



Red Squirrels United is a partnership of academics, practitioners and volunteers, working together on a programme of red squirrel conservation. It launched in 2015 and is focused on conserving red squirrel populations where they are under threat from invasive non-native grey squirrels in nine specific areas in Northern Ireland, Northern England and Wales. It is led by The Wildlife Trusts in partnership with Newcastle University, Forest Research, Lancashire Wildlife Trust, Red Squirrels Trust Wales, Northumberland Wildlife Trust, Ulster Wildlife and The Wildlife Trust of South & West Wales.

Red Squirrels United is the first UK wide network working together to secure the future of our red squirrels. Organisations, volunteers and other conservationists have been involved in local conservation work and projects to protect red squirrels for many years. The Red Squirrels United partnership is joining up some of these initiatives, together with other academics, practitioners and volunteers to deliver a unique programme of coordinated red squirrel conservation and knowledge sharing across the country.