

## IPSI Collaborative Activity Proposal Form

The following form is for use when submitting proposed IPSI Collaborative Activities for consideration by the IPSI Steering Committee. See the Collaborative Activity Guidelines on p. 3 for more information.

Please return the completed form to the IPSI Secretariat ([isi@unu.edu](mailto:isi@unu.edu)).

*IPSI Collaborative Activities are the activities that shall be undertaken by more than one IPSI member and constitute an important part of IPSI activities with the purpose of fostering collaboration within the IPSI membership and implementing the IPSI Strategy and Plan of Action. The IPSI Collaborative Activities shall be developed and implemented with the endorsement of the Steering Committee in accordance with the Collaborative Activity Guidelines. Resource mobilization for IPSI collaborative activities shall be the responsibility of the implementing members in principle. – IPSI Operational Guidelines, Chapter 5.4*

<b>Date of Application:</b>	<b>December 4, 2015</b>
<b>Project title:</b>	
GEF-Satoyama Project	
<b>Collaborating organizations (IPSI members):</b> (*Please underline the leading organization)	
Conservation International ( <u>Conservation International Japan</u> ), United Nations University Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability, Institute for Global Environmental Strategies, Global Environment Facility	
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<b>Expected term (e.g. 1 January 2014 – 31 December 2015):</b>	
September 1, 2015 – June 30, 2019	
<b>IPSI strategic objective(s) addressed (tick all that apply; see p. 3 for more details):</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•√ 1. Increase knowledge and understanding of SEPLS</li> <li>•√ 2. Address direct and underlying causes responsible for the decline or loss of SEPLS</li> <li>•√ 3. Enhance benefits from SEPLS</li> <li>•√ 4. Enhance human, institutional and sustainable financial capacities</li> </ul>	

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**Description of the activity:**

Please provide as much information as possible on:

- Background
- Activities (including site locations if applicable)
- Expected outcomes
- Actors and task sharing
- How the activity relates to the *IPSI Strategy* and *IPSI Plan of Action*
- Resources, funding
- Monitoring and reporting

“GEF-Satoyama Project” aims to achieve societies in harmony with nature, with sustainable primary production sector based on traditional and modern wisdom, and making significant contributions to global targets for conservation of biological diversity. This project intends to address the barriers that SEPLS faces globally, such as insufficient recognition of their values and dynamic nature and weak governance, and contribute to the achievement of multiple Aichi Biodiversity Targets and Sustainable Development Goals.

We approach this global issue in three interrelated, mutually-informing components:

**Component 1: “On-the-ground demonstration.”** Enhancing livelihood, conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity and ecosystem services through investing in demonstration projects in three biodiversity hotspots; nine projects in total. Intended outcome include effective conservation management in these areas, improved conservation status of globally threatened species and protection of traditional knowledge.

**Component 2: “Knowledge generation.”** Improving knowledge generation to increase understanding, raise awareness and promote mainstreaming biodiversity in production landscapes and seascapes. This will support the synthesis of relevant knowledge and information about SEPLS globally, through a global map of priority SEPLS and case study analysis addressing barriers SEPLS face.

**Component 3: “Capacity-building workshops and trainings.”** Improving inter-sectoral collaboration and capacities for maintaining, restoring and revitalizing social and ecological values in priority SEPLS through workshops and training sessions.

**Project Duration:** September 1, 2015 – June 30, 2019

**GEF Project Agency:** Conservation International

**Executing Agency:** Conservation International Japan (CI Japan), with United Nations University Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability (UNU-IAS) and Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES)

**Funding:** GEF: USD1,909,000 / Co-financing: USD6,350,000

*Please attach additional pages as necessary.*

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