

**Mission Statement**

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The Cave Invertebrate Specialist Group (CISG) is

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## Academic calendar 2019

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### Activities

#### Red List

i. A large portion of the assessments of cave Trechinae from China (N= 87, 66%) were completed and published in 2019, while others are still underway and are expected to be finished and published in early 2021. (KSR #2)

ii. Although upgrading of the Brazilian cave species from national lists to the IUCN Red List is an important task for the Group, in 2019 it was delayed due to the focus on initiating new assessments of cave-related taxa. (KSR #2)

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...flatworm species from  
...ed to be finished in 2021.

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...eral cave species from  
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...focusing on acquiring  
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...n their own initiative.  
...ave groups are now  
...G members.

#### Grants and funding

...of young candidates  
...ountries, six received a  
...t for small projects on  
...tion, mostly on South-  
...brates.

## Calendar

### Research activities

i. The special issue of a taxonomic journal in honour of Tony Whitten is completed with 18 contributions and is expected to be published in the beginning of 2020. Although planned to be published in 2019, the large number of contributions extended the time needed to finish the publication. (KSR #43)

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