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the role of protected areas*
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Education

- I have a *Bachelor of Science Degree* in the Environmental engineering

2008-2015	member of protected areas committee
2008-2016	Expert for protected areas management
2010-2015	Expert for international environmental exhibition
2013-now	Secretary for Subcommittee on participation communities in department of environment of Iran
2014-now	Head for committee on leopard protection programs
2016_now	Expert for participation community part on DOE

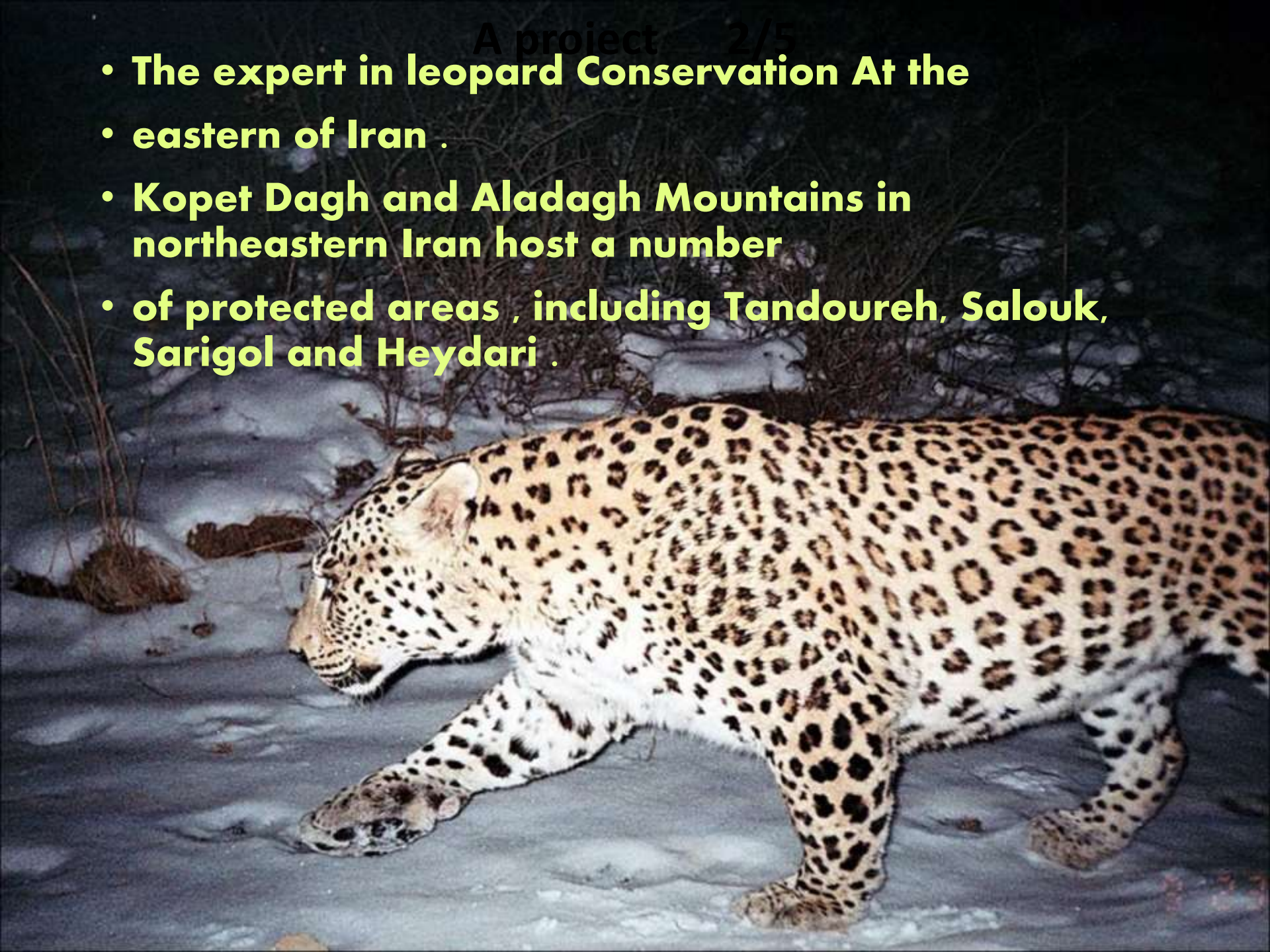
Other interests (volunteer work, hobbies etc.)

- I am really interested in art . I write manuscripts , I do film making .**
- I write poems , I have a personal page for my poems and there are lots of visitors each day .**
- As a hobby most of the time I go to theater and back stage of the films that my husband is playing .**

Projects I AM WORKING ON

- **Now I am the expert in participation communities mostly in fragile regions like mountains**
- **I am the head of leopard conservation committee**
- **The expert of zoning protected areas .**
- **The connection of NGO and environmental department**

- **The expert in leopard Conservation At the**
- **eastern of Iran .**
- **Kopet Dagh and Aladagh Mountains in northeastern Iran host a number**
- **of protected areas , including Tandoureh, Salouk, Sarigol and Heydari .**



Most important activities



- **Evaluation of the local people's attitude toward the leopard.**
- **Activities such as : Designing questionnaire,**
- **training local students, interviewing households,**
- **analysis and determination of high conflict communities.**

Other activities in field

- Regional and national public awareness through mass media such as film making .
- Capacity building of local experts and game wardens for effective protection of the area;
- Developing training manual, holding training workshops (2 3 events) for game wardens and experts on leopard ecology, monitoring and conservation.

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- **Attracting local decision makers attention and support to promote conservation of the leopard.**
- **Live capturing and collaring individual leopards, monitoring and data collection, analysis.**



I'm working on mountains biodiversity

- recent decades:
- road construction
- population pressure
- migration
- has led to the collapse of traditional modes of land and resource use in mountain areas
- Mining, industrialization, intensification of agriculture and tourism have all led to pressures on biodiversity .



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- For reserving biodiversity we do some activities :
 - 1. Revise and update the first NBSAP *National Biodiversity Strategies and Action Plans (NBSAPs)* of Iran for incorporating biodiversity indicators,
 - 3. Improve public awareness on conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity resources
 - 4. Field studies on selected species and ecosystems for better understanding of biodiversity status .
 - 5. Implement and support further conservation projects encouraging a community based approach to natural resource management, sustainable use and biodiversity conservation.
 - 6. establishment of new protected areas, the extension of existing ones
 - 7. Offer new rules Improvement in law enforcement including the strengthening of controls on illegal resources use



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