

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

ON

Healthy Mangroves and Sustainable Fisheries for Climate Resilient Coastal Community in South Asia

01-03 March, 2023

Khulna University, Khulna, Bangladesh

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

DAY 1 01 March 2023	
08:45 – 09:30	REGISTRATION
Inaugural Session	
09:30 – 10:45	<p>National anthem of Bangladesh</p> <p>Welcome address:</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Muhammad Abdur Rouf Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University</p> <p>Address by the Special Guests:</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Abul Kalam Azad Dean, Life Science School, Khulna University</p> <p>Md Jahidul Kabir Deputy Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangladesh Forest Department, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change The People’s Republic of Bangladesh</p> <p>Kh. Mahbubul Haque Director General, Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock The People’s Republic of Bangladesh</p> <p>Address by the Chief Guest:</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Mahmood Hossain Honorable Vice-chancellor, Khulna University</p> <p>SYMPOSIUM KEYNOTE SPEECH:</p> <p style="color: #0056b3;">Caring about Mangrove Ecosystem Health is Caring about People</p> <p>Norman C Duke James Cook University TropWATER Centre, Queensland, Australia</p> <p>Speech by the Symposium Chair:</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Md. Golam Sarower Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University</p>
10:45 – 11:30	TEA BREAK
Scientific Session 1: Food security, coastal aquaculture and tidal forest nexus	



Chair: Dr. Dilip Kumar Datta Environmental Science Discipline, Khulna University		Co-Chair: Stefan Hollar Naturland, Germany	
11:30 – 13:00	Plenary Lecture Coastal Aquaculture and Mangrove Forest Nexus: State of Affairs and Future Research Needs Dr. Nazmul Ahsan Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University		
	Contributed Papers		
	The Association for Food Biodiversity	Ralph Dejas	Global Nature Fund, Germany
	Phytoplankton Community Dynamics and their Environmental Drivers in an Estuarine Mangrove Forest, Sundarbans, Bangladesh	Dr. S. M. Mustafizur Rahman	Dept. of Oceanography and Hydrography, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman Maritime University
	Contribution of Fine Root in Carbon Dynamics of the Sundarbans Mangrove Ecosystems, Bangladesh	Dr. Md. Kamruzzaman	Forestry and Wood Technology Discipline, Khulna University
	Potential Toxicity of Pesticides and its Transformation Products to Aquatic Organisms	Dr. Md. Golam Sarower	Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University
	Plastic Pollution Affects Courtship Behavior, Phenotypes and Enzymatic Activities of Male Guppy (<i>Poecilia reticulata</i>)	Dr. Sheikh Mustafizur Rahman	Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University
	Biodiversity- The New Core Area of the Development Cooperation between Bangladesh and Germany	Dr. Stefan Alfred Groenewold	GIZ, Dhaka, Bangladesh
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH BREAK		
Scientific Session 2: Sustainable aquaculture and fisheries in South Asia			



Chair: Dr. Jayati Chourey Executive Director, SasiWaters, India		Co-Chair: Dr. Muhammad Abdur Rouf FMRT Discipline, Khulna University	
14:00 -15:30	Plenary Lecture Effect of Dietary Lysine Deficiency on Nile Tilapia <i>Oreochromis niloticus</i> Production in Fertilized Ponds Dr. Marc Verdegem Wageningen University and Research, Netherlands		
	Contributed Papers		
	Synergistic Effects of Mangrove Leaf Litter and Supplemental Feed on Water Quality, Growth and Survival of Shrimp (<i>Penaeus monodon</i> , Fabricius, 1798) Postlarvae	Dr. Md. Iftakharul Alam	Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock, The People's Republic of Bangladesh
	Effect of Indigenous Probiotics on <i>Vibrio</i> Propagation and Digestive Enzyme Activity in Black Tiger Shrimp (<i>Penaeus monodon</i>)	H M Rakibul Islam	Shrimp Research Station, Bangladesh Fisheries Research Institute
	GLOBAL G.A.P. Aquaculture Standard: Certifying Safe and Responsible Farming around the World	Dr. Pham Viet Anh	GLOBALG.A.P. Germany
	Culture of Orange Mud Crab <i>Scylla olivacea</i> (Herbst, 1896): Effect of Sex Ratio and Seasons on Growth, Survival and Intactness	Dr. Md. Latiful Islam	Brackishwater Station, Bangladesh Fisheries Research Institute
	Mud Crab Fisheries in the Sundarbans Mangrove Forest of Bangladesh: Emphasis on Crab Habitat Distribution and Fishing Pattern	Dr. Md. Sherazul Islam	Department of Fisheries and Marine Bioscience, Jashore University of Science and Technology
	Sustainable Aquaculture in Mangrove Ecosystem (SAIME) in Transboundary Sundarbans: A Climate Adaptive, Ecosystem-Based Approach Ensuring Livelihood Security of Coastal Communities	Ralph Dejas	Global Nature Fund, Germany



15:30 – 16:30	Scientific Session 3: Panel discussion on ecosystem approach linking coastal livelihoods and biodiversity conservation Moderator: Panchanon Kumar Dhali, GIZ, Dhaka, Bangladesh	
16:30 – 17:30	Poster Session	
	Chair: Dr. Khandaker Anisul Huq Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University	Co- Chair: Dr. Md. Sherazul Islam Department of Fisheries and Marine Bioscience, Jashore University of Science and Technology



