

Let's talk about conservation! (A primer to future debate sessions)

# Cats to Go (or do they stay?): cat management and conservation

In the real world, there are countless issues that many persons have strong views on. Among them is a conservation issue in New Zealand, where a cat management discussion campaign to conserve native species was initiated under a controversial title "Cats to Go". While cats as an invasive species are recognized as a serious threat to native wildlife conservation worldwide, they are also cute and important companion animals to many people as well.



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For the forth Nature Conservation Seminar we will have students enrolled in the Certificate Programme on Nature Conservation (CPNC) place forward their standpoints in a discussion setup, based on their opinions, views and understandings of the situation. The seminar is open and you are all welcome.

## Certificate Programme on Nature Conservation

Language English (maybe with a touch of Japanese support)  
Participants Students registered for 02JZ022 Nature Conservation Seminar, CPNC students, lecturers, and any other person with interest in the subject.

\*As we need to have an idea of the attendance, While we may also invite non-CPNC participants to the discussion, time permitting, please note that the seminar is primarily aimed to train CPNC students.

Register <http://www.conservation.tsukuba.ac.jp/ncs4/> by 15:00 Monday 7 January 2019

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