

Leading the way in transforming the way we care about natural lake conservation

OUR GOAL

To propose an innovative, holistic and science-based approach to protecting and restoring European natural lakes and their ecosystems by integrating Nature Based Solutions (NBS). By considering the entire landscape and engaging stakeholders and local communities, we seek to create resilient lake ecosystems that benefit people, biodiversity and the climate.

OUR DEMO LAKES







Lake Vico

Lake Bistreţ

Lake Dümmer

- Reduced human impact on the basin-wide landscape
- Replicable models for the whole of Europe

Improved water quality

Sustainable land management



OUR METHOD

Establish local communities of practice and apply the principles of co-creation and inclusivity in the development and implementation of the novel, integrated protection and restoration measures.

Build upon the 4 Returns Framework for Landscape Restoration - a methodology designed to seek long-term and sustainable solutions, with the aim of achieving four types of returns: inspiration, social benefits, natural restoration, and financial gains.

Using advanced modeling activities to predict and visualize lake restoration outcomes under various environmental and socio-economic scenarios.

Building financial strategies and training to support a comprehensive adaptive lake ecosystem management.

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