SSRP SUSSEX SUSTAINABILITY RESEARCH PROGRAMME

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## Indigenous Visions for Rights Based Approaches to Sustainability



**Comando Matico** 





#FUERA MERINO #TOMA LA CALLE #MARCHA NACIONAL #UCAYALI PRESENTE #ESTE CONGRESO NO ME REPRESENTA

Plaza de Armas de Pucalipa 6:00 pm

Trae: DNI, mascarilla, pancartas, respetando distanciamiento social





# **Project aims and objectives**

Create a Peru-Brazil-UK network

Observatory of Indigenous rights violations' map

Papers on i) Indigenous rights violations and collective experiences thereof &

ii) a framework for rights-based approaches to sustainable development.

+ Extra COVID-funding:

Understanding the political ecology of COVID impacts on indigenous peoples and the environment



#### **Observatory in Brazil: Another Sky** (<u>umoutroceu.ufba.br</u>)









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Collaboration with UNIA, Pucallpa, Peru



# **COVID – Government Response**

Government payments – through banks

Withdrawal of public workers: Teachers Health workers Police Military

Purús - suspension of flights





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## **COVID – Indigenous Response**



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The New York Times

10th November 2020

## Peru's Surprise New Leader Stokes Anger, Fear in a Traumatized Country

The unexpected impeachment of Peru's president has left the country with a leader few know or trust. Amid devastating pandemic and recession, Peruvians brace for more instability.



Photo: Sebastian Castaneda (via Whatsapp + Reuters)

The New York Times

#### Peru's President Steps Down After Just 6 Days, Leaving Country Adrift

Manuel Merino took power after Congress pushed out Peru's popular president. In office less than a week, he faced mounting opposition from protesters.



The New York Times

### 16th November 2020 Peru Chooses 3rd President in a Week Amid Street Protests

The naming of Francisco Sagasti as president was not expected to immediately quell popular anger at the country's legislators, whom many Peruvians see as corrupt — and responsible for the turmoil.





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# NUEVA CONSTITUCIÓN

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#### **President Pedro Castillo**





Failure of the state to respond effectively to COVID-19

Ineffective or detrimental interventions

Withdrawal of the state and its workers

Indigenous responses

Withdrawal and/or self reliance

Longer-term change and political impact

but... how long will that last?

