

Reporting from world café 5 – Nature Conservation – Dr. Thomas Schaefer, Katharina Trump

Among the main **challenges** expressed by the attendees are:

- Invasive species which cause threat on native/endemic
- Including local communities
- Co-existence for people and Biodiversity is a problem in growing communities → Human-Wildlife-Conflict
- LL-members do much species work but not with GNF
- Governmental opposition to work
- Conflicts of objectives
- Use of habitats by humans
- Water pollution
- Deforestation
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Solutions expressed during the world café addressed mainly the challenges listed above

- Use species as ambassadors for catchment management
- Safe the ecosystem by protection of the species which rely on it
- Capacity building
- Use international connections for international founding
- Improve communication between LL partners
- Improve habitat connectivity and
- Enable reproduction of rare species
- Regulate human activity

The **agenda** for near future projects should include projects dealing with:

- Protect Endemic species
- Marco corridors landscape scale programmes
- Small species with important function in the ecosystem
- LL-rare/endemic/threatened species database to create common frame