

Project Update: December 2018

Fieldwork is done! Now I have all data from camera trapping and interviews. Species identification and tabulation has been done, and I will soon finish tabulating data from the interviews. During the second fieldwork phase, I had the opportunity to talk with local inhabitants about the project and their perception about the fauna in the region. I distributed a poster about mammals of the region, with some of the pictures from the camera trapping, with the objective of raising awareness about biodiversity conservation. Additionally, my first thesis paper, a review of threshold responses' studies worldwide, has been published in the Journal of Field Ornithology (please see: http://afonet.org/wp_english/a-review-of-threshold-responses-of-birds-to-andscape-changes-across-the-world/)

Next phase will be data analysis and paper writing. In addition, I will prepare some material to present the results to the project to environmental stakeholders in Campo Grande City.

