UK Ecology/Conservation Organisations

The UK is home to a breadth of organisations whose remit concerns ecology and conservation of the environment. The following document provides a list of these organisations along with a link to their home website. This list is long but by no means exhaustive; its intention is to provide the reader with an overview of the different types of environmental companies, as well as a starting point for a job search.

Job Sites

- Environment Job: [http://www.environmentjob.co.uk/](http://www.environmentjob.co.uk/)
- Jobs.ac.uk: [http://www.jobs.ac.uk/](http://www.jobs.ac.uk/)
- Civil Service Jobs Portal: [https://www.civilservicejobs.service.gov.uk/csr/index.cgi](https://www.civilservicejobs.service.gov.uk/csr/index.cgi)
- Green Jobs: [http://www.greenjobs.co.uk/](http://www.greenjobs.co.uk/)

Charitable/Non-Profit Organisations

- Biological Records Centres: [http://www.neyedc.co.uk/](http://www.neyedc.co.uk/) (for example)
- Flamingo Land: [http://www.flamingoland.co.uk/](http://www.flamingoland.co.uk/)
- British Trust for Ornithology: [http://www.bto.org/](http://www.bto.org/)
- TRAFFIC: [http://www.traffic.org/](http://www.traffic.org/)
- Amphibian & Reptile Cons.: [http://www.arc-trust.org/](http://www.arc-trust.org/)
- The Nature Conservancy: [http://www.nature.org/](http://www.nature.org/)
- National Trust: [https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/](https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/)
- Woodland Trust: [https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/](https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/)
- Bat Conservation Trust: [http://www.bats.org.uk](http://www.bats.org.uk)
- Arcus Foundation: [http://www.arcusfoundation.org/conservation](http://www.arcusfoundation.org/conservation)
- Natural History Museum: [http://www.nhm.ac.uk/](http://www.nhm.ac.uk/)
RSPCA  http://www.rspca.org.uk/home
Forum for the Future  https://www.forumforthefuture.org/
Global Canopy Programme  http://www.globalcanopy.org/
Groundwork  http://www.groundwork.org.uk/
The Conservation Volunteers  http://www.tcv.org.uk/

CAMPAIGNING ORGANISATIONS
Greenpeace  http://www.greenpeace.org.uk/
Friends of the Earth  http://www.foe.co.uk/

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANCIES
The Ecology Consultancy  http://www.ecologyconsultancy.co.uk/
ADAS  http://www.adas.co.uk/
Thomson Ecology  http://www.thomsonecology.com/
Arcus Consulting  http://www.arcusconsulting.co.uk/
URS Corporation  http://www.urs.com/uk/
Arup  http://www.arup.com/services/environmental_consulting.aspx

OUTDOOR TEACHING ORGANISATIONS
Field Studies Council  http://www.field-studies-council.org/
Cranedale  http://www.cranedale.com/

RESEARCH FUNDING BODIES
NERC  http://www.nerc.ac.uk/
ESRC  http://www.esrc.ac.uk/
BBSRC  http://www.bbsrc.ac.uk/

CIVIL-SERVICE/GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS
Defra  www.gov.uk/defra
Natural England  http://www.naturalengland.org.uk/
Environment Agency  www.gov.uk/environment-agency
JNCC  http://jncc.defra.gov.uk/
Fera  http://www.fera.defra.gov.uk/ or http://fera.co.uk/
AHVLA  http://www.defra.gov.uk/ahvla-en/
Forestry Commission  http://www.forestry.gov.uk/
Scottish Natural Heritage  http://www.snh.gov.uk/
Cefas  http://www.cefas.defra.gov.uk/
Natural Resources Wales  http://naturalresourceswales.gov.uk/?lang=en
AHVLA  https://www.gov.uk/ahvla
Rural Payments Agency  https://www.gov.uk/rpa
DECC  www.gov.uk/decc
DFID  www.gov.uk/dfid
Local Councils  http://www.york.gov.uk/ (for example)
British Antarctic Survey  http://www.antarctica.ac.uk/
CEH  http://www.ceh.ac.uk/
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