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Centre for: Aquaculture & Aquatic Resources Management, Biodiversity & Bioinformatics

**Workshop on
34th AWC and 54th International Waterbird Census
(6th January to 8th January 2020)**

Venue: Department of Zoology Auditorium

Organized by-

**Centre for Animal Ecology & Wildlife Biology,
Department of Zoology, Gauhati University**

34th AWC and 54th International Waterbird Census

workshop for water bird census activities in Assam will be conducted by the **Centre for Animal ecology and wildlife biology**, Department of Zoology, Gauhati University form **6th January to 8th January 2020** (3 days programme). Interested participants are asked to submit their application to **State Coordinator, AWC, South Asia, Dr. P. K. Saikia, Prof. Animal Ecology and Wildlife Biology**, (Email: aewbworkshop@gmail.com). Department of Zoology, Gauhati University as early as possible. All communication for confirmation of participation in the programme should be done through **email or personnel contact**. No registration fees will be required for the participants and certificates will be provided for all participants after the end of 3 days programme. If required, prior requested distant Participants will be provided accommodation within training premises for two days only. All participants are requested to carry their own binoculars/GPS/ Camera if available to use during census activities.

Tentative Schedule of the Training and Workshop:

| Time | Module |
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| Day 1: 06-01-2020 | Monday |
| 10:00 hrs | Inauguration |
| 10:30 hrs | Essentials of Bird Identification-I |
| 12:00 hrs | Importance of Water Bird Census |
| 13:30 hrs | Lunch Break |
| 14:30 hrs | Essentials of Bird Identification-II |
| Day 2: 07-01-2020 | Tuesday |
| 10:00 hrs | Map the Birds: Basics of Mapping Tools |

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| 12:00 hrs | Water Bird Census Forms-I |
| 13:30 hrs | Lunch Break |
| 14:30 hrs | Water Bird Census Forms-II |
| Day 3: 08-01-2020 | Wednesday |
| 06:00 hrs | Field trip to Deepor Beel |
| Field work on bird census in the participants' own locality/ convenient sites. Participants are requested to submit their census data and report on the day 7 of the workshop. Softcopy/hard copy used during census to be submitted via e-mail/or in person. Certificates are to be collected self after completion of census. | |
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