

# Hungarian Biodiversity Research Society

## *Summa naturae*

### Magyar Biodiverzitás-kutató Társaság

### Ungarische Gesellschaft für Biodiversitätsforschung

## Biodiversity Days

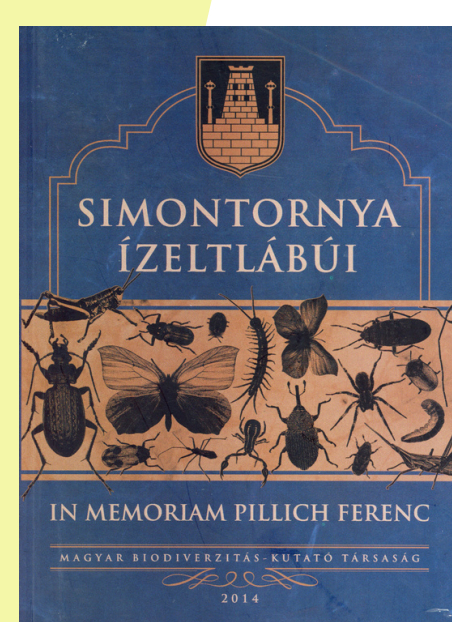
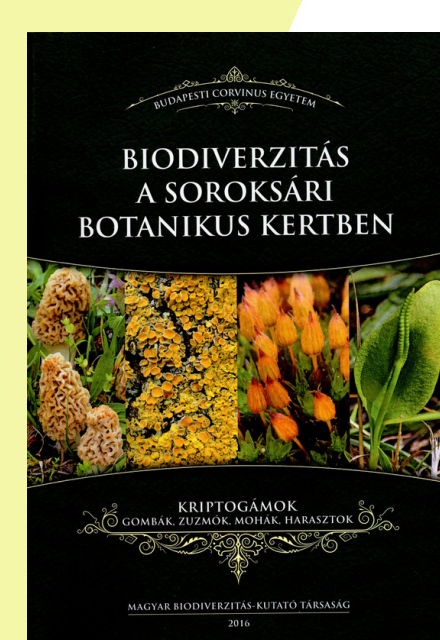
3 days / 70-80 experts /  
20-25 students / local pupils and  
interested laymen

- interdisciplinary research
- cooperation with National Parks
- supported by local municipalities
- stakeholder involvement
- dissemination of results
- sustainable communication

## Publications

multi-taxon collective  
volumes

- handbooks for teaching  
& training
- Sustainability Curricula  
guides



BioData Hungarica -  
Journal: Species  
checklists for Hungary  
and the Carpathian Basin

## Learning Region project: Lake Balaton

A sustainable vision for an  
entire region

- transdisciplinary research
- knowledge management
- data collection and monitoring
- Nature Based Solutions
- sustainable local projects
- Learning Circles
- youth involvement
- cooperation with local inhabitants,  
municipalities and entrepreneurs
- international best practices since 2006

**Key approach:**  
*How can we interest a region in its own  
ecological, economical and social well being?*

**Regular program  
on the Civil Radio  
Hungary**

## Science & Art & Crafts

Interdisciplinary initiative to  
explore and exhibit local biodiversity



Strategic partner:



**BARKE Iris LLC**

*Sustainable Projects & Communication*

## Data collection, surveys & monitoring

expertise and consultation

- management plans for protected areas
- impact assessments
- habitat mapping
- measuring close to naturalness
- multi-taxon research
- wildlife protection programs
- Sustainability Curricula
- teambuilding trainings

## Small Biodiversity Days

1-2 days / 6-8 experts /  
15-20 students

- field work
- teaching & training
- learning by doing



## International projects & cross border cooperation

Exchanging data and methods

1 - At the 22th SEH (Societas  
Europaea Herpetologica)  
Congress, UK (2023)

2 - MICS: measuring the  
impact of citizen science,  
Creek Rákos restoration,  
Budapest, HU (2020-22)

3 - Albania: herpetology  
and entomology joint  
research program  
with the University of  
Debrecen, HU (2008)

4 - GRUNTVIG program, SL (2013)

5 - UNESCO Man and Biosphere cross border  
program: Mur-Drava-Danube, (2021)

6 - LAPBIAT program: Herpetology survey at  
the Oulanka Research Station, FI (2011)

7 & 8 - Cross border Biodiversity Days  
Drégelypalánk, HU and Ipelske Predmosti,  
SK (2008)

