



World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) Small Grant 2024 Application Form

WMBD Small Grant 2024 for East Asian–Australasian Flyway

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About World Migratory Bird Day 2024

World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) is an annual awareness-raising campaign highlighting the need for the conservation of migratory birds and their habitats. It has a global outreach and is an effective tool to help raise global awareness of the threats faced by migratory birds, their ecological importance, and the need for international cooperation to conserve them. In 2018, WMBD unified the planet's major migratory bird corridors, or flyways: the African–Eurasian flyway, the East Asian–Australasian flyway, and the Americas flyways. **WMBD is now celebrated twice a year, on the Second Saturday in May and in October. In 2024, WMBD will be held on 11 May and 12 October. This year, the theme is “Protect Insects, Protect Birds”.** The EAAFP Secretariat encourages Partners to celebrate WMBD twice a year.

Introduction of EAAFP WMBD 2024 Small Grant

The Small Grant for 2024 [World Migratory Bird Day](#) (WMBD) has been established to provide financial support to [EAAFP Partners](#), and [Task Forces](#) and [Working Groups](#) who plan to organize **public events and/or conservation action-oriented workshops** at national or local levels through participating in World Migratory Bird Day. We strongly encourage EAAFP Partners and collaborators to make an application for any suitable event or development of WMBD materials in the local language that aims to raise awareness of the need for conserving migratory waterbirds and the value of their habitats in the East Asian–Australasian Flyway.

Eligibility Criteria

Applicants who plan to organize an event to celebrate World Migratory Bird Day 2024 need to be **based in EAAFP Partner countries**. In addition, EAAFP Partner countries included in the DAC list of ODA Recipients are our priority to support (If you are not sure, please see the [list of EAAFP Partners](#), and [DAC list of ODA Recipients](#)). If you are not the country focal point of EAAFP, please consult and plan with the EAAFP focal point of your country before you apply.

Please note that this grant is to initiate a WMBD event. You can co-fund the event with other sources, but please indicate this in the budget session. Applications with similar content (location, target participants, etc.) to previous years may not be accepted. We also encourage proposals to promote Flyway Network Sites for the WMBD activities.

Information of the application

Firstly, applicants must meet the eligibility criteria set for funding assistance under the EAAFP WMBD 2024 Small Grants Programme.

For your budget planning, please note a maximum of 1,000 USD will be allocated to each country. We recommend you submit your application as early as possible.

The deadline for application is **21st August 2024**. Please submit your application to the Communications Officer via email (Word or PDF document) to communication@eaaflyway.net and wmbd@eaaflyway.net.

After the Secretariat receives your application, the approval of successful proposals is made by the Secretariat. Applicants will hear the result within two weeks after the deadline. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Successful applicants have the responsibility to help translate the World Migratory Bird Day materials into their own languages. These translations will be shared on the World Migratory Bird Day website (<https://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org/>).

Date of Application: 14 Augustus 2024**1. Applicant Contact Information**

	Name of applicant:	Heri Tarmizi
a.	Name of the organisation:	KSLH-Aceh
b.	Applicant's position and division in the organisation	Field Coordinator
c.	Type of organisation — Government/NGO/Private Sector/Other — specify):	CSO
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e.	Postal address:	Jl. HM Asyek. Lr Pemuda, Geucu Komplek, Banda Aceh. 23290
f.	Office phone numbers:	-
g.	Applicant's mobile number:	+6282276757799
h.	Website of organisation:	
i.	Additional contact person	

 Please check if you permit to reveal your personal contact information on EAAFP website.
1.1 Supporter Information

	Name of supporter:	Asman Adi Purwanto
a.	Name of the organisation:	BISA Indonesia foundation
b.	Supporter's position and division in the organisation	Director
c.	Type of organisation — Government/NGO/Private Sector/Other — specify):	NGO
d.	Email:	Asman.bisa@gmail.com
e.	Postal address:	Gondang Legi, RT.01/RW.13, Sariharjo, Ngaglik, Kabupaten Sleman, Daerah Istimewa Yogyakarta 55581
f.	Office phone numbers:	+62274-2883736
g.	Supporter's mobile number:	+6281319633321
h.	Website of organisation:	https://bisaindonesia.com/
i.	Additional contact person	

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2. Proposed Event Plan and Expected Outcome (Please check the relevant categories of your proposed event)

Public awareness activity — local and/or national	<input type="checkbox"/>
Birdwatching — field trip	<input type="checkbox"/>
Monitoring/survey — field trip	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Educational activity/lecture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Festival	<input type="checkbox"/>
Media Event	<input type="checkbox"/>

