Conservation Workshop Grants fund organizations to train communities, stakeholders, park guards, and others on local and regional conservation issues. These grants support training workshops with a strong hands-on learning component that will build capacity for people living in WWF priority places in select countries in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. Conservation Workshop Grants are essential to building local capacity in vulnerable communities and improving conservation efforts at a local and national scale.

**ELIGIBLE COUNTRIES**

Organizations working in the following countries are eligible to apply. Please note that within eligible countries preference is given to applicants working in WWF priority places.

- Belize
- Bhutan
- Bolivia
- Cambodia
- Central African Republic
- Colombia
- Dem. Republic of Congo
- Ecuador
- Fiji
- French Guiana
- Gabon
- Guatemala
- Guyana
- Honduras
- Indonesia
- Kenya
- Laos
- Madagascar
- Malaysia
- Mozambique
- Myanmar
- Namibia
- Nepal
- Papua New Guinea
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Republic of Congo
- Solomon Islands
- Suriname
- Uganda
- Vietnam
- Zambia
ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA
Applicants must meet all of the following eligibility criteria to be considered for a grant.

- Your organization must be registered and have an established presence in an eligible country for at least 3 years (certificate of registration must show organization has been registered for 3 or more years).
- Your organization must have a bank account.
- Your organization must be working in a WWF priority ecoregion.
- Your organization must not have received a grant in the past 3 years.
- Your organization must submit all required documents by the application deadline.
- The proposed training must include an active learning, practical skills, or field activity component.
- The proposed training must take place within one year of submission of the application.
- The proposed training must take place at least 90 days after the application deadline.
- Administrative costs (including staff expenses) for the proposed training cannot exceed 15 percent of the total budget.

APPLICATION DEADLINES
All applicants must complete an application by one of the four deadlines below. The workshop must take place at least 90 days after the application deadline to allow EFN time for review, selection, and processing of the grant. Applications will be reviewed 4 times a year as noted below:

- November 1, 2016
- February 1, 2017
- May 1, 2017
- August 1, 2017

Applicants can access the online application at www.worldwildlife.org/efn. For more information on Conservation Workshop Grants and other funding opportunities, please e-mail EFN at efn@wwfus.org.