



The Global Conservation Corps

Fact Sheet

Our Mission:

To protect endangered wildlife through the education of children living alongside wildlife reserves. We are dedicated to creating a world where people and wildlife can share space in a mutually beneficial relationship.

About Us

GCC is a non-profit with the mission to bridge the gap between communities and wildlife. In order to have a world with wildlife, we must facilitate a mutually beneficial relationship between that wildlife and the people who live alongside it. Every child deserves the chance to fall in love with wildlife, but many young people are excluded from the benefits of the natural world. We address this challenge by working with youth in areas of conservation importance to promote conservation education and jobs within the wildlife economy.

Our Vision:

GCC is dedicated to conserving the natural world through education, skills development, and opportunity creation for people living alongside conservation areas worldwide.

Locations

Kruger National Park, South Africa
Atlanta, USA
Colombier, Switzerland

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Milestones

2015 - GCC was founded

2015 - Beginning of production of the documentary *Rhino Man*

2017 - Future Rangers Program conceptualized

2018 - Future Rangers Program kicks off

2019 - Key partnerships formed (MFF, Garmont, Tissot, Swiza)

Key Figures

- 1 million species currently threatened with extinction
- South Africa is home to 80% of the world's rhino population, of which half live in the Kruger Park region.
- 3.4 million people living alongside Kruger National Park
- 50% of that population are youth
- 4 out of 5 youth polled have never seen the “Big Five”
- The projected extinction rate of the rhino at current poaching rates – 2026
- 3 rhinos poached per day
- 60% of global wildlife lost over the last 40 years
- 680 poachers arrested/killed in South Africa in 2016
- In 6000 days, Africa will have the largest workforce in the world

Partners

Garmont

Swiza

Tissot

Morgridge Family Foundation

Wildlife Protection Solutions

1% for the Planet

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