

Project Update: March 2016

We have observed that at Čemernica one pack of four adult wolf individuals occurs, but two members (both females) were killed in December 2015. In March 2016, we got information that two wolves (a male and a female) were killed during a legal hunt at this territory. After that we haven't found signs of wolf presence at this territory. Most probably the whole pack is dead. We performed monitoring of this location all this time with hope to find signs of wolf presence.

At Vlašić, we haven't observed presence of wolf activity. While this is very large territory it's necessary to place more photo traps at more transects with aim to find signs of wolf presence and try to conclude about its activity and abundance. All this time we perform field trips at all our locations.

In March 2016, The Rufford Foundation organized "*The first Balkan Rufford conference*" in Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina, "*Nature knows no boundaries*", where I participated and presented our research. It was great opportunity to present research to the other Rufford grant holders from several Balkan countries (Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia, Macedonia, Kosovo, Albania, and Turkey).