



## Funding opportunities July-December 2020

Deadline	Donor Organisation	Grant Programme	Grant Focus	Grant amount	Website
15/7/2020	Holohil Systems Ltd	Holohil Grant Program	Wildlife research and management	CAD2,500 toward the purchase of transmitters	<a href="http://www.holohil.com/grant-program/">http://www.holohil.com/grant-program/</a>
1/8/2020	World Wildlife Fund (WWF)	Professional Development Grants	Virtual courses only - Professional Development Grants (PDGs) provide support for mid-career conservationists to pursue short-term, non-degree training to upgrade their knowledge and skills. These trainings can include short courses, certificate trainings, or conferences among other training opportunities	\$6,500	<a href="https://www.worldwildlife.org/projects/professional-development-grants">https://www.worldwildlife.org/projects/professional-development-grants</a>
14/8/2020	<b>New</b> Born Free	McKenna-Travers Award for Compassionate Conservation	Compassionate Conservation puts the welfare of individual animals at the heart of effective conservation actions.	£10,000	<a href="https://www.bornfree.org.uk/MTA/">https://www.bornfree.org.uk/MTA/</a>
15/8/2010 (pre-proposal)	<b>New</b> ASAP	ASAP Species Conservation Grant	Supporting ASAP Partners in their efforts to conserve ASAP species and their habitats	Average \$8,000	<a href="https://www.speciesonthebrink.org/asap-grants/asap-species-conservation-grants">https://www.speciesonthebrink.org/asap-grants/asap-species-conservation-grants</a>



15/8/2020	Wildlife Acoustics	-	Advance the conservation of animals through bio-acoustics recording technology	\$5,000 of product-in-kind grants	<a href="https://www.wildlifeacoustics.com/grant-program">https://www.wildlifeacoustics.com/grant-program</a>
31/8/2020	<b>New</b> Save the Snakes	Save The Snakes Support Grants	Conservation of threatened snake populations	\$500-1,000	<a href="https://savethesnakes.org/funding-guidelines-for-grants/">https://savethesnakes.org/funding-guidelines-for-grants/</a>
1/9/2020	<b>New</b> Amphibian Ark	Amphibian Ark George and Mary Rabb Research Fellowship	This fellowship supports early or mid-career scientists and conservationists in research-based professional development that furthers amphibian conservation	\$5,000	<a href="https://www.amphibians.org/news/new-amphibian-ark-george-and-mary-rabb-research-fellowship/">https://www.amphibians.org/news/new-amphibian-ark-george-and-mary-rabb-research-fellowship/</a>
15/9/2020	<b>New</b> Future for Nature	Future for Nature Awards	Young talented, and energetic nature conservationists committed to protecting species of wild animals and plants	\$50,000	<a href="https://futurefornature.org/apply/">https://futurefornature.org/apply/</a>
15/10/2020	Holohil Systems Ltd	Holohil Grant Program	Wildlife research and management	CAD2,500 toward the purchase of transmitters	<a href="http://www.holohil.com/grant-program/">http://www.holohil.com/grant-program/</a>
21/10/2020	National Geographic	Recovery of species on the brink of extinction	To halt further biodiversity decline by implementing conservation plans for species and groups of species	\$30,000	<a href="https://www.nationalgeographic.org/funding-opportunities/grants/what-we-fund/species-recovery/">https://www.nationalgeographic.org/funding-opportunities/grants/what-we-fund/species-recovery/</a>
30/10/2020	Mohamed Bin Zayed Species	Conservation Fund	Conservation of Species with high extinction risk	\$25,000	<a href="https://www.speciesconservation.org/grants/">https://www.speciesconservation.org/grants/</a>
15/11/2020	Wildlife Acoustics	-	Advance the conservation of animals through bio-acoustics recording technology	\$5,000 of product-in-kind grants	<a href="https://www.wildlifeacoustics.com/grant-program">https://www.wildlifeacoustics.com/grant-program</a>



## Rolling basis funding

Donor Organisation	Grant Programme	Thematic focus	Funding range	Website
Arcus Foundation	Great Apes Program	Great apes conservation	-	<a href="http://www.arcusfoundation.org/apply-for-a-grant/">http://www.arcusfoundation.org/apply-for-a-grant/</a>
Asian Species Action Partnership	Rapid Action Grants	ASAP species emergency actions (Critically Endangered land and freshwater vertebrates)	up to EURO 10,000	<a href="https://www.speciesonthebrink.org/rapid-action-grants">https://www.speciesonthebrink.org/rapid-action-grants</a>
Oriental Bird Club	Special and emergency awards	Bird conservation emergencies	-	<a href="http://orientalbirdclub.org/applications/">http://orientalbirdclub.org/applications/</a>
Rainforest Action Network	Protect-an-Acre Fund	Protect forests, promote local self-sufficiency, and strengthen the rights and livelihoods of forest communities	\$5,000	<a href="https://www.ran.org/issue/protect_an_acre/#community_action_grants_apply_today">https://www.ran.org/issue/protect_an_acre/#community_action_grants_apply_today</a>
Rainforest Trust	Rapid Protected-Area Feasibility Award	Feasibility of new protected areas	\$5,000	<a href="https://www.rainforesttrust.org/saves-conservation/">https://www.rainforesttrust.org/saves-conservation/</a>
Rufford Foundation	Rufford Small Grant	Nature conservation projects across the developing world	£6,000-15,000	<a href="https://apply.ruffordsmallgrants.org/">https://apply.ruffordsmallgrants.org/</a>
Segre Foundation	-	Field projects with concrete and measurable conservation outcomes in terms of improving species'	-	<a href="http://www.fondationsegre.org/how-to-apply/">http://www.fondationsegre.org/how-to-apply/</a>



