murphree)</i> <i>A revolutionary approach to rhino protection: Community Rhino Farms (D. Ndebele)</i>	Michael Murphree Daneshrree Ndebele
8	15:30 – 17:00	Hall 4B2	Lessons from those reaching out to reconnect	Using theatre to promote appreciation of parks: the People and Parks theatre outreach programme	Pamela Cele Chunky Phiri
SE	15:30 – 17:00	Business and Biodiversity Pavilion	Side Event	Protected areas and the extractive industry sector in Africa – Good decisions for better impacts	Christine Mentzel
M	17h30 - 19h30		World Leaders Dialogue	Stand Up For Your Rights - Parks and Social Equity	Luvuyo Mandela
1	18:00 – 19:30	Hall 3A1	Protected Areas Law and Achieving Aichi Target 11	Building capacity to develop and implement protected areas law to achieve Aichi Target 11 – demonstration of new ELC Protected Area Law and Governance Capacity Building materials	Alexander Paterson
6	18:30 – 21:30	Hall 4A2	Session: Advancing protected areas governance in Africa	<i>Shared governance in francophone Africa (Binta BA)</i> <i>The shift of African PAs (Nils Odendaal)</i> <i>We can't address today's problems with yesterday solutions. (M. V. Kootsositse)</i>	Binta BA Nils Odendaal & Daniel Marnewick M. Kootsositse
SE	19:15 – 21:00	Bus & Biodiversity	Side Event	TAPAS Group Networking meeting, CBD Update on tourism and GSTC Briefing – Presentations and cocktails	Anna Spenceley Sue Snyman
SE	20:00 – 21:30	Jamison Room	Side Event	SADC Transfrontier Conservation Areas Networks, a vehicle for development and sustainable life	Clara Bocchino Nyambe Nyambe Martin Leineweber Michael Murphree Christine Mentzel Kule Chitepo Nigel Crawhall

Sunday 16th November

	12h00 - 21h00	Various		PlanetFest- Cathy Freeman Park, Excursions (various times)	All
	14h30 - 16h00		World Leaders Dialogue	Food for Thought - Feeding Nine Billion Within Our Planetary Boundaries	The Hon. Minister de Abreu, Mozambique

Monday 17th November

SE	7:00 – 8:00	Capacity Development	Side Event	A Resource Fair – Capacity Development tools and partners for Formal and Non-formal training	Christine Mentzel
2	8:30 – 10:00	Hall 3A2	Restoring Natural Systems to Provide Resilience to Climate Change	Playing with water and climate for resilience in Southern African Transfrontier Conservation Areas	Joyce Loza
5	8:30 – 10:00	Hall 4 Nth Pod	Let's connect! Protected Areas and landscape trade-offs	Mutual gains and negotiation skills approach	Christine Mentzel
5	8:30 – 12:00	Playfair room 2		Session: Welcome visitors! Making tourism work for protected areas and sustainable development (Part I and II)	Anna Spenceley Andrew Thompson Peter Massyn Lamson Maluleke Colgar Sikopo Sue Snyman
6	8:30 – 12:00	Hall 4A2	Effective and equitable governance of the landscape	Workshop – World café This session will consider the landscape approach, success in landscape governance, and underlying conditions.	Nicholas de Goede Alasdair Harris George Muamba
3	10:30-12:00	Charley Room	One Health: Linking human, animal and ecosystem health (Part 2)	Resolving Disease-related Conflict at the Livestock / Wildlife Interface in Support of Transfrontier Conservation in Southern Africa	Shirley Atkinson
6	10:30 – 12:00	Hub 1	Effective and equitable systems of protected areas (Part II)	A new game for Southern African Transfrontier Conservation: merging governance and management systems	Bartolomeu Soto
8	10:30 – 12:00	Hall 4B2		The tourism gateway workshop: partnering to connect people with Parks and PAs	Anna Spenceley
SE	12:00 – 13:30	Hall 4A1	Side Event	Lunch time event on tourism solutions for Protected Areas – Panel discussion	Sue Snyman Anna Spenceley
1	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 1	Conservation Goals E-posters	Rhino Conservation Successes and Challenges - A South African Perspective	Thea Carroll
5	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 3	Reconciling Development Challenges Life E-posters	Financing Protected Areas through tourism	Anna Spenceley Sue Snyman Andrew Rylance
6	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 4	Governance E-posters	Building capacity amongst stakeholders outside the park: a people and parks toolkit	Daneshree Ndebele
5	13:30 – 15:00	Playfair room 2	Mainstreaming protected areas into jobs and sustainable livelihoods	Wildlife economy and community benefits through business linkages	Francisco Mija
5	13:30 – 15:00	Hall 4A1	Session: Extractives, energy and responsible investments: Challenges (Part I)	The South African Biodiversity Stewardship Programme: Expanding the Conservation Estate in South Africa on Private Land Research Opportunities, Protected Area Expansion and the Restoration of our Natural Capital Base	Willeen Olivier Warwick Mostert
				The Sustainability Benefit Of Conservation And Protected Area Establishment To A Corporate Industrial Organisation: Exxaro's Manketti Game Reserve as a case study	Marius Cornelius Fuls
6	13:30 – 17:00	Hub 1	Governance and procedural rights: securing collective responsibilities and citizen oversight in conserving nature	Governance and procedural rights: securing collective responsibilities and citizen oversight in conserving nature	Daneshree Ndebele
6	13:30 – 15:00	Hall 4A2	Governance of Transboundary Conservation Areas (Part I)	SADC Best Practices for TFCA management and implementation	Kevan Zunckel
7	13:30 – 15:00	Hall 4B1	Sustainable partnerships: Indigenous peoples, traditional knowledge and the private sector	The integration of culture and indigenous knowledge into tourism in protected areas	Sue Snyman
6	15:30 – 17:00	Hall 4A2	Governance of Transboundary Conservation Areas (Part II)	Workshop: Governance of Transboundary Conservation Areas – East and Southern Africa mini-workshop	Clara Bocchino Piet Theron
SE	15:30 – 17:00	Business and Biodiversity Pavilion	Side Event	Going beyond: diamonds and biodiversity	Warwick Mostert
1	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 1	Conservation Goals E-posters	The South African Biodiversity Stewardship Programme: Expanding the Conservation Estate in South Africa on Private Land	Willeen Olivier
M	17h30 - 19h30		World Leaders Dialogue	The Nature of Crime - The Extent and Impact of Illegal Wildlife Trade	The Hon. Dep. Minister Thomson, South Africa
3	17:30 – 19:30	TBC	Workshop	Workshop: Wildlife Disease Risk Analysis	Clara Bocchino
SE	18:00 – 19:00	Hall 4A1	Side Event	Tourism and Protected Areas IUCN Best Practice Guidelines, UNDP Tourism Concessions Joint Launch	Sue Snyman Anna Spenceley

