

## SCB-Europe\_old

The Society for Conservation Biology (SCB) (<http://www.conbio.org/>) is a global organization of over 10 000 members. The Society's membership comprises a wide range of professionals interested in the conservation and study of biological diversity: scientists, resource managers, educators, government and private conservation workers, and students.

The European Section of the SCB (<http://www.conbio.org/sections/europe/>) is actively working in Europe to protect the habitats, species and ecosystems of the continent. The Section has an international board and working committees. The twelve members of the Board of Directors (BoD) represent 25 European countries.

The Communications Committee promotes and facilitates communication within and beyond SCB-Europe. It develops printed and electronic publications of the Section, and works with other committees to achieve outreach and marketing goals.

The ultimate goal of the Education Committee is to increase the level of conservation literacy in Europe at all levels. One of the main activities of the Committee is the organization of Summer Schools for students, such as the present Greek Summer School (SCB-GSS) and the Croatian Summer School for post graduate and PhD students - ISCB).

The Membership Committee is responsible for encouraging membership in the Society and the Section.

The Policy Committee develops relationships with political, scientific, and other organizations that further the mission of the Section. This includes the preparation of resolutions and statements of public advocacy.

If you think that nature conservation is a top priority for our society

and that scientific evidence is needed for the conservation of biodiversity,

then get actively involved!

Learn more about the activities of SCB in Europe -

<http://www.conbio.org/sections/europe/>

and join us - <http://www.conbio.org/join>.

SCB membership:

- allows you to reach 10,000 colleagues in the field of conservation within Europe and globally through the Membership Expertise Database,

- offers free online access to SCB members from non high-income countries (inc. Central- and Eastern European countries) to the premier journals of the field: Conservation Biology, Conservation and Biological Conservation.

- gives you a registration discount at SCB meetings (inc. European Congress of Conservation Biology),

- allows you to have special access to the Job Board,

- offers the opportunity to get involved in projects related to sciences and policy, education, communication... and thematic workgroups,
- allows you to establish your own local chapter.

\* For students only: online subscription to Conservation Biology + Membership for 50\$. A Membership database is under update process currently, but you can apply from September onwards