



Report Format for

World Migratory Bird Day 2017 event

of East Asian-Australasian Flyway

East Asian - Australasian Flyway Partnership (EAAFP)

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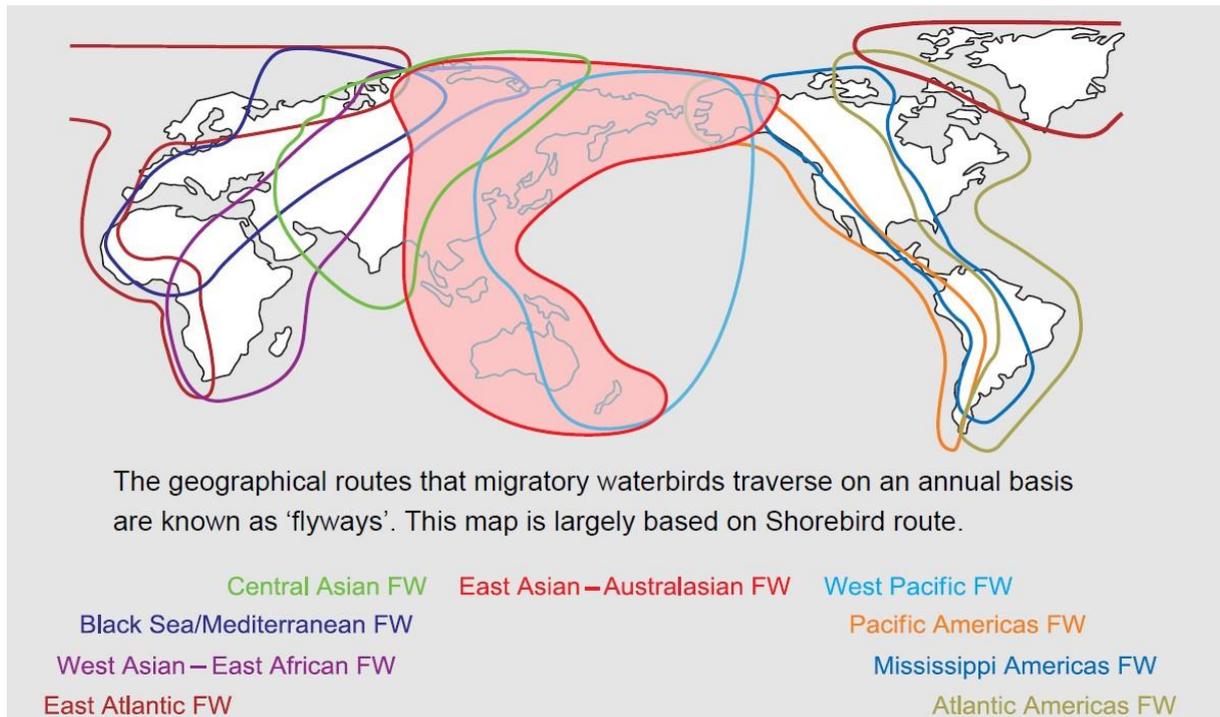
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Section 1. EVENT INFORMATION (Compulsory)

1.1 Contact Information - Provide your contact information for this report

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1.2 Event Location - Where did your event take place?

Name of country	Indonesia
Name of city	Gorontalo
Name of event place/venue (optional)	Limboto Lake and Panua Nature Reserve (birdwatching); SMPN 1 Telaga, SDN 13 Paguat, and SDN 71 Padebuolo (educational activity), David-Tony Sport Center and Pentadio Resort, Gorontalo (Photo exhibition).