Tuesday 18th November

SE	7:00 – 8:15	Business and Biodiversity Pavilion	Side Event	Mainstreaming of biodiversity into business: lessons and solutions for sustainable land management from South Africa	Warwick Mostert
1	8:30 – 10:00	Southe North	Inspiring hope: Protected Areas restoration	Translocation as a way of restocking the less populated areas within the shared ecosystem in the Lubombo Transfrontier Conservation Area	Leseho Sello
6	8:30 – 10:00	Hub 1		Adaptive governance for resilient protected areas – preparing for the challenges ahead	Clara Bocchino
1	12:00 – 13:30	Hall 3A1	Dialogue: The voice of Africa in reaching conservation goals in and around protected areas	<i>Protecting Important Bird and Biodiversity Areas using Biodiversity Stewardship, through government, landowner and NGO partnerships (D. Marnewick)</i>	Daniel Marnewick
				<i>The NamibRand Nature Reserve, a model for private conservation (N. Odendaal)</i>	Alasdair Harris
				<i>Village by village: creating a climate of change for locally-led marine conservation in Madagascar (A. Harris)</i>	Nils Odendaal
				<i>Wildlife-Livestock Integration: an innovative approach to conservation (M. Mulama)</i>	Martin Mulama
6	12:00 – 13:30	Hall 4A2	IUCN WCPA Best Practice Protected Areas Guidelines on transboundary	Presenting SADC Guidelines for transboundary conservation areas	Kevan Zunckel
SE	12:00 – 13:30	Capacity Development Room	Side Event	Building legal capacity for Protected Areas Law and Governance	Alexander Paterson
1	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 1	Conservation goals E-posters	Transboundary World Heritage Site 'Maloti-Drakensberg WHS'	Bandile Mkhize
5	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 3	Reconciling Development Challenges Life E-posters	Socio-economic impacts of tourism on local communities living in and around Protected Areas	Sue Snyman
6	12:15 – 13:15	Screen 4	Governance E-posters session	Building Capacity Amongst Stakeholders Outside the Park: A People and Parks Toolkit	Daneshree Ndebele
6	17:15 – 18:15	Screen 5	Governance E-poster	Socio-economic benefits of ecotourism in rural areas	Sakhile Nsukwini
				Governance system lessons learnt	Sue Snyman
				Protected Area legislation in South Africa	Vongani Maringa
SE	17h30 - 19h30	Playfair Room 2	Discussion panel: State of the world's birds and IBA in Danger	Using Biodiversity Stewardship to Protect South Africa's IBAs in Danger	Daniel Marnewick
M	17h30 - 19h30		World Leaders Dialogue	A Balancing Act - How the Global Appetite for Mineral Resources Defines the Fate of Protected Areas	The Hon. Minister Herunga, Namibia

Wednesday 19th November

M	09h00 - 17h00	Hall 5+6	IUCN World Parks Congress Closing Ceremony followed by BBQ		
SE	11:30 – 13:30	Nature Based Solutions Pavilion	Side Event	Creating an elephant economy – Resolving human-wildlife conflict and adapting to climate change using nature based solutions and tools	Steve Johnson Kule Chitepo Steve Collins