

SYMPOSIUM

Research 4nature

*Reconnection and transmission
for biodiversity conservation*

The Fondation de France
and the Parc animalier et botanique of Branféré
co-organize the first Research for nature Symposium

June 20th and 21st, 2025

at Parc animalier et botanique de Branféré,
56190 Le Guerno, France

To celebrate the **60th** anniversary of the park's opening,
join us for two exceptional days dedicated to biodiversity!
For thousands of years, humanity is deeply connected to all living
species.

As we are now facing a rapid erosion of biodiversity, it's time
to reconsider our relationship to nature: to understand, preserve
and pass on this wealth to future generations.

The Research for Nature symposium will bring together experts and
researchers in the fields of education, environmental psychology,
conservation biology, ethology and many others to :

- Explore concrete ways of conserving species
- Cross scientific and societal approaches
- Imagine collaborative projects using citizen science

In a spirit of openness and dialogue between the scientific
community and civil society, the Fondation de France
and the Parc de Branféré are partnering with the association
Sciences Citoyennes to encourage the emergence of new scientific
research projects, both during the symposium and afterward.

These research projects may be supported by
the Fondation de France, subject to approval by its
committee of experts.

Program :

Round tables discussions, co-construction workshops for research questions
organized by the association Sciences Citoyennes,
conferences and testimonials by speakers:

Maud Lelièvre

(President, IUCN France)

Martin Böye

(Scientific Director Planète Sauvage,
President of the AFDPZ Research Commission)

Dominique Cottereau

(Teacher and Researcher in educational sciences)

Roman Wittig

(CNRS Research Director, Tai Chimpanzee Project)

Pierre-Henri Gouyon

(Emeritus Professor, Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle)

...and more experts to come!

A unique opportunity to rethink our relation with living systems
and jointly develop new scientific projects in the service
of a sustainable future.

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your scientific networks.*