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The Government of Nepal has declared 2020 the Visit Nepal Year. This large-scale campaign is a nationwide effort to dramatically boost tourism in the country. The goal is to host two million tourists this year: double the number of visitors in 2019. ... [Read more](#)

Members' Voices



[Success as sweet as honey: Women's organizations in the El Chaco province of Bolivia find success harvesting honey from stingless bees](#)

In the mountains of Bolivia's Serranía del Iñao National Park, at the foot of the Eastern Cordillera, María Méndez carefully harvests honey from stingless bees. She works alongside about 160 women of all ages united in six honeybee associations in Monteagudo and Villa Vaca Guzman in the Chaco Province ... [Read more](#)

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On The Shelf



[Importance and vulnerability of the world's water towers](#)

Mountains are the water towers of the world, supplying a substantial part of both natural and anthropogenic water demands. They are highly sensitive and prone to climate change, yet their importance and vulnerability have not been quantified at the global scale. Here we present a global water tower index (WTI), which ranks all water towers in terms of their water-supplying role ... [Read More](#)

What's New



EVENT

[11th World Congress on Snow and Mountain Tourism](#)



EVENT

[International Science-Policy Conference on 'Adaptive Natural Resource Management for Climate Change Mainstreaming: Options and Opportunities' \(ADAPT 2020\) March '20](#)

Mountain Facts



POTATOES



MAIZE



TOMATOES



SORGHUM



APPLES



BARLEY

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OF THE 20
MOST IMPORTANT
FOOD CROPS ORIGINATE
IN MOUNTAINS

Call for Action



MEMBERS

Currently, the Mountain Partnership has 388 members:

60 governments, 8 subnational authorities, 17 intergovernmental organizations and 303 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 members:

[Center for Mountain Transitions, Western Colorado University](#)

[Consorzio per la Tutela del Fagiolo di Lamon della Vallata Bellunese IGP](#)

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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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