1.3 Event Type - Tick the relevant categories of your event type

Public awareness activity – local and/or national	
Field Trip (e.g. Birdwatching)	ü
Monitoring/survey	

Educational activity/lecture	ü
Festival	
Media event (e.g. press release)	ü
Movie/video	
Others – specify: Birds photo hunting and phoh exhibition	ü

1.4 Event Organiser - Who were organiser and/or sponsor for your event?

The 2017 WMBD event in Gorontalo, Indonesia was organized by Biodiversitas Gorontalo (Biota). The successful outcome of this event would not be possible without the support from various parties: the local Government of Gorontalo, both district and provincial level; Bogani Nani Wartabone National Park, North Sulawesi Natural Resources Conservation Agency, NGOs (Wetland International Indonesia, Burung Indonesia, WCS Indonesia Program, Forum Komunitas Hijau Gorontalo (FKH), Masyarakat Fotografi Gorontalo (MFG) and Aliansi Jurnalis Independen (AJI)). We would like to express our deep appreciation and thanks to the East Asia Australasian Flyway Partnership for the support of our event, particularly to Mr. Yus Rusila Noor (Wetland International Indonesia) for providing helpful advice and logistical support.

1.5 Target Audience - Who were the participants for your event?

School students, teachers or parents	Middle school students (grade 7 and 8) and teachers of SMPN 1 Telaga, elementary school students (grade 4 - 6), and teachers and parents of SDN 13 Paguat, Pohuwato; SDN 71, SDN 88, SDN 24, SDN 44, Kota Gorontalo, and in general people who live around Lake Limboto.
University students	Gorontalo University and Gorontalo State Univeristy
Researchers, scientist	
birdwatchers	
Site managers for flyway site and wetlands	
Decision or policy makers	The Government of

	Gorontalo District, The Government of Gorontalo Province.
Media	kompas.com, antaragorontalo.com, antarafoto.com, degorontalo.co, hargo.co.id, Radio Rakyat Hulontalo, RRI (Indonesia State Radio) Gorontalo, TVRI (Indonesia Television) Gorontalo, MNC group, Metro TV, and Mimoza TV.
Others – specify	Enhancing Protected Area System in Sulawesi (EPASS) for Biodiversity Conservation, Salampuan and smart mommy communities.

1.6 Number of Participants - How many participants were there for your event?

Birdwatching: 30 participants
 Educational activity (school visit): up to 515 school students and teachers
 Photo exhibition: more than 300 people.

1.7 Outcome - What is the outcome from your event?

BioTa was a successfully conducted World Migratory Bird day (WMBD) event in Gorontalo, Indonesia. The main objective of the event is to raise public awareness on migratory birds and their conservation action especially on protecting their habitat - Limboto Lake, one of the most important stopover habitats for migratory birds in Gorontalo. During the celebration of the 2017 WMBD in Gorontalo, Biota successfully conducted various activities, including:

1. Feld trip (Birdwatching). Conducted at three locations from only one planned target location, which were Limboto Lake - Gorontalo, Bayalo-Watingo (Panua Nature Reserve) and Paseda, Pohuwato. Up to 30 people participated in this activity and they included university students, government workers, particularly the management unit of Ministry of Environmental and Forestry (Bogani Nani Wartabone

national park and North Sulawesi Natural Resources Conservation Agency), NGOs, and communities. A simple photographic guide book to the birds of Limboto Lake has been produced in order to help participants in identifying waterbird species.

2. Educational activity. School visits have been conducted at SMP Negeri 1 Telaga Jaya Gorontalo District, SDN 13 Paguat Pohuwato District, and SDN 71 Kota Gorontalo. Power point presentation, migratory bird's movie, and the official of the 2016 WMBD video trailer were played during the school visit. There were more than 500 school students, teachers and parents participating and receiving messages on the conservation of migratory waterbirds and their habitats. They were very enthusiastic and actively interacted with the quiz and discussion. Students were also encouraged to create a bird origami and write their thoughts and messages on it about bird conservation, particularly migratory birds and their habitats.
3. Migratory birds photo exhibition. The first ever wildlife photographic exhibition, particularly on migratory birds was successfully conducted in Gorontalo. The exhibition took place at two different locations, David Tonny Sport Center and Pentadio Resort on 7 – 9 May 2017. This event has attracted the attention of more than 300 people who visited the locations. They came from many different community groups, government staffs, Indonesian military, community leaders, and school students around the locations. More than 40 migratory bird photos, banners, posters, and maps of bird migration flyway were printed and displayed. Many visitors were also very enthusiastic to take selfie photo with various WMBD properties and also with Duta Burung (bird ambassador), the winner of the 2015 Putri Pariwisata (Miss Tourism) of Gorontalo Province.
4. All the above activities have been covered by the media, local and national, and published in newspapers, online news, radio and television. Also, all the excitement of the celebration of WMBD 2017 in Gorontalo have been posted through social media, such as facebook, instagram, twitter, and path.

