

Project Update: August 2016

1. Collecting ecological and behavioural data (feeding ecology, ranging pattern, time budget and habitat use) will be finalised by September 2017 from both the habituated study bands (the Selam and Tikura bands) of the southern geladas.
2. I have already finalised collecting questionnaires data from the local farmers on human-wildlife conflict of the southern geladas.
3. I have created conservation awareness on geladas among the local primary and secondary students and local community representatives.
4. The previous data indicated that the diet of southern geladas extremely vary between the two study sites. From these data, I found that southern geladas at Kosheme site consumed more diverse plant species than that of gelada's at Keye Washa site.