Movie/video	<input type="checkbox"/>
Others – specify	<input type="checkbox"/>

2.1 Please specify your proposed event plan and expected outcomes

Title of event:	Enhancing Community Involvement in Shorebird Conservation at Alue Naga, Banda Aceh, Sumatra, Indonesia
Date of event:	20 October 2024
Organizers:	KSLH-Aceh
Target participants:	Youth
Expected number of participants:	20 persons

Event objectives and plan (max. 500 words):

Introduction:

Alue Naga, located in Banda Aceh, Sumatra, Indonesia, is a critical wintering site for migratory shorebirds. This mangrove ecosystem plays a vital role in providing habitat and food resources for these birds during their migration. However, Alue Naga is under threat due to local human activities and pesticide use in adjacent agricultural lands. The surrounding community has limited knowledge about the significance of these birds and the threats they face. In response, KSLH-Aceh is collaborating with the LEAFA (Locally Led East Asian Flyway Acoustic) project, supported by Cornell University, Lisa K. Yang Acoustic Lab, BISA Indonesia Foundation, and University Terengganu Malaysia. This initiative aims to enhance community engagement, provide education, and implement bioacoustics monitoring to ensure the protection and preservation of Alue Naga's vital ecosystem.

Objectives:

1. **Increase Awareness:** Educate the local community about the ecological importance of migratory shorebirds, their behaviors, and the threats they face to foster a deeper understanding and commitment to conservation.
2. **Promote Sustainable Practices:** Address the impact of pesticide use on the birds' food sources and habitat and introduce sustainable pest control methods to mitigate environmental harm.
3. **Engage and Train the Community:** Equip local youth and community members with skills to use bioacoustics technology and participate in citizen science to monitor and protect shorebird populations.
4. **Establish a Sustainable Monitoring Program:** Develop a community-led initiative for ongoing monitoring and protection of the Alue Naga mangroves.

Plan:

1. **Community Engagement and Education:**
 - **Awareness Workshops:** Organize interactive workshops for residents and youth to educate them about the importance of migratory shorebirds and the role of Alue Naga as a wintering site. The workshops will cover bird identification, migration patterns, and the environmental impacts of human activities. Participants will also learn to use eBird for reporting bird observations, contributing to global conservation efforts.
 - **Pesticide Education:** Conduct sessions with local farmers to discuss the environmental impact of pesticides and introduce integrated pest management (IPM) practices. These workshops will offer practical advice and

alternative solutions to reduce the use of harmful chemicals and protect shorebirds and their habitats.

2. Bioacoustics Monitoring Training:

- **Deployment of Equipment:** Collaborate with LEAFA to install bioacoustics recording devices in key locations within the Alue Naga mangroves. Involve community members in the setup process to ensure they understand the technology and its purpose.
- **Training Programs:** Provide comprehensive training for selected youth and community members on operating bioacoustics equipment and analyzing data using Raven Pro software. The training will include theoretical and practical components to build technical skills and confidence.
- **Citizen Science Integration:** Train participants in using eBird to document and report bird sightings, enabling them to contribute valuable data to global databases and enhance the understanding of migratory patterns.

3. Community-Led Conservation Initiatives:

- **Monitoring and Protection:** Establish a local conservation group responsible for maintaining bioacoustics equipment, monitoring shorebird activity, and safeguarding the habitat. Provide ongoing support and resources to ensure the group can effectively manage the project.
- **Regular Feedback and Evaluation:** Organize periodic meetings to review progress, discuss data findings, and address challenges. Use these meetings to gather community feedback, adapt strategies, and celebrate successes to maintain engagement and motivation.

3. Proposed Event Budget Plan

Please specify budget plan of your proposed event

Total: 1000 USD

Please note that ideal budget scale is approximately 1,000 USD to each country

Budget breakdown:

