



Application Format for

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## APPLICATION FOR SMALL GRANTS UNDER EAAFP

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The Small Grants for World Migratory Bird Day (WMBD) is established to provide financial support for [EAAFP Partners](#) and collaborators from [EAAFP Task Forces and Working Groups](#) to organise public awareness raising events and/or conservation action-oriented workshops at national or local levels for protection of migratory waterbirds and their wetland habitats in the East Asian – Australasian Flyway, particularly through participating in the World Migratory Bird Day. The WMBD Small Grants is funded by EAAFP Partners and sponsors to encourage participations and promote World Migratory Bird Day in Partners' countries.



**Please submit all applications via email (Word or PDF document) at**

[programme@eaaflyway.net](mailto:programme@eaaflyway.net) or by fax/post to:

Programme Officer, EAAFP Secretariat

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#### Eligibility Criteria:

EAAFP Partners who plan to organise an event to celebrate World Migratory Bird Day in the following countries; **Bangladesh, Cambodia, Indonesia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Philippines, Thailand and Viet Nam** are eligible to apply. (If you are not sure, please see [the list of EAAFP Partners](#))

If you are not the focal point of EAAFP, please consult and plan with EAAFP focal point of your organisation before you apply.

#### Note:

This form is to be filled by an applicant organisation only if applicant or applicant organisation qualifies the eligibility criteria set for funding assistance under EAAFP WMBD Small Grants Programme.

For your budget planning, please note that approximately 1,000 USD will be allocated to each county. The small-scale grants will be allocated on a first come first served basis, we recommend submitting as early as possible, when it is ready.

After the Secretariat successfully receives your application, the applicant will hear application result within one or two weeks. Incomplete applications will not be processed further. **The deadline for application is Friday 6th May 2016.**

Date of Application: 28-6-2016

## Section A: The Organisation - Applicant Information

### 1. Contact information

	Name of applicant:	Mr. Pyae Phyo Aung
a	Name of the organisation:	Biodiversity And Nature Conservation Association (BANCA)
b	Name(s) of the division and/or position:	Program Manager
c	Type of the organisation - Government/NGO/Private Sector/Other - specify):	NGO
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j	Additional contact person	No.(3805),1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Tharyaraye Lane, Mayangone Township, Yangon, Myanmar.

*If there will be more than one organisation to arrange the event, please specify all above.*

## Section B: Proposed event

**1. Event Plan and Expected Outcome:**

Please tick the relevant categories of your proposed event:

Public awareness activity – local and/or national	X
Birdwatching - field trip	
Monitoring/survey – field trip	
Educational activity/lecture	
Festival	
Media Event	
Movie/video	
Others – specify	

Can you please specify your proposed event plan and expected outcome?

*Please include the following information; Title, Date, Location, Organiser and Target participants.*

**Title: World Migratory Birds Day event**

**Location: Thein Ngu village (Gulf of Mottama)**

**Organizer: BANCA**

**Target participants: community and school children**

The Gulf of Mottama is one of the famous intertidal mudflat ecosystems in the world. The Gulf is bell-shaped and has dynamic estuary ecosystems. The Gulf is one of the world's most important wintering areas for the critically endangered Spoon-billed Sandpiper, hosting probably more than half of the remaining global population. The Spoon-billed Sandpiper (*Calidris pygmaea*) is a long distance migrant, breeding in Russia and it regularly migrates more than 8,000 km passing through 14 countries and wintering in South and South-east Asia, South along the East-Asian Australasian Flyway, including major staging posts in the Yellow Sea, with approximately half of the global population is understood to winter in Myanmar. This species is categorized as globally Critically Endangered on the Red List of the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN), which is the highest category of extinction threat for any species still present in the wild. The current population decline could lead to its extinction within a decade. The population is declining by 26% per year, with a global population estimate of approximately 100 pairs. If the current rate of decline continues then the species will be extinct within a decade.

BANCA initiative Gulf of Mottama as Ramsar site since 2012 to date in collaboration of community participation. Between 2010 to date, BANCA supported for ex-bird poachers' livelihood, community developments and education awareness activities in the Gulf of Mottama.

For the migratory birds species conservation is very important with the participation of local community. BANCA highlight and open for communities' attitude, for migratory bird species conservation by forming Local Conservation Groups. Migratory bird species is not only crucial issue for birds but also important for community development for income generation (tourism development) and can be manage between habitat and site conservation by community.

BANCA will invite LCG members, community and school children to BANCA site base station at Thein Ngu village.

BANCA will carry out below the activities during the WMBD event:

- (1) Make the quiz game for the attendee (about Spoon-billed Sandpiper and chosen wintering bird species in Gulf of Mottama).
- (2) Presentation topic on WMBD events and Migratory bird species and important and significant site Gulf of Mottama.
- (3). Answer the questions section.
- (4). Award for winner prize on quiz game.

BANCA will cover for contribution Gulf of Mottama field guide books(local language), Projector and sound systems and venue cost.

## 2. Event Budget Plan:

Can you please specify budget plan of your proposed event?

Total: 1000 USD

*Please note that ideal budget scale is around 1,000 USD.*

Budget breakdown:

<b>Printing cost for Pamphlets, posters and banner</b>	<b>150USD</b>
<b>Transportation (Yangon-Mottama-Yangon)</b>	<b>100USD</b>
<b>Transportation (cost for community)</b>	<b>150USD</b>
<b>Hire cost for chairs and tables</b>	<b>70 USD</b>
<b>Refreshment for attendees (100 people)</b>	<b>450USD</b>
<b>Management cost</b>	<b>80USD</b>
<b>Others – specify</b>	<b>1000USD</b>

## Section C: The Outcome – Event Report, photos and event materials

Please submit the event report, photos and other materials to EAAFP Secretariat.

Deadline:	by 30th June
Required information:	Name of organiser, target participants, programme and outcome summary
Minimum number of words:	100 words
Submit to:	<a href="mailto:programme@eaaflyway.net">programme@eaaflyway.net</a> , Programme Officer of EAAFP Secretariat

After submitting the WMBD event report, the Secretariat also encourages you to register your event at EAAFP website (<http://www.eaaflyway.net/register-your-wmbd-activity/>) and Global WMBD website (<http://www.worldmigratorybirdday.org/register-your-event>). Your registered single event can also be included for global WMBD participation.