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Poster Session			
09:00 – 10:30	<p>Chair: Dr. Khandaker Anisul Huq Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University</p>	<p>Co- Chair: Dr. Md. Sherazul Islam Department of Fisheries and Marine Bioscience, Jashore University of Science and Technology</p>	
TEA BREAK			
Scientific Session 1: Vulnerability context and coping strategy of coastal community against climate change			
<p>Chair: Dr. Stefan Alfred Groenewold GIZ, Dhaka, Bangladesh</p>		<p>Co-Chair: Dr. Masagus Muhammad Prima Putra Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia</p>	
<p>Plenary Lecture</p> <p>Is Tidal River Management a Viable Tool for Climate Resilience in The Lower Bengal Delta?</p> <p>Dr. Dilip Kumar Datta Environmental Science Discipline, Khulna University</p>			
Contributed Papers			
11:00 – 13:00	<p>The Changes in Land Use/Land Cover during Post-polderization Period and its Impact on Occupational and Social Structure in a <i>Poldered</i> Ecosystem in the Lower Bengal Delta, Bangladesh</p>	<p>Dr. Md Mujibor Rahman</p>	<p>Environmental Science Discipline, Khulna University, Bangladesh</p>
	<p>Multi-stakeholder Approach for Promoting Locally-led Adaptations Practices and Sustainable Livelihood Options for Improving the Resilience of the Coastal Communities in South Asia: Approaches for Bangladesh</p>	<p>Sourav Bagchi Ratul</p>	<p>Bangladesh Environment Development Society (BEDS), Nirala R/A, Khulna, Bangladesh</p>



	Research for Development of science to improve livelihoods in the Bangladesh Sundarbans: How can we use?	Dr. Nora N. Devoe	Australian Center for International Agriculture Research
	The Mangrove's Afforestation Contributes an Integrated Adaptation Solution Implemented by Friendship Provides Sustainable Impact towards Climate Resilience in Bangladesh	Kazi Amdadul Hoque	Friendship NGO Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh
	One Tree Planted Journey towards a Climate resilient Shoreline	Dr. Samaddrita Roy	One Tree Planted, Asia Pacific
	Aquaculture Initiation Towards Women Empowerment	Dr. Devadhasan Vincent	CRenIEO, Tamil Nadu, India.
	Empowering the Next Generation: The Impact of the Bangladeshi Youth-Led Climate Movement on Coastal Communities	Sohanur Rahman	YouthNet for Climate Justice, Barishal
	Coastal and Marine Resources Management Issues and Capacity Development Needs for the Possible Adoption of Coastal and Marine Spatial Planning (CMSP) – Scenarios from Bangladesh and Thailand	Dr. Muhammad Abdur Rouf	Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University
	What mangrove ecosystems offer to climate change mitigation: A case study in Berau, East Kalimantan	Dr. Adi Gangga	Yayasan Konservasi Alam Nusantara, Jakarta, Indonesia
13:00 -14:00	LUNCH BREAK		



Scientific Session 2: Inclusive and equitable market and value chains development

Chair: Ajanta Dey
Nature Environment and Wildlife Society, India

Co-Chair: Thies Geertz
Global Nature Fund, Germany

Plenary Lecture

Climate Smart Artemia Pond Culture in Bangladesh

Dr. Muhammad Meezanur Rahman
WorldFish, Dhaka, Bangladesh

Contributed Papers

14:00 – 15:30

Concept of Ecovillage through Community-Based Ecotourism: A Conceptual Framework	Md. Wasiul Islam	Forestry and Wood Technology Discipline, Khulna University
The Trial and Error of Mangrove Plantation in a Reclaimed Land	Anusree Ghosh	Climate Change Programme, BRAC.
Screening of Potential Lactic Acid Bacteria Which Produced Antibacterial Substance for Future Application on Fermented Fish Product	Dr. Masagus Muhammad Prima Putra	Department of Fisheries, Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia
Health Benefits of <i>Sonneratia apetala</i> (Buch. -Ham.) Fruit	Dr. Sheikh Julfikar Hossain	Biotechnology and Genetic Engineering Discipline, Khulna University
Mangrove Ecosystem Services and Gender Relation among the Sundarbans Dependent Communities in the Coastal Polders of Bangladesh	Moin Uddin Ahmed	Solidaridad Network Asia, Bangladesh.
Ethnopharmacological Evaluation of Sundarban Plants: A Treasure of Natural Bioactive Molecules	Dr. Shaikh Jamal Uddin	Pharmacy Discipline, Khulna University
Maggot Meal as a Potential Substitute of Fish Meal Ingredient in Practical Diets of Rainbow Trout, <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	Dr. Md. Shah Alam Sarker	Bangladesh Open University, Bangladesh



15:30 - 16:30	<p>Scientific Session 3: Panel Discussion on policy options for climate resilient coastal food system in South Asia</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Md. Nazmul Ahsan, Fisheries and Marine resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University</p>
16:30 – 17:30	Closing session
	Recap and reflection
	Best poster award
	Appreciation to the session chairs
	<p>Speech by the Special Guest</p> <p>Md. Amir Hosain Chowdhury Chief Conservator of Forests, Bangladesh Forest Department Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change The People’s Republic of Bangladesh</p> <p>Speech by the Chief Guest</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Mahmood Hossain Honorable Vice-chancellor, Khulna University, Khulna</p>
	<p>Vote of Thanks</p> <p>Md. Maksudur Rahman Chief Executive, Bangladesh Environment and Development Society (BEDS)</p>
<p>Closing Speech by the Symposium Chair</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Md. Golam Sarower Fisheries and Marine Resource Technology Discipline, Khulna University</p>	