Bat One Health Research Network

BOHRN

About BOHRN

In 2017, the first BOHRN meeting was convened by the Defense Threat Reduction Agency, Biological Threat Reduction Program. BOHRN is a global network of conservationists, disease ecologists, and virologists with interests in bat-related research involving pathogens. BOHRN fosters international relationships among collaborators, agencies, and organizations, with the intent to produce long-term sustainable partnerships.

Mission

To convene a multidisciplinary consortium of disease researchers, conservationists, policy makers, and medical/veterinary practitioners into a network to characterize global threats of bat-borne pathogens and formalize community standards and conservation-conscientious practices for One Health disease research.

BOHRN Workshop

Vienna, Austria, 2018

Join us!

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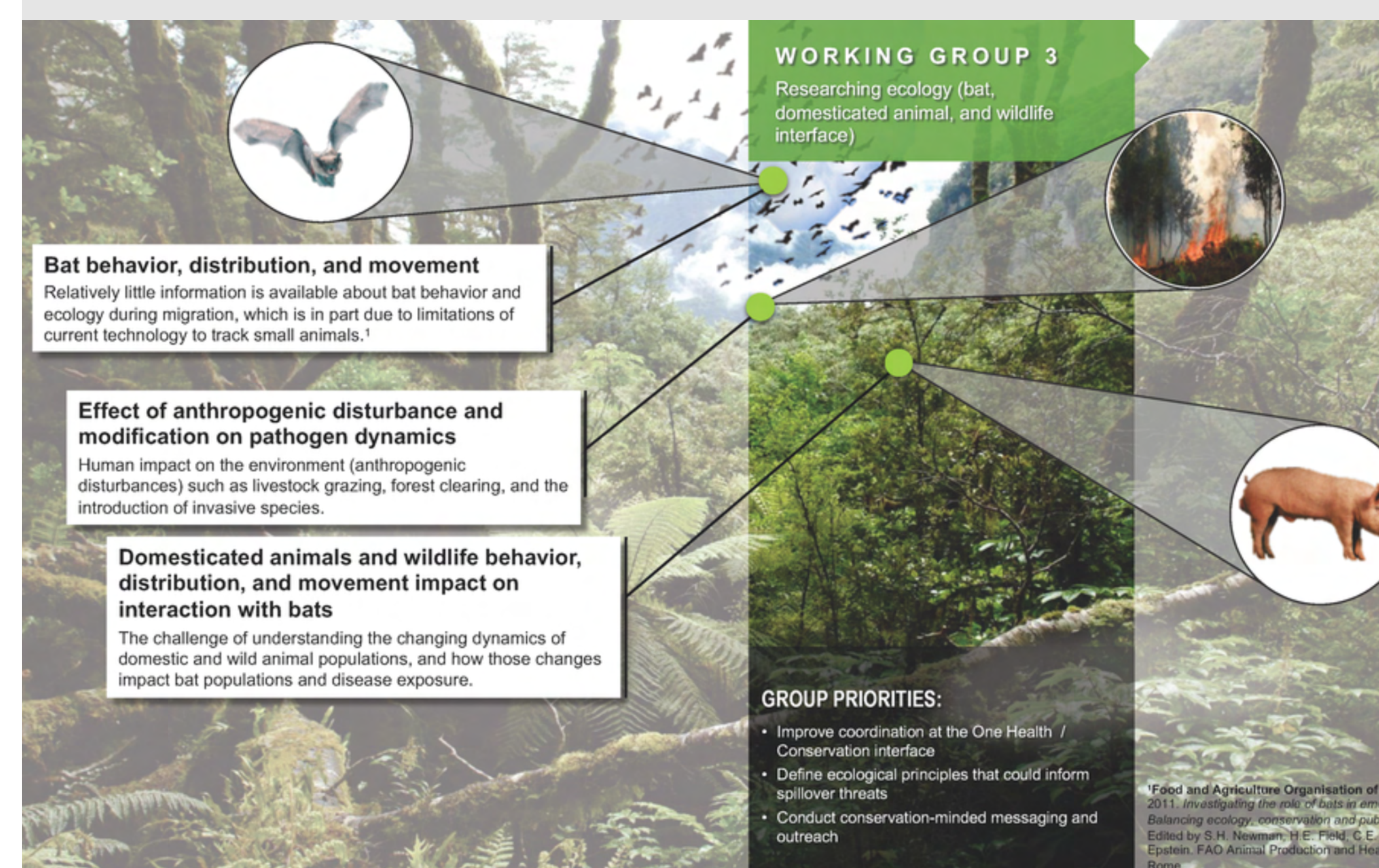
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Working Groups

Working Group 1: Host / Pathogen Biology and Interactions

Working Group 2: Pathogen Surveillance, Diagnostic capacity, and Epidemiology

Working Group 3: Ecology (bat, domesticated animal, and wildlife interface)

Working Group 4: Human-bat Interactions, Risk Characterization