

SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF WETLANDS IN LATIN AMERICA

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The IUCN Environmental Law Programme (ELP), through the Environmental Law Centre and several Commission on Environmental Law members participated in the International Conference on Sustainable Management of Wetlands in Latin America, organised by Fundación Proteger in Paraná, Argentina. This event, which brought together more than 600 participants, was attended by national experts, international invitees, local and national authorities. The panels dealt with issues such as watershed management, economic valuation and corridors. The ELP had an active participation in the legislation and public policy panel, where Alejandro Iza made a presentation on ecosystem management and environmental flows. In addition the ELP organised and coordinated a workshop legal and institutional issues, from which several recommendations came up.

For further information about this event please consult www.proteger.org.ar