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She recently told the Hürriyet Daily News & Economic Review that as a biologist, she wanted to share the beauty she saw in biology with the rest of the world. But mankind has engaged in the pursuit of wealth and wars and conflicts instead of an approach toward a comprehensive approach that respects human diversity and the wonder of life on earth

