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Human-Carnivore Conflict Mitigation in a Changing Landscape

Examples from Lions in Zambia



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Human-Carnivore Conflict has been a major challenge in many parts of the world and it is now on the rise in areas where it has historically been uncommon. As wildlife managers seek to address this problem, there is a need to understand the drivers and the extent of the problem taking into account local contexts. In this talk, I will share the lessons learnt from our collaborative work to mitigate the emerging Human-Lion Conflict due to livestock predation in eastern Zambia.

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(the first Wednesday of every month)

7th April @ 17:00BST/09:00PDT

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