Aída Rodrigues

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Candidate, Deakin University, Australia

Multimodal communication in Great Bowerbirds, 2014 – present Supervised by Prof. John Endler

M.Sc., Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia, Brazil

Graduate Program in Ecology, 2012

Site fidelity by army ant-following birds in primary and secondary forests of the central Amazon Supervised by Dr. Gonçalo Ferraz (UFRGS/INPA)

B.Sc., Universidade Federal do Amazonas, Brazil

Biological Sciences, emphasis in Biodiversity and Conservation, 2009

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Supervision of Cassidy Kempf (Undergrad student of SIT Study Abroad/ World Learning Australia - Rice University, USA)

Project: Trade-offs in the bower architecture of the Great Bowerbird, November –December 2015

Research Collaborator, Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia (Brazil)

Biological Dynamics of Forest Fragments Project, 2013 - 2014

Field logistics and bander in charge (2013), and data analysis

Long term population and community responses to landscape dynamics by birds in Amazonian old growth, fragmented, and secondary forest (NSF: 1257340)

Principal investigators: Dr. Phil Stouffer (LSU) and Dr. Gonçalo Ferraz (UFRGS)

Senior Bander at CEMAVE (Brazilian Center for Bird Conservation), registration # 3378010

Banded approximately 1000 birds since 2011

Volunteer fieldwork and data analysis, Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia

Department of Ecology, 2009

Vocalization patterns of *Allobates femoralis* (Aromobatidae, Anura) in an Amazonian primary

terra-firme Forest

Supervised by Dr. Luciana K. Erdtmann

Scientific Initiation Program (PIBIC), Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia

Department of Ecology, 2007 - 2008

Effects of used engine oil on the development of *Scinax ruber* (Hylidae, Anura) tadpoles Supervised by Dr.

Claudia Keller

Scientific Initiation Program (PIBIC), Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia

Department of Ecology, 2006 - 2007

Effects of used engine oil on tadpole predation by dragonfly larvae. Supervised by Dr. Claudia Keller

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2011 – Graduate Teaching Assistantship, Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia

Population Ecology Graduate Course

Organizing field logistics and computer lab classes in population parameter estimation and theoretical simulation of population growth in softwares Presence and R.

Professor: Dr. Gonçalo Ferraz (UFRGS - Brazil)

2012 - Teaching Assistantship, Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia

Bird Banding Course, October 2012

Organizing field logistics and supporting professors and students with bird banding skills

Professors: Dr. Gonçalo Ferraz, Dr. Jared Wolfe (Louisiana State University), Dr. Erik Johnson (National Audubon Society), Pablo Elizondo (Costa Rica Bird Observatories), and Andrés Henao (Klamath Bird Observatory)

2013 – Teaching Assistantship, Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia Bird Banding Course, October 2013

Organizing field logistics and supporting professors and students with bird banding skills Professors: Dr. Gonçalo Ferraz, Dr. Jared Wolfe (Louisiana State University), Dr. Erik Johnson (National Audubon Society), Pablo Elizondo (Costa Rica Bird Observatories), and Diego García Olaechea (CORBIDI - Peru)

PUBLICATION OF EXPANDED ABSTRACTS

RODRIGUES, A. ; Claudia Keller . *Efeitos crônicos da contaminação por um derivado de petróleo sobre larvas de Scinax ruber (Anura, Hylidae)*. In: XVII Jornada de Iniciação Científica - INPA, 2008, Manaus. XVII Jornada de Iniciação Científica do PIBIC/CNPq/ FAPEAM/ INPA. Manaus : INPA, 2008. v. 17.

RODRIGUES, A.; Claudia Keller. Avaliação experimental do efeito de um derivado de petróleo sobre a relação de predação entre larvas de libélulas e girinos de poças da Reserva Florestal Adolpho Ducke. In: XVI Jornada de Iniciação Científica, 2007, Manaus. XVI Jornada de Iniciação Científica PIBIC/CNPg/FAPEAM/INPA. Manaus: INPA, 2007. v. 16. p. 215-216.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

2009 - Undergraduate field course "Fragmentation of Amazonian Landscapes"

Biological Dynamics of Forest Fragments Project (BDFFP, INPA/STRI) and Universidade Federal do Amazonas

2010 - Internship with Luke L. Powell (Ph.D. student, Louisiana State University, USA)

Biological Dynamics of Forest Fragments Project

Radio-telemetry, mist netting and banding of understory birds of the central Amazon

2011 - Graduate Summer School on "Mathematical Methods in Population Biology"

Institute for Theoretical Physics, University of São Paulo (USP), headed by Dr. Roberto Kraenkel

2012 - Workshop "Modelling of individuals histories with state uncertainty"

Centre de d'Ecologie Fonctionnelle & Evolutive (Montpellier, France) headed by Rémi Choquet and Roger Pradel.

2012 – Workshop "Bayesian Population Analysis Using WinBUGS"

Mediterranean Institute for Advanced Studies ---IMEDEA (Mallorca, Spain) headed by Marc Kéry and Michael Schaub.

2013 (March - May) - Internship at Behavioural Ecology and Endocrinology Lab

Museo Nacional de Ciencias Naturales (Madrid, Spain)

Banding of adults, installation and maintenance of nest boxes, monitoring of eggs and fledglings of Starlings (*Sturnus unicolor*) Supervised by Dr. Diego Gil

2013 - Banding Course / SEO Birdlife Spain

Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Madrid – Spain.

2015 - Sound Analysis Workshop at Cornell Lab of Ornithology

Cornell University (Ithaca, USA) headed by Russ Charif and Liz Rowland

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- Best project at Scientific Initiation Research Program in Ecology (INPA) in 2007-2008, supervised by Dr. Claudia Keller
- Amazonas State Science Foundation, FAPEAM, 2010-2012 (~\$15,748.98), Scholarship for M.Sc. dissertation research;
- Idea Wild, 2011: Banding gear donation
- Science Without Borders, Brazilian Federal Agency for the Support and Evaluation of Graduate Education (CAPES), PhD Scholarship, 2014-2017 (\$25,200 annually + plus University fees)
- Centre for Integrative Ecology Grant (Deakin University), 2014: \$2282.95 AUD
- Centre for Integrative Ecology Grant (Deakin University), 2014: \$2705.00 AUD
- Holsworth Wildlife Research Endowment, 2015 (Amount requested of \$6578.65 AUD, yet to be received this year)