

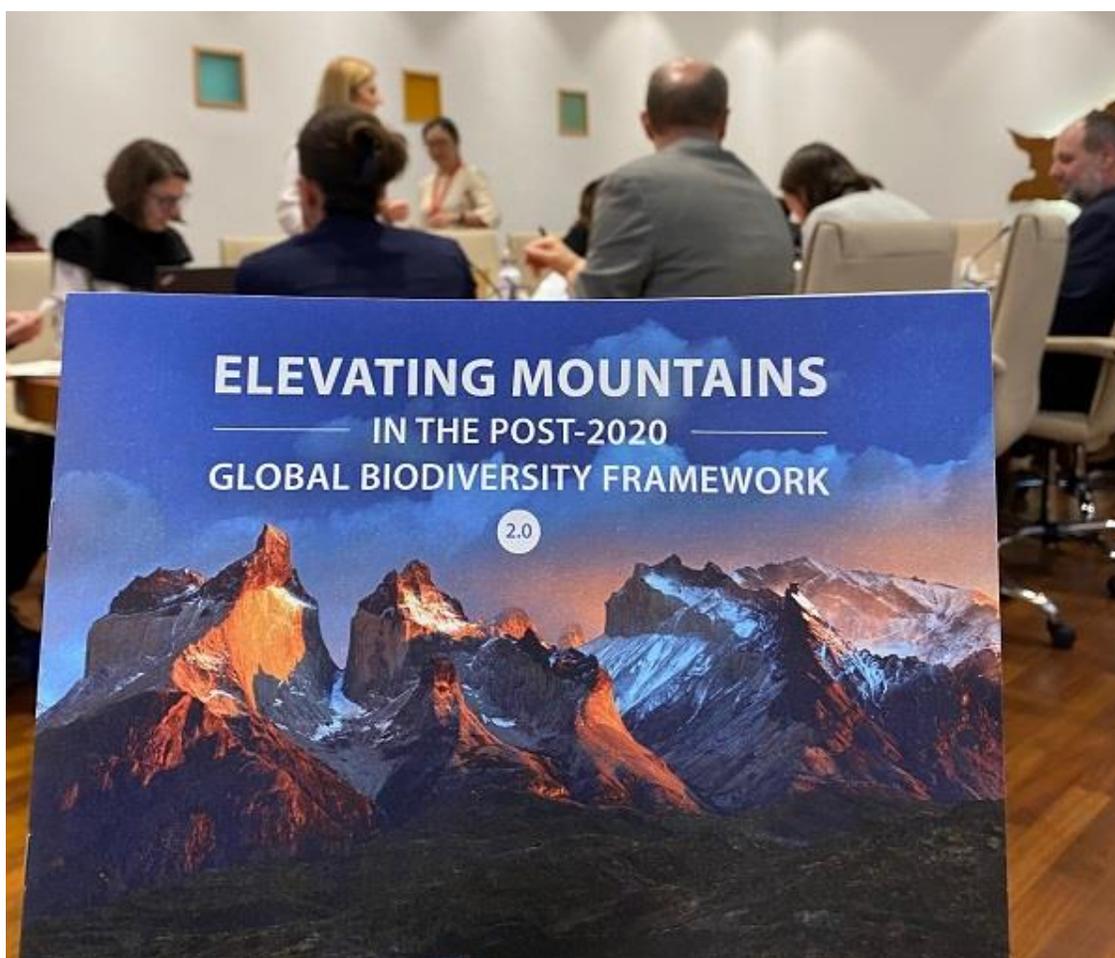


Peak to Peak

Working together for mountain peoples and environments



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Mainstreaming mountain biodiversity

Member states and key decision makers met to discuss how to mainstream mountains into the post-2020 global biodiversity framework. The Informal Mountain Gathering was held on the margins of the Second Meeting of the Open-ended Working Group on the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework ... [Read more](#)

Members' Voices



Bibiana Vilá - VICAM

I have dedicated my life to vicuñas: wild South American camelids that roam the Andes Mountains. I am a biologist working in Argentina to conserve these animals using a combination of modern science and indigenous knowledge ... [Read more](#)

News

Spotlight on mountains



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Building mountain resilience



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Video



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On The Shelf

Protecting indigenous cultures is crucial for saving the world's biodiversity

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A meeting of the Tzeltal Cultural Village council, which aims to help revive indigenous traditions, community spirit and culture in San Felipe, Mexico. Photo: Kristina Swiderska, 2019

[Protecting indigenous cultures is crucial for saving the world's biodiversity](#)

