Clockwise, starting top left:

Yuri Trush, head of the Tiger Inspection Unit — 2004. © Sasha Snow

Tiger tracks at dusk. © John Goodrich/WCS

Sobolonye with Sikhote-Alin Mountains in background. Photo courtesy of the author.

Vladimir Markov’s grave. Markov came into fatal conflict with the tiger. © John Goodrich/WCS
Clockwise, starting top left:

Ivan Dunkai, the aboriginal trapper and guide in *The Tiger*, with his granddaughter. © Sasha Snow

“In the taiga there are no witnesses.” V. K. Arsenieiev, *Dersu the Trapper*. Seen here with Dersu Uzala, ca. 1907. Photographer unknown.

Profile of tiger. © John Goodrich/WCS