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## Nature







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People

Green Federation „GAIA”



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**GAJA**  
istniejemy od 1993 roku

BUND Mecklenburg-Vorpommern



Latvian Green Movement





- Coastal habitats** above and below waterline
- *Save Latvian Dunes*







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# Main Activities

**Wrack line** priceless „garbage”  
- *"Share the beach!"* campaign







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**Peatlands** brackish & riverine flood-lands  
- *Ina River valley*







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**Species conservation** non-charismatic wildlife  
- *European Mink Centre*





Large and growing **pressure of tourism**  
on coastal areas

Most activities **in-kind** (incl. regional coordination)

Limited means for **on-site** consulting

Need for more **joint activities**:

*e.g. Knowledge transfer, Training, Collaborative site work*

Need for **professionalisation**:

*e.g. Communication & Awareness raising*

*about Green Belt, Protected areas, Ecosystem services*





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# Central European Green Belt

Manifold opportunities for local/regional activities

## Biological diversity and climate protection

*Restoration of wetlands, mires and species-rich grassland  
**Ametyst (CZ) and BUND local group Freyung-Grafenau (GE)***

## Empowerment of civil society and sustainable

*tourism Support of environmental friendly tourism and  
empowerment of civil society **Ekopolis Foundation (SK)***

## Valorisation of natural and cultural heritage and environmental education

*Support of regional development, environmental education  
and trans-boundary public relation (e.g. Green Belt exhibition)  
**Rete Italiana EGB (IT)***



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*Thank you!*



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