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[Protecting and enhancing salt marshes and reed beds along the Shannon estuary](#) ^[1]

Keywords:

Biodiversity, Environmental protection, Young farmers

Countries:

Ireland

A young farmer undertook voluntary agri-environmental commitments to ensure that his land provides a sufficient habitat for overwintering migratory birds and other plants and animals.



Conservation of Lithuanian Traditional Sheep Breeds [2]

Keywords:

Animal husbandry, Biodiversity, Natural resources, Nature conservation

Countries:

Lithuania

The genetic integrity of two species of traditional Lithuanian sheep breeds is being protected by agri-environment and climate RDP funds on a certified organic family farm which sells the sheep's meat and wool and offspring, as well as uses the traditional breed as a unique rural tourism attraction.



Restoring forests damaged by natural disasters and improving the viability of forests - Slovenia [3]

Keywords:

Environmental sustainability, Forestry, Rural Inspiration Awards: nominees

Countries:

Slovenia

This pan-Slovenian project is designed to combat the consequences of natural disasters that have affected forests across the country in the last six years. The project includes sustainable measures to restore damaged forests, adapting them to climate change, and is focused on areas that are under the greatest pressure.



Supporting Ireland's Rare Breeds [4]

Keywords:

Animal husbandry, Environmental sustainability, Natural resources

Countries:

Ireland

Offering support to maintain and possibly increase populations of specific rare breeds under the Rural Development Programme 2014-2020 of Ireland.



Medved Farm - Investing in soil conservation practices [5]

Keywords:

Agriculture, Biodiversity, Climate change adaptation, Competitiveness, Energy efficiency, Environmental sustainability, Sustainability

Countries:

Slovenia

A family farm invested in soil conservation practices to increase its capacity to store water and its microbial biomass activity.



[Hiša vin Kokol \(Rebirth of vine / grapes\)](#) [6]

Keywords:

Added value, Agriculture, Bioeconomy, Entrepreneurship, Environmental sustainability, Product quality, Rural Inspiration Awards: nominees

Countries:

Slovenia

The project took nature-friendly vine cultivation on a family farm a step further to develop zero-waste processing methods that valorise all by-products of grapes in a sustainable and fully circular way. The resulting seeds, oil and flour have proved very popular with customers.



[Golashane Farm Nature Reserve](#) [7]

Keywords:

Biodiversity, Environmental protection, Nature conservation, Rural Inspiration Awards: nominees, Sustainability, Women

Countries:

Ireland

Using RDP support to turn a farm into a nature reserve; contributing to tackling biodiversity loss.

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