Any additional comment? (Optional)

Section 2. EVENT PROGRAMME (Compulsory)

Provide your event agenda, programme or discussion paper here.

Preparation:

March 2017:

- Consultation meeting with relevant stakeholders such as Government body of both district and provincial level (especially Sport, Youth, and Tourism Bureau of Gorontalo District, Lake Limboto Information Center Secretariat, Environmental and Forestry Agency of Gorontalo Province, and Education and Cultural Agency of Gorontalo District; management units of Ministry of Environment and Forestry (Bogani Nani Wartabone National Park and North Sulawesi Conservation Natural Resources agency), NGOs (local and national), community groups, nature lover at university, and media group (Alliance for Independent Journalists). We also built commitment and collaboration with Putri Mamonto, the 2015 Miss Tourism of Gorontalo, to be a Bird Ambassador.

April 2017:

- Socialisation of the 2017 WMBD event in Gorontalo through media, such as: social media (Facebook, Instagram, twitter, and Path); online media, radio and television.
- On 16 April 2017, National TV (TVRI) coverage on environmental issues particularly on migratory birds at Lake Limboto with Biota.
- On 20 April 2017, interactive dialog at national radio (RRI) on the 2017 WMBD event in Gorontalo with Duta Burung and Biota.
- On 30 April 2017, Biota in collaboration with Salampuan and Smart mommy (community groups that focus on gender and children issues in Gorontalo), organized an education activity that aimed to raise people's awareness on the conservation of Sulawesi endemic wildlife including migratory birds and their habitat through movies and discussion.

May 2017:

- 4 May 2017, consultation meeting with Nasaruddin Komendangi, Secretary of Sport, Youth, and Tourism Bureau of Gorontalo District

on the implementation of the 2017 WMBD event in Gorontalo, especially how it's link with the future government plans on developing the Limboto Lake as a tourism destination. A warm welcome and a very positive support were given to Biota and a very best wish on the implementation of the 2017 WMBD in Gorontalo.

- Great support was also given by the three Head of schools, including: SMPN 1 Telaga Jaya, SDN 13 Paguat, SDN 71 Padebuolo, and also Head of Education and Cultural Agency of Gorontalo District, Titianto Pauweni, especially related to Biota plans on conducting educational activity at their schools. This intends to introduce bird migration and its conservation.
- Produced awareness raising materials, such as: banners, photo booth, bird pictures, t-shirt, various WMBD properties, and a photographic guide to the birds of Lake Limboto.

Implementation:

Migratory birds photo exhibition (7 – 9 May 2017).

The first ever wildlife photographic exhibition, particularly on migratory birds was successfully conducted in Gorontalo. Organised by Biota with regard to the celebration of the 2017 WMBD, a three days photo exhibition was held at two different locations, David Tony Sport Center (DTSC) – Limboto and Pentadio Resort – Telaga Biru, both in Gorontalo District. DTSC is public accessible and a center for sport activities by many people who live in and around the city of Limboto, and the location was set up by the government as a location for car free day program. In early morning of May 7th, more than 40 migratory bird photos, banners, posters, and maps of bird migration flyway were printed and displayed. Many of the visitors were very enthusiastic to learn more about migratory bird species through stunning bird photos that were taken by members of Biota.

In the afternoon of the same day, the same photo exhibition was moved to the Pentadio Resort – Telaga Biru, Gorontalo. A place for public recreation (hot water spring) in Gorontalo that was adjacent to Limboto Lake.

In total, more than 300 people took part in this photo exhibition and they were coming from many different backgrounds and societies, including: community groups, government staff (especially Sport, Youth, and Tourism Bureau of Gorontalo District, Lake Limboto Information Center Secretariat, Environmental and Forestry Agency of Gorontalo Province, and Education and Cultural Agency of Gorontalo District; management units of Ministry of Environment and Forestry (Bogani Nani Wartabone National Park and North Sulawesi Conservation Natural Resources agency), Indonesian military, community leaders, NGOs, students from university, and school students around the locations.

