Project Update: July 2017

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First I want tell you that I received two invitations to participate in two congresses to show the results of my first part of my project, funded by the 1st Rufford grant. I will participate at 13th International Conference on Mercury as a Global Pollutant (16-22 July) for which I was awarded a travel award to ensure my participation. http://mercury2017.com

ICMGP2017
Providence, Rhode Island | July 16-21, 2017
13th International Conference on Mercury as a Global Pollutant

June 14, 2017

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Dear Laia Munoz,

Please accept this letter as invitation to attend the 13th International Conference on Mercury as a Global Pollutant.

The conference will be held July 16th-21st, 2017 at the Rhode Island Convention Center located at 1 Sabin Street, Providence, Rhode Island, USA. Preliminary program details, registration fees, and accommodation information can be viewed on the conference website: www.mercury2017.org.

Please note this letter includes the offer of financial support for registration fees ($650), accommodations ($455), travel ($1,000), and per diem ($270) to attend ICMGP 2017. All expenses will be paid to the appropriate vendor on your behalf.

For further information regarding visa requirements, please visit the US Department of State website: https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en.html.

If you have any questions about ICMGP 2017, please contact the Conference Secretariat at Mercury2017@agendamanagers.com.

Sincerely,

Celia Chen & Charley Driscoll
ICMGP 2017 Co-Chairs

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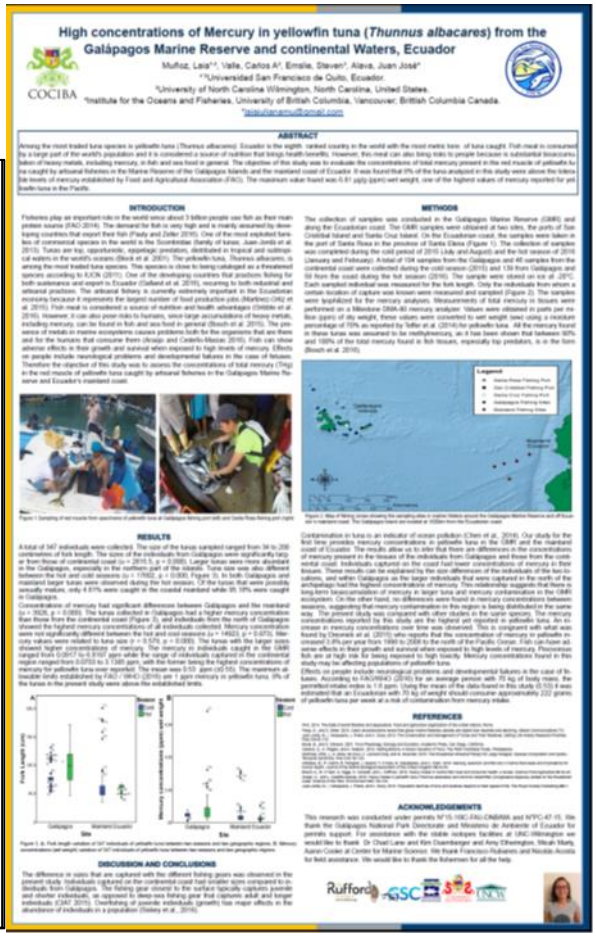

High concentrations of Mercury in yellowfin tuna (*Thunnus albacares*) from the Galápagos Marine Reserve and continental Waters, Ecuador

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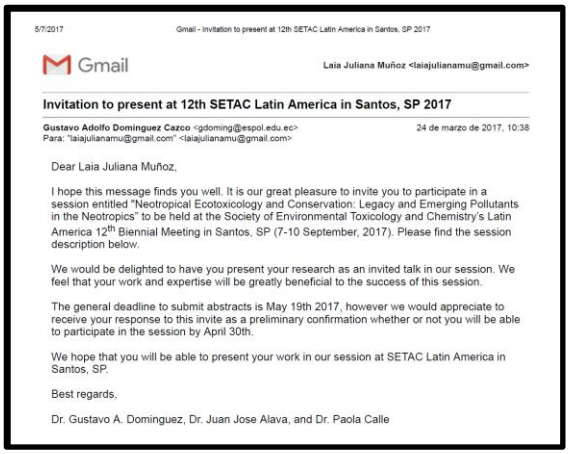
Letter from 13th International Conference on Mercury as a Global Pollutant & poster for conference.

Also I have been invited to the 12th SETAC Latin America Biennial Meeting (https://sla2017.setac.org/). Currently I am looking for possible grants to fund my participation in the conference.

Last year I presented the genetics results at Congreso Internacional de biotecnología y biodiversidad with an oral conference.



5/7/2017 Gmail - Invitation to present at 12th SETAC Latin America in Santos, SP 2017

Gmail Laia Juliana Muñoz <laiajulianamu@gmail.com>

Invitation to present at 12th SETAC Latin America in Santos, SP 2017

Gustavo Adolfo Dominguez Cazco <gdoming@espol.edu.ec> 24 de marzo de 2017, 10:38
Para: "laiajulianamu@gmail.com" <laiajulianamu@gmail.com>

Dear Laia Juliana Muñoz,

I hope this message finds you well. It is our great pleasure to invite you to participate in a session entitled "Neotropical Ecotoxicology and Conservation: Legacy and Emerging Pollutants in the Neotropics" to be held at the Society of Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry's Latin America 12th Biennial Meeting in Santos, SP (7-10 September, 2017). Please find the session description below.

We would be delighted to have you present your research as an invited talk in our session. We feel that your work and expertise will be greatly beneficial to the success of this session.

The general deadline to submit abstracts is May 19th 2017, however we would appreciate to receive your response to this invite as a preliminary confirmation whether or not you will be able to participate in the session by April 30th.

We hope that you will be able to present your work in our session at SETAC Latin America in Santos, SP.

Best regards,

Dr. Gustavo A. Dominguez, Dr. Juan Jose Alava, and Dr. Paola Calle

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Confieren el presente Certificado a:

Laia Muñoz

Por la *Presentación oral* del trabajo:

Diversidad y estructura genética de atún aleta amarilla (*Thunnus albacares*) en la reserva marina de Galápagos y el Ecuador continental usando marcadores microsatélites, de los autores: **L. Muñoz**, M. Torres, C. Valle, M. Brandt, J. Chaves. Con duración de 32 horas académicas.

Guayaquil, 10-13 octubre de 2016.

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Email from 12th SETAC Latin America Biennial Meeting. Certificate from Congreso Internacional de biotecnología y biodiversidad

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Also, just a minor setback we experienced, two of the ships that bring goods to the Islands from the continent ran aground and failed to deliver their cargo on time which raised the general cost of living on the Islands. I had to restructure some expenses to cover the differences.

Finally, the field work is finished and we are now analysing the data. I am attaching photos of the field work.