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CENTRE FOR OCEAN RESEARCH

"Awareness programme on Sharks Conservation"

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Event content

**Identification of banned
Sharks**

Threats to Sharks

Sharks Finning

By catch of Sharks

Funded by



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The **Rufford Foundation** is a UK registered charity established specifically for the development of Rufford Small Grants for Nature Conservation (RSGs).

India has ranked as second in the top 20 shark catching nations of the world. Recent information reveals a reduced tendency in shark catch/ population, particularly in the Indian Ocean. In addition, due to lack of awareness among the fishermen exploitation of these resources are continuously in progress. Short of knowledge on species identification, particularly endangered species also forms a major bottleneck to turn down the population of Sharks. Hence, this program was aimed for creating awareness among the fishermen for protecting Sharks from extinction.