

Dear researchers,

Are you or do you know any **early-career Nordic-based researchers** who works with **tropical environments within ecology (biology)**? We are setting up a new **network** aiming to build new connections and open doors for collaboration and knowledge sharing.

To jump-start the network, we are organising a one-day event focusing on networking and knowledge sharing on the 24th of November at the University of Copenhagen. During this event we will hear from two external speakers (see preliminary schedule below), both with a broad experience in coordinating research in tropical regions such as the Amazon and in organizing fieldwork in tropical regions. Additionally, we will have discussions on some of the challenges that researchers from lower income countries often encounter, how we can possibly contribute to mitigate these and benefit together by considering and incorporating the local knowledge in the scientific progress. The remainder of the day will consist of guided talks and brainstorms among the early-career participants on how to work together in the aim of building a solid and inclusive network.

Therefore, if you are an **early career researcher working with tropical ecosystems**, and are currently based in or visiting **Nordic institutions**, please register on the following link to join us on the **24th of November**, and please share with other potential participants so we collaborate and grow together in this Network of Early Career Tropical Researchers.

Preliminary tentative schedule:

9:00 - 10:00	Welcoming participants and Introduction by organisers
10:00 - 12:00	Talk by Dr. Julia Tavares (Uppsala University) and group discussion on tropical fieldwork.
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch break
13:00 - 14:00	Talk by Dr. Deliane Penha (Federal University of Western Pará)
14:00 - 15:00	Group discussion: Tropical research, local's knowledge and science outreach.
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee-break
15:30 - 17:00	Group discussion: Building an inclusive network of early career researchers, the next steps.
17:00 - late (optional)	Optional social activities in Copenhagen

* schedule subject to changes based on room allocations

Registration form: [Link](#)

For those who sign up, more info will be sent closer to the date but feel free to contact us if you have any questions regarding the event. :)

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