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Scientific area	Scientific responsible	Host Department	Type of activity	Start of mobility	Language
Biology	Cristina Giacomina	Department of Life Sciences and Systems Biology	Bioacoustic	December 2016	English
Type of fellowship	Senior (equal or more than 40 years old) 1 month				
Title of the research project	Acoustic diversity and signal modalities of transmission in the Asian Colobines				
Description of the research project	This project aims at protecting snub nosed monkeys within their natural habitat by promoting conservation oriented studies of their communication behavior. It will focus on scientific research and on the education of the younger segment of the population, and will promote the importance of bioacoustics within local communities, so that people will learn to love and protect the target animal and its forest habitat. The project seeks to obtain the full involvement of young researchers from local universities, during and after the implementation of the conservation activity.				
Profile Description	The candidate should have a deep knowledge on bioacoustics applied to conservation in a developing country. The candidate should master the research methods utilised to study animal acoustic communication, including comparative and phylogenetic analysis.				
Research objectives	To understand the role of acoustic communication in snub nosed monkeys' social system To write an application for a joint project.				
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