		populations and reduction of threats.		
Wildlife Conservation Network	Pangolin Crisis Fund	Eliminate the demand, trafficking, and poaching crisis that puts all eight species of pangolins at risk of extinction.	-	<a href="https://www.pangolincrisisfund.org/faq/">https://www.pangolincrisisfund.org/faq/</a>
IUCN Primate Section on Small Apes	Save the Gibbon Grant	Applied conservation, conservation-related research and education efforts of projects working with gibbons in South East Asia	-	<a href="https://gibbons.asia/save-the-gibbon-grant/">https://gibbons.asia/save-the-gibbon-grant/</a>



## Training opportunities

Apply by	Training date(s)	Organisation	Programme	Topic	Cost	Location	Website
	6-9th July	GIS in Ecology	Live Online Course – An Introduction to Basic Statistics for Biologists using R	This is a practical course and it is aimed at anyone who wishes to learn how to carry out basic data processing and statistical analyses on biological data using R.	6-9th July	Online	<a href="http://gisinecology.com/stats-for-biologists-1/live-online-course-an-introduction-to-basic-statistics-for-biologists-using-r/">http://gisinecology.com/stats-for-biologists-1/live-online-course-an-introduction-to-basic-statistics-for-biologists-using-r/</a>
	8 July	Environmental Funders Network	Telling stories to inspire people	Techniques to help you bring to life the key issues that your supporters care about	Free	Online	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdL-s9RiS1KNoSEJztBbewzfU_kxtbO5tgXNfpeHX8EhwAaiw/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdL-s9RiS1KNoSEJztBbewzfU_kxtbO5tgXNfpeHX8EhwAaiw/viewform</a>
	15 July	Environmental Funders Network	How to fundraise when it's not your usual day job	Quickly learn the fundamentals of fundraising	Free	Online	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeDjujyrAS2U0rDi8KBAyKJSpzhIU1ZmbBLkCSJ5B9dj42emQ/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeDjujyrAS2U0rDi8KBAyKJSpzhIU1ZmbBLkCSJ5B9dj42emQ/viewform</a>
	7-11 Sep	Durrell Wildlife Conservation Trust	ONLINE COURSE - Endangered	Introduces the issues and practical skills involved in saving threatened species from extinction.	£450	Online	<a href="https://training.durrell.org/course/view.php?id=9">https://training.durrell.org/course/view.php?id=9</a>



			Species Recovery				
	14-18 Sep 2020	Smithsonian-Mason School of Conservation	Essentials of Spatial Ecology: GIS Analysis in R, QGIS, and Google Earth Engine	Gain hands-on experience using freely available visual and analytical tools for working with spatial data, including R, Q-GIS, and Google Earth Engine.	\$1,922	Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute	<a href="https://smconservation.gmu.edu/programs/graduate-and-professional/gis/">https://smconservation.gmu.edu/programs/graduate-and-professional/gis/</a>

## Free online training (available anytime)

Organisation	Programme	Topic	Website
Nature Conservancy	Conservation Training	Conservation Training is an open and free learning community that offers conservation-based training materials from The Nature Conservancy and our partner organizations.	<a href="https://www.conservationtraining.org/">https://www.conservationtraining.org/</a>
ZSL, United for Wildlife & Nat Geo	Introduction to conservation	Understanding conservation, people and conservation, and conservation innovation	<a href="https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/introduction-to-conservation/">https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/introduction-to-conservation/</a>
ZSL, United for	Prioritizing species and spaces	With so many species and spaces at risk of extinction,	<a href="https://account.nationalgeographic.org/">https://account.nationalgeographic.org/</a>



Wildlife & Nat Geo		this course provides you with an overview of how conservationists prioritize their work with limited resources and time	<a href="https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/prioritizing-species-and-spaces/">org/courses/prioritizing-species-and-spaces/</a>
ZSL, United for Wildlife & Nat Geo	Understanding the illegal wildlife trade	To combat the illegal wildlife trade, which is extracting our planet's animals and plants from their natural environments, this course will explore how to tackle domestic and international supply and demand	<a href="https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/understanding-illegal-wildlife-trade/">https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/understanding-illegal-wildlife-trade/</a>
ZSL, United for Wildlife & Nat Geo	Scientific expeditions for conservation	To contribute to advances in conservation, this course outlines the key components needed to plan a scientific expedition.	<a href="https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/scientific-expeditions/">https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/scientific-expeditions/</a>
ZSL, United for Wildlife & Nat Geo	Conservation project planning	To improve conservation action on the ground, this course provides you with an overview of how to plan and implement an effective conservation project.	<a href="https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/conservation-project-planning/">https://account.nationalgeographic.org/courses/conservation-project-planning/</a>

## Job opportunities

Seven Coordinator positions at the Global Center for Species Survival (GCSS).

The GCSS has been established at Indianapolis Zoo as part of a partnership between Indianapolis Zoological Society and IUCN. The partnership aims to catalyze conservation action across the SSC network. Its main goal will be to enhance the scope and capacity for species conservation globally, supporting the efforts of nearly 10,000 SSC experts working to save threatened species worldwide.



Applications for the seven positions are open until **1 August**: <https://www.indianapoliszoo.com/jobs-volunteer/available-positions/>