

**CAPACITY-BUILDING FOR
SCB CHAPTERS, PART III:
*Resources for Community &
Leadership Development***

**2010 SCB International Conference
Edmonton, Alberta
July 2, 1:00-5:00**



2010 WORKSHOP AGENDA

1:00pm Welcome

Chapters Report

Speaker: Fiona Nagle, SCB Chapters Committee

Chapter Committee Introductions

➤ 1:15p-2:45p Leadership Development

Guest Speaker: Carol Humphries, Ideal Consulting

2:45pm 15 minute break

➤ 3:00p-4:30p Fundraising Resources

*Guest Speakers: Tom Berekoff, Development
Assistant Dean, Faculty of Science
Gregory Taylor, Dean of Science
University of Alberta*

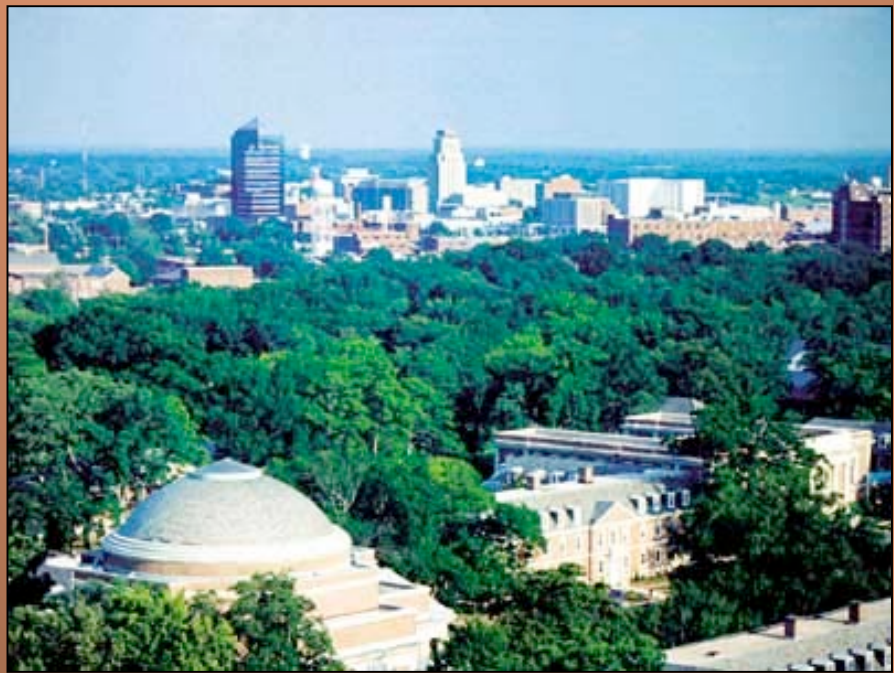
➤ 4:30pm Open Discussion & Wrap-up

5:00pm End

***WHAT
ARE
CHAPTERS?***



A university...



Multiple institutions...



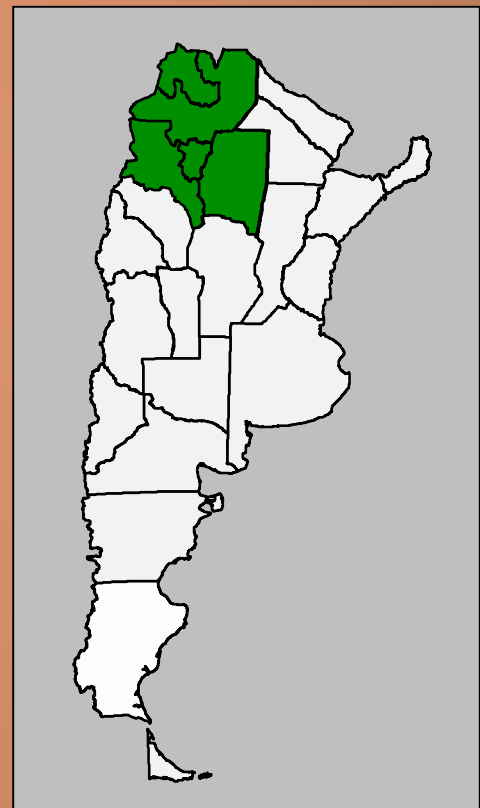
A city...



