CONSERVATION INTERNATIONAL SURINAME

Conservation International Suriname is an environmental organization that has worked in country for the last 20 years to protect nature for the benefit of people. CI-Suriname is focused on supporting national policy for green economic development by supporting land use planning and demonstrating the value of ecosystem services in Suriname.

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Conservation International (CI) is an international, nonprofit organization based in Arlington, VA. CI believes that the Earth's natural heritage must be maintained if future generations are to thrive spiritually, culturally and economically. Building upon a strong foundation of science, partnership and field demonstration, CI empowers societies to responsibly and sustainably care for nature, our global biodiversity, for the well-being of humanity.

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Global Wildlife Conservation (GWC) protects endangered species and habitats through science-based field action. GWC conserves the world's most endangered species and their habitats through exploration, research, and conservation. Our dynamic model combines a central sciencebased strategy with local action in partnership with our in-country collaborators. We are a revolutionary organization that builds upon the collective knowledge of conservation pioneers with modern methods and tools, centered on the urgency for action to prevent species extinctions.

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ANTON DE KOM UNIVERSITY OF SURINAME

Anton de Kom University of Suriname was founded on 1 November 1968 and offers studies in the fields of social, technological and medical sciences. There are five research centers conducting research and rendering services to the community. The Center for Agricultural Research (CELOS) is promoting agricultural scientific education at the faculty of Technological Sciences, Institute for Applied Technology (INTEC), Biomedical Research Institute, Institute for Development Planning and Management (IDPM), Institute for Research in Social Sciences (IMWO), the Library of ADEK, University Computer Center (UCC), National Zoological Collection (NZCS) and National Herbarium of Suriname (BBS).

The primary goals of the NZCS and BBS are to develop an overview of the flora and fauna of Suriname, and build a reference collection for scientific and educational purposes. The NZCS also conducts research on the biology, ecology, and distribution of certain animal species or on the composition and status of certain ecosystems.