The event was also enlivened by the presence of Duta Burung (Bird Ambassador), Putri Mamonto, who is also the 2015 Miss Tourism of Gorontalo Province. Many of the visitors were very enthusiastic to take selfie photos with Duta Burung and with various WMBD properties that had been prepared.

Field trip - Birdwatching (10 May 2017)

Biodiversitas Gorontalo (Biota) conducted birdwatching activities at three locations: Limboto Lake (Gorontalo district), Panua Nature Reserve, and Paseda, both located at Pohuwato district, Gorontalo. Birdwatching at Limboto Lake ran from 07:00 – 09:00 in one of birding spot at Lupoyo village, Telaga Jaya, Gorontalo. While in Panua Nature Reserve, birdwatching conducted in early morning at Danau Bayalo – Watingo, and also at Paseda in afternoon. These two last locations were representative of mangrove habitats along the south coastal region of Paguat – Marisa, Pohuwato District, Gorontalo.

Up to 30 people participated in this activity, including university students, Bogani Nani Wartabone national park staff, North Sulawesi Natural Resources Conservation agency, community rangers, Burung Indonesia, Biota, and community member at Lupoyo village. A simple photographic guide book to the birds of Limboto Lake has been produced in order to help participants in identifying waterbirds species. Discussion on observation methods and key identification of the birds was also conducted during the observation.

From the observation, we successfully identified 5 species at Limboto Lake including 2 species of migratory birds: White-headed stilt (*Himantopus leucocephalus*) and Yellow wagtail (*Motacilla flava*). While from Pohuwato areas, we have recorded 19 species from Bayalo – Watingo, Panua and 16 species from Paseda. None of migratory bird species were recorded from these two locations. Some common and resident birds species recorded including: Javan pond heron (*Ardeola speciosa*), Little egret (*Egretta garzetta*), Purple heron (*Ardea purpurea*), Maleo (*Macrocephalon maleo*), Philippine scrubfowl (*Megapodius cumingii*), Brahminy kite (*Haliastur indus*), and Collared Kingfisher (*Todiramphus chloris*).

Educational activity – school visit (10, 12 and 13 May 2017)

On the day of 10 May 2017, after having birdwatching in early morning, we continued by visiting school at SMPN 1 Telaga Jaya, Gorontalo district.

A Powerpoint presentation on bird migration and its phenomena especially at Limboto Lake was presented to the school students and teachers. Documentary movies on Sulawesi endemic wildlife, such as babirusa and maleo, including the 2016 WMBD video trailer were played during the school visit. Bird migratory species were introduced including their flyway maps. There were more than 200 school students (grade 7 – 8) and 8 of teachers participated and received messages on the conservation of migratory water birds and their habitats. They were very enthusiastic and actively interacted with the quiz and discussion. Interaction at school started from

10.00 – 13.00.

On 12 May 2017, at the other place, Biota in collaboration with Burung Indonesia and North Sulawesi Natural Resources Conservation Agency visited SDN 13 Paguat, Pohuwato district and presented about the importance of protecting and conserving the natural resources of Pohuwato, particularly migratory waterbird and their habitat. The school was selected as a representative of other schools surrounding the area of Panua Nature Reserve. A total of 94 people that consisted of 90 students (grade 4-6) and 4 teachers participated in this event.

Students were also guided to create bird origami and write down their

thoughts and messages about bird migration and bird conservation in general. This is done to inspire students' awareness of preserving birds and their habitats. Some of the messages included:

- “Jangan menembak burung” (do not shoot the birds)
- “Kita tidak bisa membunuh burung” (we cannot kill the birds)
- “Burung bisa bermanfaat untuk lingkungan” (birds would be beneficial to the environment)
- “Manusia harus melindungi alam beserta isinya” (Humans should protect nature)

The same messages were also presented to up to 100 students, teachers and parents at SDN 71 Padebuolo, Kota Timur - Gorontalo. This educational activity conducted on Saturday, 13 May 2017 and was attended by 4 different elementary schools from Kota Gorontalo, and lasted from 09:00-11:00.