Several cities...



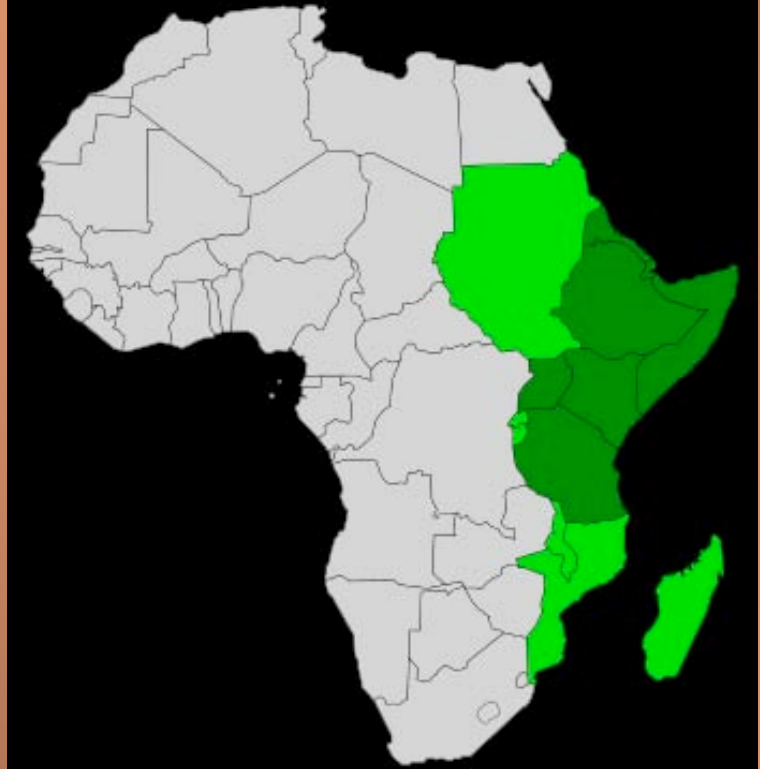
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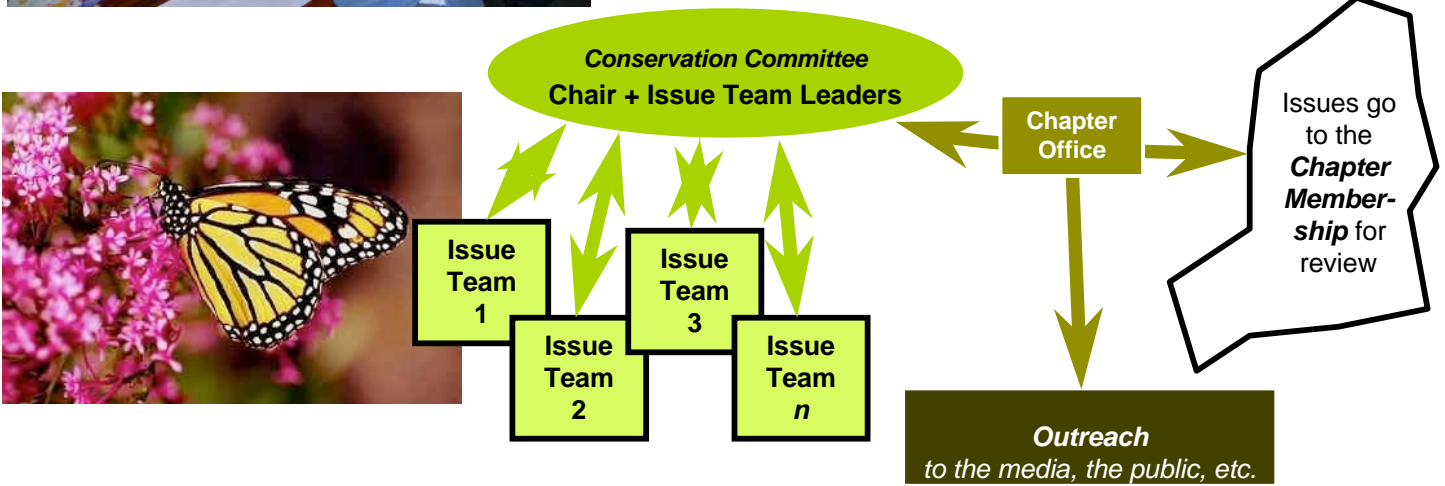
