

# Biodiversity Issues in Nepal Under the COVID-19 Pandemics



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# Nepal-BON – A Way forward

**Eco tourism in and around protected areas.**

**Human Wildlife Conflict**

**Covid 19 impact in Protected areas**

**Primate and People initiative**

# Pre Covid 19 Biodiversity observations in Nepal



Tree plantation



Livelihoods support



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EBA Capacity development



SA conference on Small Mammals

# New initiatives



Human Wildlife conflict

Primate people initiative

# Biodiversity initiatives effected by COVID 19 in Nepal



Annapurna Conservation Area project



Bardia Conservation Program



Manaslu Conservation Area Project



Gauri Shankar Conservation AP



Flagship Species Program

# Biodiversity at Crossroads



People migration pressure



Illegal wildlife trade



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