## **Project Update: June 2016**

This week we presented the project to the governmental institution CONAP (authority in charge of the administration of natural protected areas in Guatemala). We also presented the project to the fishermen community of el Quetzalito. During this meeting we explained the objectives of this project and the importance of everyone's collaboration. Through this meeting we were able to identify the fisherman interested in participating. During the next months, we will conduct several workshops during which fishermen and local volunteers will be trained on elasmobranch scientific monitoring and landings verification. We will also explain the technical manuals and material created (methodology to conduct landing verification).