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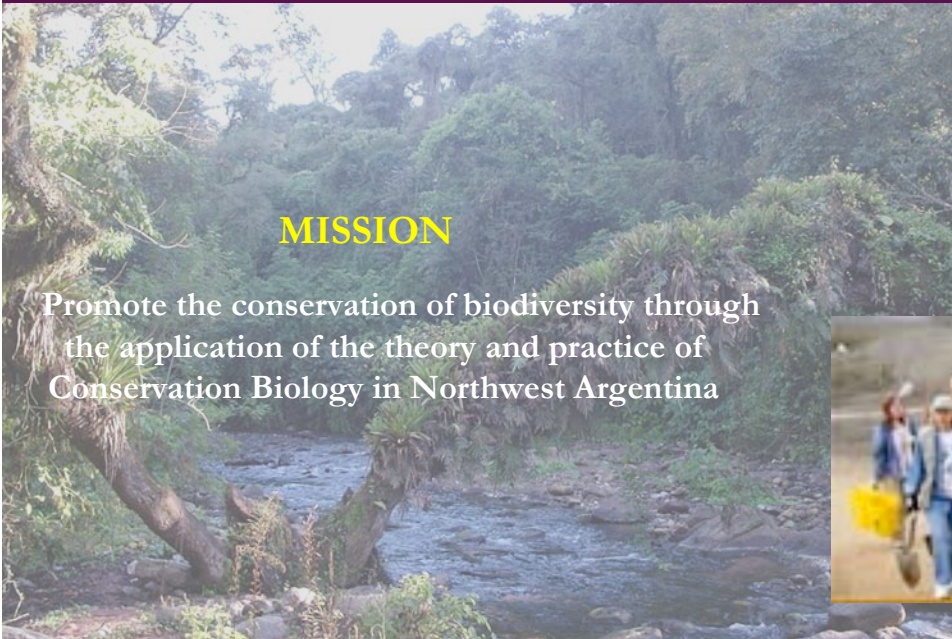
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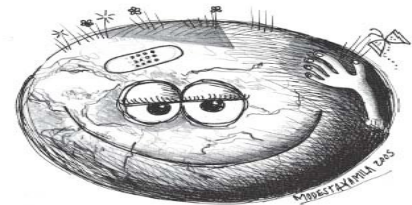