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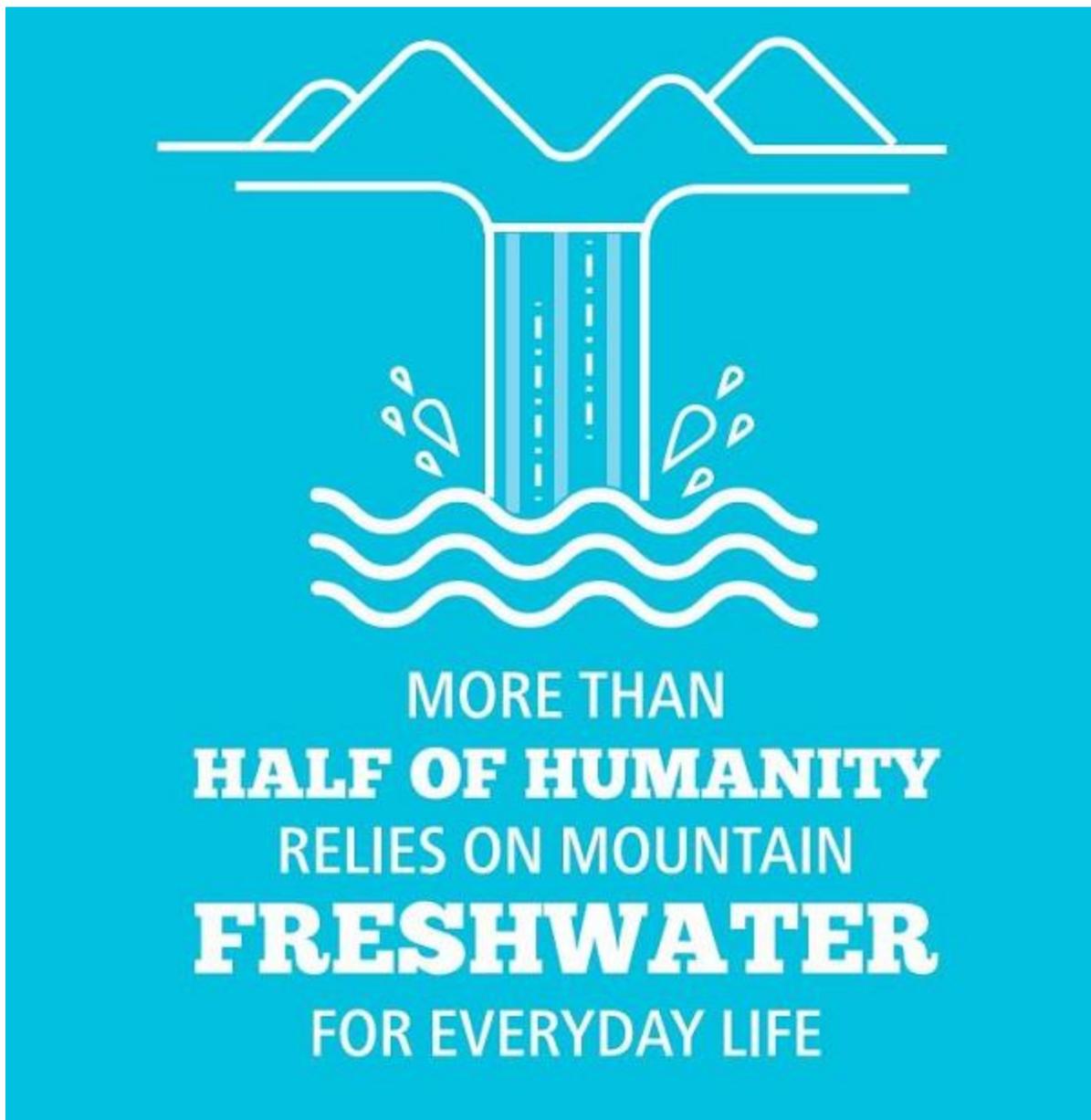
[12th Meeting of Ibero-American Ministers of Tourism](#) (March 2020)



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[Sagarmatha Sambaad \(Mount Everest Dialogue\)](#) (April 2020)

Mountain Facts



Call for Action



MEMBERS

Currently, the Mountain Partnership has 390 members:

60 governments, 8 subnational authorities, 18 intergovernmental organizations and 304 major group organizations (*e.g. civil society, NGOs and the private sector*).

Please feel free to contact them for possible collaborative projects and ideas. We wish to welcome the following new member:

[World Meteorological Organization \(WMO\)](#)

CALL FOR NEWS

Keep Mountain Partnership members informed of your activities!

Please email Sara.Manuelli@fao.org info about new projects and programmes, initiatives, events, publications, newsletters, vacancies or calls for papers.

The Mountain Partnership is a United Nations voluntary alliance of partners dedicated to improving the lives of mountain peoples and protecting mountain environments around the world.

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