



# Registering as a Network Participant

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## Welcome to the HCV Resource Network

**This site is for anyone interested in High Conservation Value (HCV) areas, to learn about the concepts, stay up to date with developments, find information relevant to your activities, and share information and experience.**

### *Launch of the Resource Network Charter*

The HCV Resource Network Charter was launched by the Network Steering Group in October 2006.

[Download the Press Release here.](#)

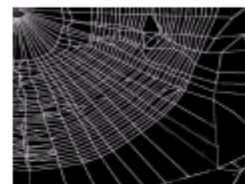
purchasing and investment policies.

### *HCV Resource Network Conference, Sao Paulo, Brazil, January 2007*

The HCV Resource Network is pleased to announce a one and a half day **stakeholder conference** in Sao Paulo, Brazil on 22nd-23rd January 2007.

The High Conservation Value (HCV) concept was originally devised in the context of forest certification (High Conservation Value Forests or HCVF), but it is also applicable to all kinds of ecosystems and habitats. It has developed into a valuable and flexible toolkit for a variety of uses, including land-use planning, conservation advocacy, and designing responsible

The HCV Resource Network has been established by a group of organisations who use the HCV approach, including environmental and social NGOs, international development agencies, timber and forest product certifiers, suppliers and buyers, and forest managers. The Network aims to encourage collaboration, provide



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**HCV Network Charter**





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## Network Participation

Participants are individuals and organisations that have agreed to abide by the [Network's Charter](#).

### Individual Participants

Individual Participants can be involved in all Network development activities including membership of the [Steering Group](#) and [Working Groups](#). Additionally, individual Participants may also co-ordinate [Discussion Groups](#) and record their details on the [Practitioner's Database](#).

**If you would like to register as a Network Participant, go to the [Registration Page](#).**

### Organisations

Organisations can also become Network Participants to show institutional support for the Network. If you wish to register your organisation's support for the Charter, please [contact us](#) with your details, and we will add you to the list of supporting organisations.



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## Join the Network

When you register as a **Network Participant** by supporting [the Network Charter](#) you can participate in all Network development activities including membership of the **Steering Group** and **Working Groups**. If you are a practitioner, and you wish to be registered on the searchable HCV Practitioners Database, **you will need to access your personal folder** after registering.

You can also register as a **Network Visitor** if you want to participate in Discussion Groups without supporting the Charter. You can still decide to support the Charter later on if you want to register as an HCV Practitioner or participate in Network development activities.

If you wish to register your **organisation's support** for the Charter, please send an email to the [HCV Resource Network Secretariat](#) with your contact details, and we will add you to the list of supporting organisations.

Type of Network registration

- I have read and personally support the [Charter for the Network](#), and would like to become a Network Participant.**
- I would like to participate in discussion groups as a Network Visitor, and understand that I can register support for the Charter later on, if I want to participate in Network development activities or to register as a practitioner.**

Personal details

### Full Name

Enter full name, eg. Marcel Schmidt or Lee Chen Hun.

Personal details

**Full Name**

Enter full name, eg. Marcel Schmidt or Lee Chen Hun.

**E-mail**

Enter an email address. This is necessary in case the password is lost. We respect your privacy, and will not give the address away to any third parties or expose it anywhere.

**Organisation**

Enter the name of the organisation you work for.

**Country**

Your Country

**User Name**

Enter a user name: could be the same as your full name, but please do not use spaces or punctuation. Usernames and passwords are case sensitive, make sure the caps lock key is not enabled. This will enable you to log in to the site to add your details to the practitioner's database.

**Password**

Minimum 5 characters.

**Confirm password**

Re-enter the password. Make sure the passwords are identical.

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## Funding & Support

Current sources of funding & support for the Network

The Resource network is currently funded through WWF agreements with Ikea, Tetra Pak and the World Bank.

To date, the following organisations have expressed their institutional support for the Network's Charter:

- [IKEA Group](#)
- [World Wide Fund for Nature \(WWF\)](#)
- [Tropical Forest Trust](#)
- [Rainforest Alliance](#)
- [Resource Stewardship Consultants Sdn Bhd \(RESCU\)](#)
- [The Nature Conservancy \(TNC\)](#)
- [Interational Tropical Timber Organization \(ITTO\)](#)
- [Sveaskog AB](#)
- [The World Conservation Union \(IUCN\)](#)
- [NEPCon](#)

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