



# EUROPEAN HUNTING POLICY

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### ANNUAL CONVENTION AWARDS EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT SUSTAINABLE HUNTING INTERGROUP PRESIDENT VERONIQUE MATHIEU



Safari Club International (SCI) held its yearly Convention in Reno on 23-26 January. This is the largest event in the world gathering hunters and hunting-related business from different continents.

FACE attended the Convention and participated in several technical meetings with SCI and its Foundation (SCIF) to give an update on the situation in the EU and to address issues of common interest such as CITES. FACE and SCI/SCIF are already working closely in preparation

of the forthcoming CITES Conference of the Parties (CoP16), which will be held in Bangkok in March of this year.

The Convention raised a considerable amount of funds for conservation projects around the world, which shows the key role that hunters actively play for biodiversity.

FACE also accompanied MEP Véronique Mathieu, President of the Sustainable Hunting Intergroup at the European Parliament, who received the SCI *International Legislator of the Year* award in recognition of her work to promote hunting and conservation in the EU Institution.

From left to right: SCI/SCIF Regional Representative for Europe Norbert Ullmann, European Parliament Sustainable Hunting Intergroup President MEP Véronique Mathieu and FACE Head of Political Affairs Manuel Esparrago.

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