



2017 APPLICATION FORM

Small Grants Fund for Working Groups & Task Forces

PERSONAL DETAILS

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PROJECT DETAILS

Project Title: Supporting for the funds for CMS side Event

Part A. Project Proposal

Birdlife Australia, on behalf of the Far Eastern Curlew Task Force of EAAFP will organize and hold a side event at the 12th Conference of Parties of the Convention on Migratory Species on in Manila, Philippines

Purpose of event

The East Asian-Australasian Flyway Partnership (EAAFP), BirdLife International, BirdLife Australia are proposing to host a side event at CMS COP12 to showcase the existing Single Species Action Plans in the East Asian – Australasian Flyway, as well as the two plans up for approval at COP12. The side event could also include the (draft) plan for Yellow-Breasted Bunting, for which an interim report on the progress of the plan will be presented at COP12. Invitation to this event will be extended to all CMS participants, as well as Range States for the seven species that are not currently signatories to CMS.

Event Hosts

- EAAFP Secretariat
- BirdLife International
- BirdLife Australia

Existing SSAPs

- Spoon-billed Sandpiper
- Black-faced Spoonbill
- Chinese-crested Tern
- Siberian Crane

SSAPs for approval at COP12

- Far Eastern Curlew
- Baer's Pochard
- Yellow-breasted Bunting (interim report)

Suggested presentations

- Opening presentation on overview and importance of SSAPs (BLI or EAAFP) (5 mins)
- Presentation on successes of one of existing plans (10 mins)
- Presentations on FEC and BP SSAPs up for approval (TF Chair/Coordinator) (10 mins each)
- Panel discussion with SSAP Chairs/Coordinators (10 mins)

Required materials

- Showbags (one pagers detailing each plan, pins, other materials)
- Catering for 50 people

Logistics

- Contact relevant Task Force chairs and coordinators to canvas interest and capacity
- Confirm date/time and register side event with CMS (by 1st August)
- Other logistics (to be determined when event confirmed)
- Discuss potential speakers and confirm availability
- Write and distribute invite

PROJECT BUDGET (please outline your entire project, not just the component for which funds are being sought)

Total required budget: AUD 3,550

Budget Item Cost (\$AUD)	
Catering for 50 people at \$15 per head (finger food and non-alcoholic beverages)	\$750
Showbags (excluding inkind contributions)	\$500
Flights for FEC TF Coordinator	\$1000
Accommodation for FEC TF Coordinator	\$1300
Total requested under EAAFP Activity 3.2: \$3550	

PAYMENT DETAILS

PREFERRED PAYMENT METHOD

Electronic funds transfer (EFT)
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