- Local Chapters → local action
- Coordination of local actions amplifies SCB message and mission

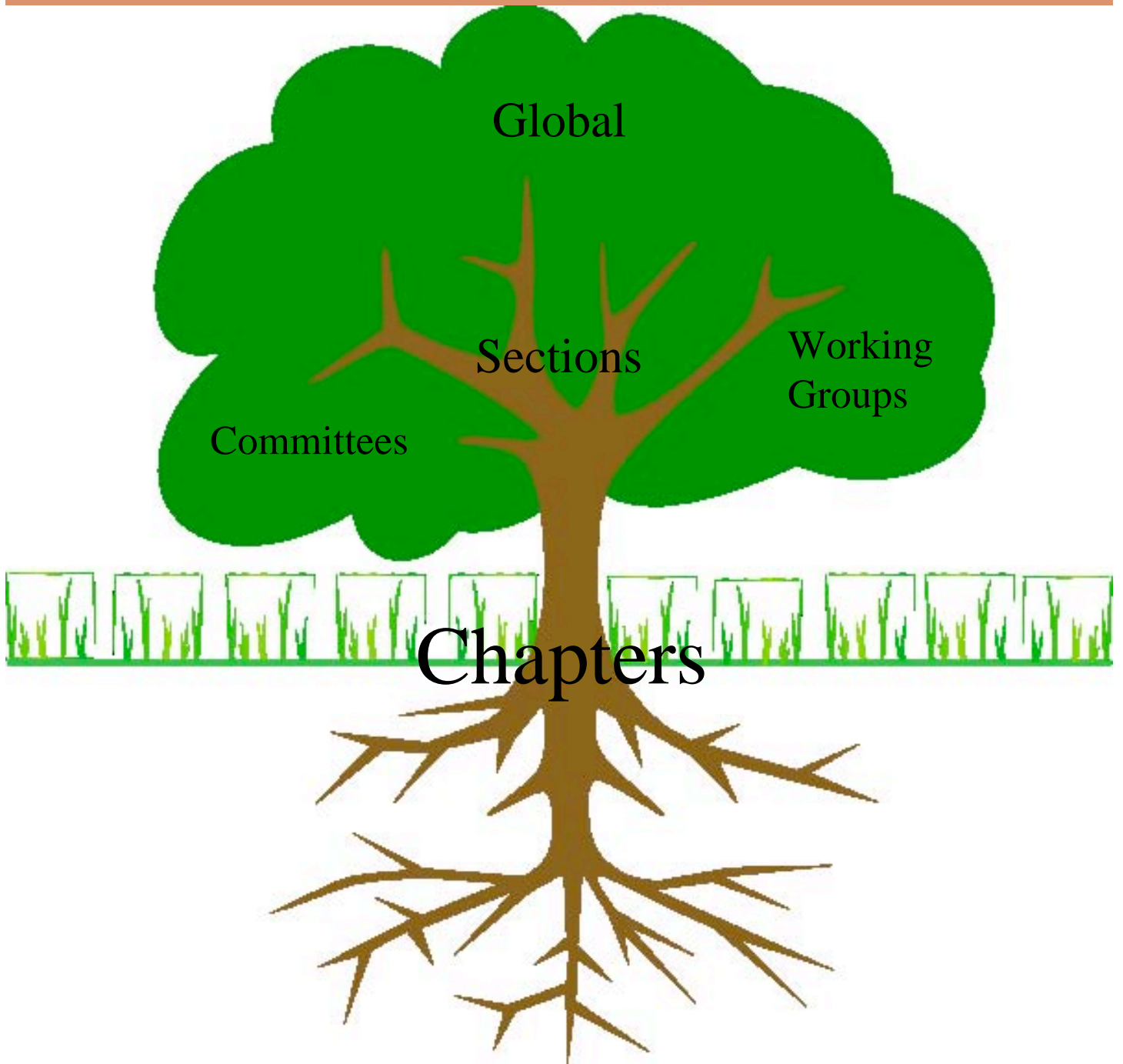


MISSION

Promote the conservation of biodiversity through the application of the theory and practice of Conservation Biology in Northwest Argentina



The SCB Tree



CHAPTERS

REPORT

2008-2010

Status

56 Chapters chartered since 1991!

Current: 33 Active (+2 inactive, 20 dormant)

- **27 in North America**
- **4 in South America (started 1998)**
- **1 in Asia (2007)**
- **1 in Oceania (2010)**

2 sister chapters

New Chapters (7)

- **Central Mexico**
- **Cuba**
- **Grand Junction (CO)**
- **Madrean (Southwest & MX)**
- **NW Ohio**
- **Sul Ross (TX)**
- **Victoria (NZ)**

In Formation (sampling)

- **India**
- **Namibia**
- **New York City**
- **Peru**
- **Tennessee Tech**
- **Vancouver**

***CHAPTER
CONCERNS
FOR
TODAY***

Developing strong leadership

- Enables continuity in boards
- Better engages membership
- Improves institutional memory

Developing funding capacity

- Time, skills
- Cultivating sources, focal activities
- Messaging



More vibrant Chapter
community and effectiveness

*“Never doubt that
a small group of
thoughtful, committed citizens
can change the world.
Indeed, it’s the only thing
that ever has.”*

—Margaret Mead