APPENDIX 1: Survey Questions

PERSISTENCE HUNTING

- 1. Have you successfully run down an animal (e.g. a deer)?
- 2. What year was the last time you ran down an animal?
- 3. How did you run down an animal? Please give as much detail as you can remember.
- 4. Did you run alone or as a group?
- 5. If a group ran together, did all of them complete the hunt, or only the strongest?
- 6. How do you work together as a team?
- 7. What time of the year did you run down animals? All year round or only in the hot weather?
- 8. Did you run down different animals (species) in different seasons? If yes, why?
- 9. What time of day did you run down an animal and how many hours do the hunt last?
- 10. How hot must it be to run down an animal?
- 11. How much water did you carry on a hunt? (indicate size of a container)
- 12. Did you drink water before you started, during and/or after hunt?
- 13. How fast did you run? (slow/steady/fast as possible)
- 14. Did you sometimes walk during the hunt?
- 15. What slowed you down most? Tiredness or losing tracks?
- 16. If the hunt failed, what was the main reason?
- 17. When tracking, did you look for tracks every 5 to 10 meters?
- 18. When you lose the tracks, do you look for them close by (within 5 to 10 meters) or do you look for them further ahead (50 to 100 meters ahead)?
- 19. When tracking, if the ground is hard or grass is thick and tracks are difficult to see, do you sometimes run a long distance without seeing any tracks and then find tracks further ahead? How far? 50m, 100m, sometimes further?
- 20. When tracking, if you do not see tracks, how do you find tracks further ahead?
- 21. When you look at the tracks, what do you see, think and feel?
- 22. When you look at tracks, do you "see" the animal in your imagination/head?
- 23. When you look at tracks, do you "see" how the animal moved?

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- 24. When you look at tracks, do you try to think like the animal and try to predict where it was going? (Do you ask:
- "What would I do if I were that animal?")
- 25. When you look at tracks, do you sometimes feel like the animal, as if you have become the animal? Do you feel the motion of the animal's body in your own body?
- 26. What relationship did you/the curanderos have with the deer? Do you know hunters who could communicate with the animals?
- 27. On a successful hunt how did you divide the meat among the participants?
- 28. How did you develop the skills to hunt?

RARAJIPARI/ARIWETA

- 1. At what age did you begin running rarajipari/ariweta?
- 2. Did you run barefoot?
- 3. Did you play rarajipari/ariweta at school?
- 4. What activities did you do before a race: food/drink/ritual? How did you prepare?
- 5. Did the team meet together in the days before the race? Did you visit the curandero (Shaman)?
- 6. What tree did you cut the ball from? Did you do a ritual for the ball? What does the ball symbolize?
- 7. Did the curanderos cast spells on the other team? Describe different spells?
- 8. Did you ever use peyote for running or eat other medicinal plants? Did you drink tesguino during the race? Did you smoke tobacco?
- 9. What do you eat before/after the race?
- 10. What do you eat and drink during the race?
- 11. What place did the women have during rarajipari races?
- 12. How do the curanderos treat injuries during the race?
- 13. How often did you run in the rarajipari/ariweta?
- 14. Who participated? And how often?
- 15. How far did you run?
- 16. What were the rules about touching the ball, keeping an extra ball?
- 17. Who organized it?
- 18. Do the curanderos run with the runners?

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- 19. What was the terrain of the course like?
- 20. Did people bet differently?
- 21. What does the race symbolize?
- 22. Did you hear stories from your parents/grandparents?
- 23. Why did you run rarajipari?
- 24. Did people try to cheat?
- 25. Were there prayers or rituals as soon as the race ended?
- 26. Did you use judges in the race?
- 27. In what areas of the sierra did you run?

RUNNING/TRAINING/PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

- 1. Is there a right way to run?
- 2. What is the best speed for running?
- 3. How did you learn to run well?
- 4. Did you ever practice running?
- 5. What makes a good runner?
- 6. Did you ever get an injury from running?
- 7. Did you always run in huaraches, or did you run barefoot?
- 8. Did you participate in dances at the fiestas? How many times a year?
- 9. How much did you walk on average in a week?
- 10. Did you participate in other sports?