Section 3. BUDGET REPORT (Compulsory)

Report here how you spent the budget you planned in the application

Category	Item	EAAFP	BIOTA
Transportation	Car Rent	115	38
Meals	Snacks	165	8
	Lunch	135	
Printing	Banner/x-banner	96	38
	Bird Photographic Guide		35
	Bird Photo for exhibition		135
	T'shirt		554
Communication	Phone credit		54
Equipment	Rent LCD Projector	231	
	Pop Tripod	258	
Total		1.000	862

Section 4. SHORT SUMMARY REPORT (Compulsory)

The celebration of the 2017 World Migratory Bird Day in Gorontalo -

Indonesia, Biodiversitas Gorontalo (Biota) together with partners successfully organized several planned activities, including: birdwatching, educational activity at schools, and a migratory bird photo exhibition.

Birdwatching was carried out at three locations (Limboto Lake – Gorontalo district, Danau Bayalo-Watingo (Panua Nature Reserve) and Paseda, both in Pohuwato district). Up to 30 people participated in this event came from various backgrounds, including university students (Gorontalo State University and Gorontalo University), Bogani Nani Wartabone national park staff (regional I Limboto), North Sulawesi Natural Resources Conservation Agency staff (regional II Gorontalo), NGOs, and communities around the birding sites. During the observation, we successfully identified 5 species at Limboto Lake including 2 species of migratory birds: White-headed stilt (*Himantopus leucocephalus*) and Yellow wagtail (*Motacilla flava*). While in Pohuwato areas, we successfully recorded 19 species from Bayalo – Watingo, Panua and 16 species from Paseda. None of migratory bird species were recorded from these two locations.

Educational activity at schools were successfully conducted at three target schools: SMP Negeri 1 Telaga Jaya, Gorontalo district; SDN 13 Paguat, Pohuwato district, and SDN 71 Kota Gorontalo. Educational activities were also conducted in collaboration with Salampuan and Smart Mommy, community groups that focus on gender and children issues in Gorontalo. The total number of participants exceeded expectations. There were more than 500 people that consisted of students, teachers, and parents in attendance at this event. Educational materials included an introduction to the migratory birds species, birds migration phenomena (with an example of the birds visiting Limboto Lake), and habitat protection. All the materials were delivered through a powerpoint presentation, documentary movies, including the 2016 official WMBD video trailer, and quiz. Documentary movie of other Sulawesi endemic wildlife (babirusa and maleo) were also played.

A three days photo exhibition was successfully conducted at two different locations, David Tonny Sport Center and Pentadio Resort, Gorontalo. With regard to the celebration of World Migratory Bird Day, more than 40 frames of migratory bird photos were displayed. Banners, posters, stickers, post cards, and maps of bird migration flyways were also displayed. Several of the WMBD properties were also printed and attracted many of visitors to take selfie photos. More than 300 people from many community groups participated in this exhibition.

Consultation meetings with relevant stakeholders, especially government officials and decision maker at both district and provincial level were conducted as part of future advocacy and policy specifically relating to the protection and conservation of migratory bird and their habitat.

Broader information dissemination on the 2017 WMBD event in Gorontalo was supported by media, online (including social media facebook, instagram, twitter, and path), radio and television. Some of the media coverage such as: environmental activity with Biota, particularly on migratory bird monitoring program at Limboto Lake by national television (TVRI), an interactive dialog on WMBD 2017 in Gorontalo by RRI and RH radio, WMBD 2017 coverage by GlobalTv and MetroTv, and other online news (local and national) such as: kompas.com, antaragorontalo.com, antarafoto.com, degorontalo.co, hargo.co.id. Link to all media coverage provided below.

