Mobilizing knowledge about conservation and sustainable development in Protected Areas in Paraty, RJ

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# Objective

• To investigate whether and how the results of academic research are being used for the management of Protected Areas (PA) in Paraty, RJ.

# Methodology

- Part 1: completed
  - Survey about undertaken projects in Paraty (conservation / sustainability)
    - Via the internet (e.g., Google Scholar)
    - Organization in worksheets

# Results

### **Worksheet 1:** Total of 90 works cataloged

| Websites                      | Keywords  |       |             |
|-------------------------------|---|-------|-------------|
|                               |   |       |             |
| Local                         | Palavra de busca                                    | Total | Catalogados |
| Google acadêmico              | Parati conservação "desenvolvimento sustentável"    | 546   | 10          |
|                               | Parati ecologia sustentabilidade                    | 503   | 10          |
|                               | Parati ecologia conservação                         | 992   | 15          |
|                               | Relatório de pesquisa Parati                        | 2160  | 21          |
|                               | Paraty conservação "desenvolvimento<br>sustentável" | 733   | 22          |
|                               | Paraty ecologia sustentabilidade                    | 419   | 14          |
|                               | Paraty ecologia conservação                         | 850   | 16          |
|                               | Relatório de pesquisa Paraty                        | 1220  | 22          |
| Scielo                        | Parati  | 14    | 1           |
|                               | Paraty  | 15    | 4           |
| NUPAUB                        | Publicações em português                            | 26    | 2           |
|                               | Turismo   | 43    | 1           |
|                               | Pesca/Litoral                                       | 5245  | 5           |
|                               | Parques e Reservas                                  | 4882  | 1           |
|                               | Caiçara   | 89    | 1           |
| Biblioteca digital da UNICAMP | Parati  | 157   | 1           |
|                               | Paraty  | 2     | 1           |
| biblioteca virtual - FAPESP   | Parati  | 7     | 2           |
|                               | Paraty  | 10    | 3           |
| UFRJ - Base Minerva           | Parati  | 44    | 4           |
|                               | Paraty  | 29    | 4           |
| FIFO                          |   |       | 11          |
| CAPES Banco de Teses          | Parati  | 10    | 1           |
|                               | Paraty  | 10    | 1           |

## Results

- Worksheet 2 General data:
  - Reference
  - Title
  - Website
  - Keywords
  - Economic sector
  - Geographic area
  - Research institution
  - Main natural resources
  - Contact
- Worksheet 3 Summaries or abstracts
- Worksheet 4 Categories:
  - Tourism
  - Fisheries and aquaculture
  - Plant use
  - Conservation / preservation of biodiversity
  - Local population
  - Others

## Results

#### TOURISM:

lack of planning, degradation; influence on local culture, community-based tourism.

## CONSERVATION / PRESERVATION OF BIODIVERSITY:

social and environmental impacts/conflicts caused by implementation of protected areas; lack of clear rules and rights.

### FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE:

Impacts, management of fishing resources; characterization of fishing; inventories.

#### LOCAL POPULATION:

livelihoods; socio-environmental changes; local development.

#### PLANT USE:

inventories of plants used by the community; agroforestry: development and local preservation.

### OTHERS:

more specific projects.

# Methodology

- Part 2: (to be carried out)
  - Interviews with managers of PA
    - Semi-structured interviews
    - Recorded/ annotated
    - Identify:
      - whether the managers have access to and use academic research results in the management of PAs
      - what are the issues they perceive that need aditional research

# Data Analysis

- To categorize, to analyze and to compare the results of the interview (part 2) with the database (part 1)
  - Goal: to identify whether the gaps pointed out by the managers are real or whether research has been done, but managers are not aware of its results or did not have access to it.

Thankyou!