



Resilient farmed landscapes

Cultivating a sustainable future

In a world facing the twin challenges of climate change and biodiversity loss, increasing the connectivity of natural habitats within farmed landscapes will be a fundamental solution. Getting the best advice, sharing best practice, and exploring available funding for restoration projects are key considerations for farmers and land managers.

An innovative and collaborative approach is needed to increase the resilience of our agricultural systems.

Regenerative actions must also result in profitable and sustainable farm businesses and engage local communities to achieve the best outcomes.



Our expertise in farmed landscapes

We are committed to helping farmers and land managers produce food and restore nature in climate resilient landscapes. Our expertise spans a wide range of areas. We work closely with our clients to develop tailored strategies that address their specific needs and goals.

Our team offers a comprehensive range of services to support land managers in different rural landscapes, including:

- Securing public and private funding for ambitious projects.
- Enhancing biodiversity and restoring habitats.
- Creating management plans for estates, parkland, and heritage assets.
- Providing monitoring and evaluation for policy development.



ClimateXChange: Decarbonisation of mobile agricultural machinery

Our work



Monitoring the Impact of Stewardship on Landscape Character, Quality and Resilience

Monitoring, evaluation and learning

We take a research-led approach, underpinned by a practical understanding of real-world issues, for clients such as Scottish Government, Defra, Natural England, Forestry England, and Joint Nature Conservation Committee.

Landscape recovery projects

We can deliver a bespoke service to clients who have come together to deliver landscape-scale change under the Landscape Recovery Scheme.

We work with a range of consultancies to ensure that we develop the best team for each project.



Our work



ELM Indicators for Monitoring Beauty, Heritage and Engagement

Management plans

We have produced management plans for parkland, whole estates, and heritage management plans.

We pride ourselves in taking an integrated and holistic approach, drawing on expertise from a wide range of in-house disciplines.

Biodiversity enhancement and adaptation

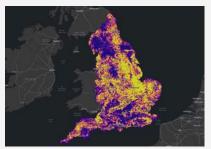
We can provide carbon and biodiversity natural capital advice and help to secure private finance solutions for projects as well as advising on feasibility and land management issues.



Our approach

Our approach to resilient, profitable farmed landscapes is grounded in collaboration, innovation, and sustainability.







Client-centred approach

We prioritise the needs and goals of our clients, working closely with them to develop tailored solutions.

We believe that by understanding their unique challenges and aspirations, we can provide the most effective guidance and support.

Data-driven decision-making

We use scientific data and analysis to inform our recommendations and ensure that our strategies are evidence-based.

This approach allows us to make informed decisions and track progress towards our goals.

Long-term perspective

We focus on building sustainable and resilient agricultural systems that will benefit future generations.

We understand that sustainable agriculture is a long-term investment, and we work with our clients to develop strategies that are both effective and enduring.

Our experts

Our team includes, agri-environment consultants, ecologists, landscape planners, landscape managers, arboriculturalists, and geospatial specialists. They bring a wealth of knowledge to our work and are dedicated to helping farmers achieve their goals.



Agri-environment and heritage consultants

We provide expert advice on environmental regulations, compliance, funding opportunities, and heritage assets.

Landscape planners and managers

We develop and implement sustainable land management plans that integrate ecological, social, and economic objectives. We oversee the implementation of landscape management strategies and monitor their effectiveness.

Geospatial specialists

In-house specialists utilise advanced technologies to gather and analyse data, inform decision-making, and monitor progress towards sustainability goals.

Arboricultural consultants

Our teams provide expert advice on tree care, management, and conservation.

Ecologists

We assess biodiversity, develop strategies for habitat restoration and ecosystem improvement, and provide expert advice on ecological matters.



Our wider impact

LUC's expertise extends beyond regenerative agriculture to encompass a wide range of services that support sustainable land management and environmental stewardship.

Our services include:

Landscape planning and Landscape Visual Impact Assessment

We help clients create sustainable and resilient landscapes that integrate ecological, social, and economic objectives.

Ecological assessment and restoration

Our ecologists provide expert advice on biodiversity assessment, habitat restoration, and ecosystem services.

Planning and biodiversity net gain

Our planning specialists, strategic ecology team and landscape architects can advise on all aspects of planning applications, environmental impact assessment, and Biodiversity Net Gain opportunities.

Geospatial analysis

We use advanced geospatial technologies to gather and analyse data, inform decision-making, and monitor progress towards sustainability goals.





Our clients

LUC works with a diverse range of clients, including local authorities, government agencies, developers, and landowners.

We build strong partnerships based on trust, expertise, and a shared commitment to creating a better future.





DESIGN**ENGINE**







Cyfoeth Naturiol Cymru Natural Resources Wales









South Tyneside Council









"The work that LUC did to link recommendations to findings was wellpresented and appreciated by the client." ClimateXChange "LUC embodies professionalism and efficiency. They are a trusted advisor on land and historic environment projects." **Northumberland Coast National Landscape Partnership** "The team at LUC is second to none. It's a great relationship that inspires confidence. They ask questions, they understand, they write in plain English."

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