Section 5. PHOTO, VIDEO & MATERIALS (Compulsory):

Name of Photo/Video	
	Photo 1. Birdwatching at Paseda, Pohuwato
	Photo 2. Birdwatching at Paseda, Pohuwato
	Photo 3. Birdwatching at Limboto Lake, Gorontalo
	Photo 4. Educational activity at SMPN 1 Telaga Jaya
	Photo 5. Educational activity at SMPN 1 Telaga Jaya
	Photo 6. Educational activity at SMPN 1 Telaga Jaya
	Photo 7. Educational activity at SDN 13 Paguat
	Photo 8. Students participated on create bird origami with messages on it
	Photo 9. Bird origami produced by school students
	Photo 10. Educational activity at SDN 71 Padebuolo
	Photo 11. Educational activity at SDN 71 Padebuolo
	Photo 12. Educational activity at SDN 71 Padebuolo
	Photo 13. Migratory birds photo exhibition at David Tonny Sport Center, Limboto - Gorontalo
	Photo 14. Rosyid Azhar (Biota), explaining to the visitors on migratory birds phenomena
	Photo 15. Students enthusiasm at Migratory birds photo exhibition
	Photo 16. Ririn Hasan (BKSDA) explaining to the visitor on

	<p>migratory birds flyway.</p> <p>Photo 17. Ms. Ida Syahidah took selfie photo with 2017 WMBD property</p> <p>Photo 18. Military staff took selfie photo with the Bird Ambassador, Putri Mamonto (the 2015 Miss Tourism of Gorontalo Province).</p> <p>Photo 19. Member of Biota took selfie photo with the Bird Ambassador, Putri Mamonto.</p> <p>Photo 20. Students took selfie photo with the Bird Ambassador, Putri Mamonto.</p> <p>Photo 21. Community group took selfie photo with the 2017 WMBD property.</p> <p>Photo 22. Media coverage by TVRI (a national government television) at Limboto Lake</p> <p>Photo 23. Media coverage by MetroTV (a national private television) on photo exhibition.</p> <p>Photo 24. Media coverage by GlobalTV – MNC Group (a national private television) on photo exhibition.</p> <p>Photo 25. Interactive talk by RH Radio on WMBD event with Biota members</p> <p>Photo 26. Interactive talk by RH Radio on WMBD event with Biota members and Duta Burung (Bird Ambassador)</p> <p>Photo 27. Interactive talk by RRI (a national government radio) on WMBD event with Duta Burung (Bird Ambassador)</p> <p>Photo 28. Interactive talk by RRI (a national government radio) on WMBD event with Duta Burung (Bird Ambassador) and Biota member.</p> <p>Photo 29. A simple photographic gift to the birds of Limboto Lake.</p> <p>Photo 30. A sample design of Certificate of the WMBD 2017</p>
Photo/Video	















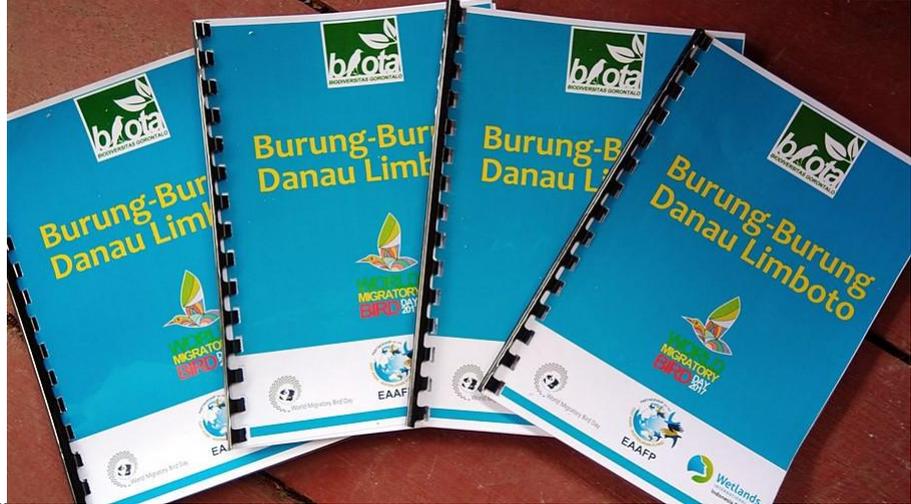
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CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION

This is to certify that:

Has participated in
The World Migratory Bird Day 2017
May 2017

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