



Fall 2023

Date	Name	Position and institution	Title of presentation	Contact info (phone/email)	Focus region	Virtual or in-person?	Youtube link
Aug 22	Mini-Town Hall with TCD and TCDsg leadership	Bette Loiselle, Director, TCD; Patricia Sampaio, Program Coordinator; Karen Kainer, TCD Academic Advisor; Andres Leon, President TCD student Group	<i>Bring your questions and comments (snacks provided)</i>	loiselleb@ufl.edu psampaio@latam.ufl.edu		In person	n/a
Aug 29	<i>Canceled due to Storm</i>						
Sept 5	Natalia Uribe Castaneda	PhD SNRE	<u>Community engagement in coral reef restoration</u>	nuribecastaneda@ufl.edu	Colombia	virtual	<u>link</u>
Sept 12	Sylvia Adisa	Master of Sustainable Development Practice student, UF	<u>An assessment of the contribution of women to the production of blue foods production in Western Indian Ocean; A case study of the Kenyan Coast.</u>	adisasyvia@ufl.edu	North Kenyan coast	In person	<u>link</u>

Sept 19	Danny Pinedo	Professor, Anthropology, Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos	<i>Environmental governance in the Peruvian Amazon</i>	dpinedog@unmsm.edu.pe	Peruvian Amazon	In person	link
Sept 26	Vanessa Luna	PhD student, Interdisciplinary Ecology	<i>Using Q methodology to understand key actors' perceptions on fire management in the Peruvian Andes</i>	lunacelino.dv@ufl.edu	Peru	In person	link
Oct 3	Shambadeb Basu	PhD student, Biology department	<i>Mesocarnivores in an urban habitat from eastern India: ecology, conflict</i>	s.basu@ufl.edu	India	in person	link
Oct 10	Mayra Esseboom	Fulbright Visiting Scholar	<i>Changes in power ahead: The case of the açai family businesses in Mungo, Suriname</i>	m.esseboom@ufl.edu	Suriname	In person	link
Oct 17	Joshua Benjamin	PhD candidate, UF Biology	<i>From big to small: Longitudinal changes in fish assemblages, macroinvertebrate communities, and trace element concentrations in an Afrotropical River</i>	joshua.benjamin@ufl.edu	Mara River Basin, Kenya and Tanzania	In person	link
Oct 24	Francisca Saavedra	Biocultural Conservation Consultant, GIA Project - TCD, UF	<i>Let's talk story. Biocultural Conservation in higher education</i>	saavedra@umd.edu	n/a	virtual	link
Oct 31	Silvio Marchini (invited guest)	LEMaC/ESALQ/ Universidade of São Paulo	<i>The rise of Coexistence as a new paradigm in understanding and managing human-wildlife interactions and the opportunities this creates in Latin America</i>	silvio.marchini@usp.br	Working broadly across social-ecological landscapes	In person	link coming soon
Nov 7	Fátima Ramis	PhD candidate, WEC - Human Dimensions	<i>Co-designing Education Material with Community</i>	fatimaramis@gmail.com	Dominican Republic	virtual	link

			<i>Members Surrounding the Marine Mammal Sanctuary in Estero Hondo, Dominican Republic</i>				
Nov 14	Viviana Rojas Bonzi	PhD candidate, WEC/TCD	<i>Perceptions of hunting in protected areas in the Dry Chaco of Paraguay</i>	vrojasbonzi@ufl.edu	Chaco forest (Paraguay)	In person	link
Nov 28	Silvia Mandai	PhD student USP/SFFGS-UF	<i>Spatial-temporal changes in sandbars after Jirau and Santo Antônio dams on the Madeira River (Rondônia, Brazil): socio-ecological impacts</i>	s.mandai@ufl.edu	Amazon - Madeira River basin	In person	link
Dec 5	Galia Selaya	LAS / TCD Courtesy Faculty	<i>Tipping point indicators in Southwestern Amazonia through the lens of political ecology</i>	gselaya@outlook.com	Amazon	In person	link