

BELMONT FORUM / BIODIVERSA 2017-2018 JOINT CALL

PARTNER SEARCH FORM

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I AM LOOKING FOR : A PARTNER (FOR MY PROJECT) A PROJECT TO JOIN

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PARTNER SEARCH (*) (2-3 lines to be published on the website – the complete form will be available to download)

GRID-Arendal was established in 1989 to support environmentally sustainable development by working with UN Environment and other partners. We communicate environmental knowledge that strengthens management capacity and motivates decision-makers to act. We transform environmental data into credible, science-based information products, delivered through innovative communication tools and capacity building services.

Please complete the information below depending if you are looking for a partner (to join your project), or a project (you would like to join) – Max 1 page.

DESCRIPTION OF YOUR EXPERTISE / SKILLS

Our expertise and skills includes: web-based GS and data visualization (e.g. ESRI GIS; ESRI Story Maps); conduct of thematic, integrated, and comprehensive assessments; capacity building, environmental and development training; design and facilitation of solution- and action-oriented participatory social process that enable innovation; graphics, editorial and production services; science to policy support; partnership brokering across sectors; local to global connectivity for environmental and sustainable development issues. Relevant thematically are our competencies in spatial planning and analysis, nature's benefits to people, blue/green economy approaches, conservation finance, marine litter, indigenous peoples and nomadic herders, Arctic peoples and environment.

DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PROJECT / THE PROJECT YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN

We are particular suited and interested in projects touching on (but not exclusive to) the following themes: -landscape/land-use and biodiversity management tools and process that can inform policy and direct action in the Arctic, in coastal regions and/or in developing states

-we are also interesting in linking biodiversity scenario efforts to themes of marine litter and pollution; indigenous peoples and nomadic herders; green/blue economy approaches; transboundary water management; conservation finance.

DESCRIPTION OF THE EXPERTISE/SKILLS YOU ARE LOOKING FOR IN YOUR PROJECT

Although we are looking for a variety of skills and expertise, one of the skill sets of interest is:

- scientific expertise in the fields of visioning, modelling and developing data-based scenarios based that could underpin stakeholder-processes for increasing resilience

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