



**World Migratory Bird Day**

**Final Report**

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**Section 1. EVENT INFORMATION (Compulsory)**

## 1.1 Contact Information - Provide your contact information for this report

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Date of submission	28 <sup>th</sup> October 2023

Please tick if you permit to reveal your personal contact information on EAAFP website.

1.2 Event title (**Compulsory**):

Bird Migration, Species diversity of bird in Laos and thire role in ecosystem and environment (Water sustaining bird life)

1.3 Event Location - Where did your event take place (**Compulsory**)?

Name of country	Laos
Name of city	Vientiane Capital
Name of event place/venue	Faculty of Environmental Sciences

1.4 Event Type - Check the relevant categories below (**Compulsory**)

Public awareness activity – local and/or national	Can be both Local or national
Field Trip (e.g. Birdwatching)	Yes
Monitoring/survey	Yes
Educational activity/lecture	Yes
Festival	
Media event (e.g. press release)	Yes
Movie/video	
Others – specify	

1.5 Event Organiser - Who were organiser and/or sponsor for your event (**Compulsory**)?

Even organiser: Santi Xayyasith, Chanthavong keovongsy and Khamnuk Soulida  
 Sponsor for your event: World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) Small Grant 2023

1.6 Target Audience - Who were the participants for your event (**Compulsory**)?

Target Audience types	Number participated
School students, teachers or parents	
University students	22 Persons
Researchers, scientist birdwatchers	
Site managers for flyway site and wetlands	FES site including ponds and land area and Nong Khamsean wetland
Decision or policy makers	
Media	
Others – specify	
<b>Total number of Participants</b>	22 People

1.7 Outcome - What is the outcome from your event (**Compulsory**)?

The result of this event showed that the university students understood the migration, diversity, the role in ecosystem of birds and to know the preparation before birdwatching. In addition, to learn about the how to use the guide books, and bionoculars. The maximam of the participants in this training were include 22 persons with three organizers. It includes the students from Faculty of Environmental Sciences (FES), Faculty of Forestry Sciences (FOS) and Faculty of Natural Sciences (FNS) in the National University of Laos.

This training was include the leacture and field training in Faculty of Environmental Sceinces and Nong Khamsean wetland.

Moreover, three of organizers was done the first data collection in the field and It will continue in a year to do the bird survey by couting monthly per time (two time per day include morning 6:00-9:00am and afternoon 15:00-18:00pm) at Khamsaen wetland in Vientiane capital of Laos. The result of this survey might be summary and submit to the funding. Beside that, the manuscript of this survey might be sumitt to the BirdingAsia Journal.

## 1.8 Any additional comment? (Optional)

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**Section 2. EVENT PROGRAMME (Compulsory)**

Provide your event agenda, programme or discussion paper in details here. If your event was recorded or held online, please share the links.

The event was started at 9:00 AM in the morning on 14<sup>th</sup> October 2023 and finished at 13:10 PM

<https://ebird.org/checklist/S152141236>

### **Section 3. SHORT SUMMARY REPORT (Compulsory)**

Provide a short article about your WMBD event or activity you arranged to celebrate WMBD. The following information (venue, organiser, number and type of participants, outcome) should be included in your article. (Minimum 400 words)

First of all, three of organisers would like to thank the World Migration Bird Day (WMBD) small grant 2023 to supported us to lunch the good program like this in Faculty of Environmental Sciences, National University of Laos.

The training was known the title of bird migration, species diversity of bird in Laos and thire role in ecosystem and environment (Water sustaining bird life). In addition, it was include in thirteenth topic including (1. World biodiversity hotspots, 2. Protected Areas in Laos, 3. Wildlife Law in Laos, 4. Bird indentification Guide books , 5. Bird role in ecosystem, 6. Migretory Bird, 7. Water substanning for Bird Life, 8. Bird research in Laos, 9. Bird diversity in Laos, 10. Bird survey plan in the future, 11. Preparing to birdwatching, 12. Technique to use the bionoculars and cameras, and 13. Applications for count and identification birds) (See more detail in pdf of the powerpoint presentation).

The activity was help at Faculty of Environmental Sciecnes, National University of Laos, Lao PDR by participants of the students from three faculties from the national university including Faculty of Environmental Sciences, Faculty of Forestry Sciences, and Faculty of Natural Sciences in total 22 students with three of organisers. This events the students learn to know the preparation before birdwatching. In addition, to learn about the how to use the guide books, and bionoculars. Eventhought, they knows how to using ebird to count and birding.

After the lecture finised, the field training was also continue at faculty of environmental sciences including land area and pond near by was observe about diversity of bird. The students wereused the binoculars and cameras and learn the kill of birding preparation. Moreover, they also learn how to be the birder especiall Lao birder in the future.

Moreover, three of organizers was done the first data collection in the field and It will continue in a year to do the bird survey by couting monthly per time (two time per day include morning 6:00-9:00am and afternoon 15:00-18:00pm) at Khamsaen wetland in Vientiane capital of Laos.

The result of this survey might be summary and submit to the funding. Beside that, the manuscript of this survey might be sumitt to the BirdingAsia Journal.

This is the first time that we got the funding support from world migration bird day (WMBD) small grant 2023. In addition, the next time we will do the activities include the secondary school and then high school students to participate in it.

#### Section 4. EXPENDITURE REPORT (Compulsory)

Expense items	USD
The meeting room rent	100
Transportation	50
Rent Birdwatching guide (amount x 4. of guides)	30
Rent LCD (amount x 1)	20
Rent Binoculars (amount x 7)	40
Coffee break	130
Lunch	30
Bird survey (Bird survey will count monthly per time in a year at Khamsaen wetland, Vientiane capital. Almost price will pay for transportations, and foods in 12 times to do the survey at there.)	600
Funding from other sources: We do not have funding from other sources	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1000</b>

\*Please keep the receipt in case auditing is needed.

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

Name of Photo/Video	The photos were include during training and field birding please see more detail in the photo link in email
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Photo/Video

Please insert



a photo here



Credit info

The photo credit from organisers

Link	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=24282445441369609&amp;set=pcb.24282469138033906">https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=24282445441369609&amp;set=pcb.24282469138033906</a>
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Note:

- Email us the electronic file (JPEG or PDF) of your language version of the WMBD poster published for the EAAFP website;
- Post its printed poster to the EAAFP Secretariat, if you can and have one;
- Take enough photos from events or activities with this WMBD poster and send us lots of photos in jpg or png format; and videos as well if you have one.
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