



SAVE PANGOLINS

PANGO NEWSLETTER

PANGOLIN CHAMPIONS PROGRAM UPDATES

In 2020, Save Pangolins launched the Pangolin Champions Program to support emerging leaders in the pangolin conservation landscape. [Reserve this space for updates from Save Pangolins staff, staff features/highlights, program updates for the benefit of all Champions.]

IN THE NEWS

Links to recent articles/media highlighting pangolin conservation topics

Champion Spotlight

Murthy Kantimahanti

Murthy Kantimahanti has been working in the Eastern Ghats landscape of South India for several years with an aim to protect the lesser known wildlife of the region through local community engagement. He mainly works outside protected areas where human-negative interactions occur, monitoring and providing education and intervention strategies. His Champion project will assess the presence or absence of Indian pangolins in human-dominated landscapes, understand local perceptions that rural communities have of pangolins, and assess human related threats in the region.



Grants and Opportunities

- The Pangolin Crisis Fund is managed by the [Wildlife Conservation Network](#) with technical oversight by Save Pangolins and support from the [Leonardo DiCaprio Foundation](#). The Pangolin Crisis Fund follows the same principles as [WCN's Crisis and Recovery Funds](#) and is governed by expert advisors in the field of conservation and philanthropy.
- Pangolin Innovation Grant, Save Pangolins - **[DEADLINE XXX]** We believe that saving pangolins requires creative conservation solutions. Sometimes novel projects struggle to get funding from risk-averse funders. That's where we come in. Our Innovation Grants are administered to organizations with fresh ideas for pangolin conservation where a small funding investment can have a substantial impact on pangolins. [\[Link to application.\]](#)



Upcoming Meetings

The following meetings and conferences may be relevant to your interest areas, and/or may be attended by other Champions. Let us know if you'll be there!

- Conference Name, Location [Date]
- Conference Name, Location [Date]

Resource Library

Have you participated in a helpful training or discovered a useful resource? Share with the Pangolin Champion Network here! [\[add link to shared collaboration folder of resources\]](#)

Get Connected

Connect with fellow Pangolin Champions via WhatsApp [\[link\]](#).

This newsletter is produced by Save Pangolins quarterly to support its Pangolin Champions working in Africa and Asia to protect eight species of pangolins and their habitat through community engagement, research and rehabilitation center to rescue and treat pangolins and other species.

Have something to share? Let us know!

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