

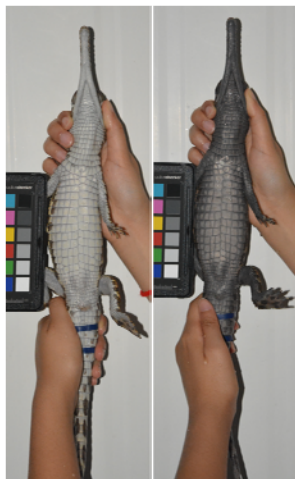
## Camouflage and communication in forest-dwelling crocodiles

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Crocodylians are apex predators found in a range of tropical wetland habitats: from estuaries, rivers and lakes, to swamps and flooded forests. Their habitat affects their ecology and behaviour throughout different stages of their lives. In this talk, I will focus on species living in flooded and peat-swamp forests, looking at their colouration and communication. I will present the first evidence of juvenile Sunda gharials changing colour in response to ambient light, as well as my current research on adult crocodylian acoustic communication and call diversity, suggesting how this information can be used for species conservation.



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