

Project Update: January 2015

The main objective of the project has been to assess the people's perception, attitude and belief toward the newly establish Banke National Park.

Updates from the field:

- Household survey ($n = 400$) has been completed in Buffer Zone of Banke National Park.
- Household survey ($n = 200$) has been completed in Buffer Zone of Mirga Kunj Buffer Zone User Committee in Chitwan National Park.
- "Hug the Tree Campaign" was conducted in buffer zone of Banke National Park focusing on hotels and entrepreneurs, locals and school children.

Updates from the desktop analysis:

- Translation of the questionnaire has been completed.
- Coding and compilation of the questionnaires in the digital have been completed.
- Data analysis is ongoing.

Next steps:

- Draft report preparation.
- Peer review and final report submission.

Description	Timeline
Data Analysis	February-March 2015
Final Report Preparation	April-May-June 2015
Peer Review	July 2015
Final Report Submission	August 2015



Final design for Hug the Tree Campaign