

Entre pájaros y árboles (Between birds and trees)

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This project will develop the means to empower Amazonian communities to use images to raise awareness about the impact exerted by climate change and the disappearance of pristine forests.

The forest is the home of the Amazonian communities and a place where nature and humanity have coexisted without destroying each other. Due to the extraction of natural resources, the Amazonian communities witness the loss of their surrounding forests, a situation that threatens their culture, for they consider the forest to be a living entity entwined with their history and heritage.

The proposed project will develop a set of photography/video practices capable of portraying the effects of this reality on their living environment. It will take an in-depth look at the forest of the Peruvian Amazon region, as seen from the perspective of its inhabitants, and how photography can be used as an effective tool in their journey to conserve their heritage and protect the forest.