Project Update: December 2019

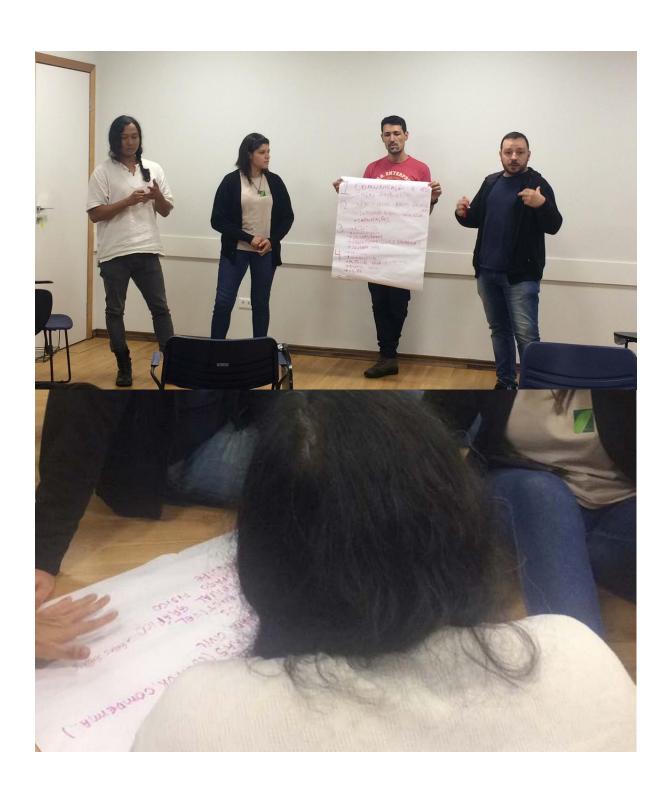
This half of the year, I analysed the results for the second paper of my thesis and divulgated the project's results. In this paper, I estimated the threshold of species loss for some mammals and bird species in the Brazilian Cerrado and modelled the scenarios below and above such thresholds for 2030 and 2050. Also, I continued the socialisation with different stakeholders.

Together with another Rufford grantee (Davidson Nogueira), we organised a workshop with the local eco-guides in Bonito, Mato Grosso do Sul (see workshop flyer). Bonito is one of the localities where both of our projects are located, and one of the main activities there is ecotourism. All the project's results presented at the workshop were from the PELD-Serra da Bodoquena Programme, which is a long-term research that shares the goal of evaluating ecosystem resilience in the Serra da Bodoquena Plateau.

The workshop "Ideas and Support Mechanisms for Environmental Projects" had two main goals, first to present the results of some of the PELD-Serra da Bodoquena' projects, and second to motivate the guides to obtain funding for their own projects. We had the participation of the PELD coordinator, the head of Ecology and Conservation Postgraduate Programme at the University of Mato Grosso do Sul, four PELD PhD students, and 15 eco-guides.

The morning session was devoted to project presentations, and in the afternoon, we briefly presented Rufford and Idea Wild schemes. The guides worked in some conservation project ideas that where presented and discussed at the end of the day. The discussion also raised an important point that is the lack of divulgation of the scientific projects that are undergoing in the region, and the potential that the local organisations such as the eco-guides have to empower themselves with first-hand scientific knowledge produced at the university, that can be replicated among them and to the general public.





Oficina de ideias

e mecanismos de apoio a projetos ambientais

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Público-alvo: Guias eco-turísticos (Vagas limitadas)

Data: 9 de dezembro (Segunda-feira)

Inscrições até: 5 de Dezembro

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Cronograma

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8:00 - 8:30	Abertura Professor Fabio Roque
8:30 - 8:50	Introdução ao PELD Franco L. Souza
8:50 - 9:20	Efeitos da perda de cobertura vegetal nativa nos parasitas de morcegos Alan Fredy Eriksson
9:20 - 9:50	Peixes, frutos e invertebrados Davidson G. Nogueira
9:50 - 10:20	Coffee break
10:20 - 10:50	Armadilhas fotográficas para análise de ocupação de mamíferos herbívoros Cyntia Cavalcante Santos
10:50 - 11:20	Limiares de perda de espécies no Planalto da Bodoquena Isabel Melo Vásquez
11:20 - 12:00	Armadilhas fotográficas, do campo ao paper Cyntia Cavalcante Santos
12:00 - 14:00	Almoço
14:00 - 14:30	Mecanismos de apoio: Bolsas Rufford, IdeaWild, Conservation Lidership Programme Isabel Melo Vásquez
14:30 - 18:00	Oficina de ideias Rufford

















