

# History of Principal Interpretation Projects

## Interpretive Trainings

Year	Country	Description
2017-18	Colombia	Interpretive design training for local service providers around five national parks
2016	Honduras	Advanced interpretation for interpretive guides and managers
2015	Honduras	Basic interpretation for interpretive guides and managers
2014-15	Colombia	Basic interpretive guiding for local fishermen
2014	Colombia	With the National Learning Service (SENA) and National Parks, developed a course for the specialization in interpretation of professional tourism guides
2013	Costa Rica	Interpretive guiding for rafting guides of Rios Tropicales
2012	Costa Rica	6 biology students in environmental interpretation, University of Costa Rica
2012	Colombia	Interpretive guide for local guides around El Cocuy National Park with an interpretive framework
2011	Costa Rica	Interpretation class as part of national guide certification
2010	Colombia	Interpretation workshop for national park guides, at Otun Quimbaya
2010	Costa Rica	Mini-workshops for guides along the Costa Rican Bird Route
2007	Bolivia	Interpretation workshop for guides and professionals sponsored by the US Embassy
2005	Texas, USA	Workshop for the World Birding Center in Texas, English
1999-2005	Guatemala, Yucatán, Honduras	Development of the Guide's Guide: From the Mountains to the Sea. Book for tour guides of each region
1997 y 1998	Honduras	70-day training program for local national park guides. Included interpretation, natural and cultural history, conservation, guiding, and English

## Development of PUP's Interpretive Framework Methodology

Year	Country	Description
1998-2003	Honduras, Guatemala, Indonesia	Sets of separated messages in World Heritage Sites
2004	USA	Lumber Heritage Region, Pennsylvania. Narrative framework.
2005-06	USA	Poconos Region and Illinois River Valley. Graphical frameworks.
2010	Viet Nam	Sets of interrelated themes.
2012	USA	Quinta Mazatlan, Texas, narrative
2012	Colombia	El Cocuy National Park, hierarchical themes
2012	Portugal	Evora World Heritage City
2013	Costa Rica	CATIE campus
2013	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	Union Island, focused on an unprotected bay
2013	Honduras	3 national parks
2014	Costa Rica	Municipal park
2014	The Moon	Training exercise
2015	USA	Valle de Oro National Wildlife Refuge, the best example of theme-only format
2015	USA	Flint Hills Discovery Center with university students
2016	Honduras	Jeannette Kawas National Park
2016	Colombia	Tribugá Gulf
2017	Colombia	Tayrona National Park, the most advanced with a graphical representation



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