<p>1. Awareness Workshops and Education:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Materials and Supplies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Educational Brochures and Flyers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Printing costs for brochures about migratory shorebirds and their habitats. ○ Visual Aids and Handouts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Creation and printing of visual aids for workshop presentations. ● Workshop Facilitation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Honoraria for Facilitators: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Payment for guest speakers or environmental experts leading the workshops. ○ Refreshments and Logistics: 	<p>400 USD</p>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Costs for refreshments (Snacks, drinks, Lunch) and logistical support for workshop attendees. • Miscellaneous Costs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Travel Expenses for Facilitators: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Travel costs for facilitators coming from outside the community. ○ Venue Rental: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Rental cost for a suitable venue. partner. 2. Pesticide Education Sessions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Informational Pamphlets and Guides: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Printing and production costs for materials on integrated pest management (IPM). • Session Facilitation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Honoraria for Trainers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Payment for agricultural experts or trainers conducting the sessions. • Miscellaneous Costs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Travel Expenses for Trainers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Travel costs for trainers traveling to the community. 		
<p>3. Bioacoustics Monitoring Equipment and Training:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Sessions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Honoraria for Trainers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Payment for trainers to provide hands-on training on using bioacoustics equipment. ○ Training Materials and Manuals: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Production of training materials and manuals for participants. • Miscellaneous Costs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Travel Expenses for Trainers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Travel costs for trainers. ○ Refreshments and Logistics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Costs for refreshments (Snacks, drinks, Lunch) and logistical support for workshop attendees. ○ Venue Rental: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Rental cost for a suitable venue. partner. 	300 USD	
<p>4. Citizen Science and Data Reporting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • eBird Training and Support: 	150 USD	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Training Materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Costs for developing materials or guides for eBird training. ○ Technical Support: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Support costs for setting up eBird accounts and reporting systems. • Community Incentives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Incentives for Participants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Small rewards for active participants (T-shirt, Tumbler). 		
<p>5. Community-Led Conservation Initiatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Feedback and Evaluation Meetings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Refreshments and Materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Costs for refreshments and materials for feedback meetings. 	100 USD	
<p>6. Contingency Fund:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unexpected Costs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Reserve funds to cover unforeseen expenses or additional needs. 	50 USD	
<p>Others – specify</p>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bioacoustics Recording Devices: 3 units of recording devices for monitoring shorebirds. Accessories and Maintenance: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Accessories (microphones, batteries, Memory card SD) and maintenance of equipment. - Binocular, Monocular, Field guide - Projector and screen 	Support By LEAFA	
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4. Can you support translating the WMBD materials into your language?

Yes No

With the support from EAAFP World Migratory Bird Day Small Grant Fund, you need to:

- Register your event(s) at the following websites as well for regional and global statistics of WMBD participation. It won't take you long to fill in the form as it is a simple process. Registration of your event(s) at Global WMBD website (<http://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org/register-your-event>)
- **Logos of WMBD and EAAFP have to be shown on all your printed and digital promotional materials.**
- **Reporting:** After any of your WMBD materials are published and your awareness event is held, it is required to provide an event report (see ANNEX I). The Report

should include copies of any materials produced under the project. Published materials should be submitted with the report in both hard and electronic copy with suitable photographs illustrating the activities undertaken.

Important notes:

Report deadline:	No later than 28th October 2024 or within two weeks after the event(s).
Required information:	Name of organiser(s), target participants, programme, outcome summary and finance supporting documents
Submit to:	EAAFP Secretariat via email (Word or PDF document) at wmbd@eaaflyway.net and communication@eaaflyway.net

ANNEX 1

Standard Format for the World Migratory Bird Day

Final Report Template

Section 1. EVENT INFORMATION (Compulsory)

1.1 Contact Information — Provide your contact information for this report.

Full name:	
Name of the organisation:	
Name(s) of the division and/or position:	
Type of organisation — Government/NGO/Private Sector/Other:	
Email:	
Postal address:	
Office phone numbers:	
(Your) Cell number (optional):	
Fax (optional):	
Website (optional):	
Additional contact person (optional):	
Date of submission:	

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

1.2 Event Title

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1.3 Event Location — Where did your event take place?

Name of country:	
Name of city:	
Name of event place/venue:	

1.4 Event Type — Check the relevant categories below.

Public awareness activity — local and/or national:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Field trip (e.g. Birdwatching):	<input type="checkbox"/>
Monitoring/survey:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Educational activity/lecture:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Festival:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Media event (e.g., press release):	<input type="checkbox"/>
Movie/video:	<input type="checkbox"/>

Others — specify:

1.5 Event Organiser — Who were organiser and/or sponsor for your event?

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

Target Audience Types	Number Participated
School students, teachers or parents	
University students	
Researchers, scientist	
Birdwatchers	
Site managers for flyway site and wetlands	
Decision or policy makers	
Media	
Others — specify	
Total number of participants	

1.7 Outcome — What is the outcome from your event?

1.8 Any additional comments? (Optional)

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.

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)

Section 4. EXPENDITURE REPORT (Compulsory)

Expense items	USD
e.g. venue	
e.g. transportation	
e.g. birdwatching guide (amount x no. of guides)	
Others — specify	
Funding from other sources	
Total	

*Please keep the receipt in case auditing is needed.

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

Name of Photo/Video	e.g. photo 1 or video 1
Photo/Video	Please insert a photo here
Credit Info	Please provide credit information for this photo/video
Link	Please provide a link of this photo/video (e.g. FB posting or Flickr link)

Note:

- Email us the electronic file (JPEG or PDF) of your language version of the WMBD poster for publication on the EAAFP website.
- Post the printed poster to the EAAFP Secretariat if you can and have one available.
- Take plenty of photos of events or activities featuring the WMBD poster and send us these photos in .jpg or .png format; and videos if you have any.
- The logos of WMBD and EAAFP must be displayed on all your printed and digital promotional materials.