

TRAINING RESOURCES DATABASE ENTRIES

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A GUIDE FOR TRAINING IN WETLAND CONSERVATION AND WISE USE IN ASIA

Brian Gilligan

ASEAN Wetland Bureau, 1993

This publication serves as a guide for training in wetland conservation and wise use in Asia. Background information has been drawn from different sources in developing this paper. Aspects from formal teaching courses combined with the experience of the Asian Wetland Bureau are drawn together for identifying participants needs, course structure and delivery methods. This publication is valuable to individuals pursuing training in the field of wetland conservation and management.



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BIODIVERSITY MONITORING SYSTEM RESOURCE BOOK FOR TRAINERS

Nordic Agency for Development and Ecology (NORDECO) & Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), 2000
ISBN 87 986168 6 2

This resource book is a guide to protected areas staff and others who are to train protected area workers in monitoring biodiversity. It links knowledge on biodiversity and resource use to the day-to-day work of implementing the Biodiversity Monitoring System in the field. The book also informs trainers on how to prepare themselves for the training before going to the site. It is organised into 8 training modules with corre-



sponding sections. Each section describes module objectives, methodology, materials needed, additional readings and activities, and is accompanied by illustrated handouts which serve as a starting-point for discussions. A list of reference materials is provided in each module section.

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GUIDELINES FOR AID AGENCIES ON GLOBAL AND REGIONAL ASPECTS OF THE DEVELOPMENT AND PROTECTION OF THE MARINE AND COASTAL ENVIRONMENT

OECD Development Assistance Committee (DAC) 1995
ISBN: 2-8317-0544-4

This document is 8th in the 9-volume series- DAC Guidelines on Aid and Environment. It provides an overview of major issues relating to the state of the marine and coastal environment, and sets out various approaches for its protection, including institutional, managerial, economic and scientific approaches. In addition, the guidelines offer advice for aid agencies for priority activities for technical and financial assistance for a better integration of marine concerns in environment protection and development activities.

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SURVEY MANUAL FOR TROPICAL MARINE RESOURCES

S. English, C. Wilkinson, V. Baker
Australian Institute of Marine
Science, 1997

ISBN: 0-642-25953-4

This widely used manual has been developed to survey and monitor coastal resources. Application of the methods described herein produce reliable information on the current status of tropical coastal ecosystems. Covers topics on coral reefs, mangrove ecosystems, soft-bottom and seagrass communities, and coastal fisheries.

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ECOLOGICAL CENSUS TECHNIQUES: A HANDBOOK

William J. Sutherland, 1996

ISBN: 0 521 47815 4

A concise and comprehensive book that provides an overview of the most important methods on field studies in population and behavioural ecology and at all levels of conservation biology to beginners and practising professionals. Practical texts with examples outline the main techniques used by field ecologists to enumerate plants and animals. Taxonomic groups are treated separately, with detailed descriptions of appropriate census methods; their advantages, disadvantages and biases. Also included are techniques for measuring a wide range of environmental variables.

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EXPEDITION FIELD TECHNIQUES: BIRDS SURVEY

Collin Bibby, Martin Jones,
Stuart Marsden

Expedition Advisory Centre, 1998

ISBN: 0-907649-79-3

Techniques needed to obtain and analyse good quantitative bird data from the field; and the potential problems and pitfalls of such work are highlighted to help design effective surveys.

GUIDELINES FOR DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING NATIONAL WETLAND POLICIES

Compiled by: Clayton Rubec
Ramsar Convention Bureau,
ISBN 87 986168 6 2

These guidelines may prove most useful to countries making or considering a commitment to new formulations of national policy or strategies on wetlands. Sections treat in sequence the suggested steps and issues that may arise. This includes defining the purpose of such an initiative, organising a suitable process, deciding how to present the content of the policy document, and developing strategies for implementation and monitoring. Seven case studies from different countries complement these guidelines.

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MANAGING PROTECTED AREAS IN THE TROPICS

John MacKinnon, Kathy MacKinnon, Graham Child, Jim Thorsell, 1986
ISBN: 81-85019-56-8

A comprehensive reference highly recommended for protected area managers. Includes the basic concepts, policies and legal aspects, planning, and implementing management for protected areas.

HANDBOOK FOR MANGROVE AREA MANAGEMENT

Lawrence S. Hamilton (ed.), Samuel C. Snedaker (ed.)
Environment and Policy Institute
East-West Center; International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources; United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
ISBN: 0 86638 055 8

This handbook summarizes information on the range of products, benefits and services provided by the world's mangrove resources. Guidelines are provided throughout the handbook for sustainable, multiple-use management of mangrove ecosystems. The approach in this handbook is to discuss problems in mangrove area management in 4 sections that deal

with topics such as policy and planning, management at the resource level, restoration and establishment, and economic considerations in mangrove management.

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GUIDELINES FOR MOUNTAIN PROTECTED AREAS

Duncan Poore (ed.)
International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN), 1992
ISBN: 283 1701112

This booklet of general guidelines is intended for planners and managers of mountain protected areas. These guidelines are offered as a sharing of experience by 40 scientists and managers in over 30 countries. Topics in this booklet include: general criteria for the selection of mountain protected areas, preservation of biodiversity and physiographic features, transfrontier mountain protected areas, socio-economic aspects of mountain protected areas and topics on management of mountain protected areas.



GREATER THAN THE SUM OF THEIR PARTS: DESIGNING CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS TO MAXIMIZE RESULTS AND LEARNING: A PRACTICAL GUIDE FOR PROGRAM MANAGERS AND DONORS

Nick Salafsky, Richard Margoluis, WWF 1999

This guide is designed for field-based conservation and development practitioners as well as other key clients in the conservation and development community including donors and their grantees. It is about applying the principles of adaptive management at a program level- i.e. a collection of



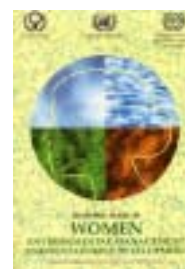
projects. It intends to spark people's examination of their own programs and how they can maximize their results and learning in order to enhance our collective knowledge. The guide is structured in 5 steps involved in developing and implementing a learning program.

TRAINING MANUAL: WOMEN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Borjana Bulajic, Martha DueñasLoza, Adelina Guastavi

This manual is designed to assist policy makers and development officials in enabling a more participative role of women in sustainable development and environmental management; comprehensive and multidisciplinary linkages between women, sustainable development and environmental aspects. It also deals with overall existing problems and presents possible solutions for usage and application in training workshops; educational and training institutions worldwide.

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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT: A TRAINING GUIDE

Norman Lee
2nd Edition
Department of Planning and Landscape 1989

This second edition of the EIA Training Guide is aimed to assist those involved in organising and teaching courses on environmental impact assessment. The guide is mainly directed to the needs of trainers who have a limited experience in EIA work. The guide provides guidance on: the nature and scope of EIA; the preparation of EIA training programmes and courses; undertaking key tasks in the EIA process; the content and method of courses and EIA literature and other sources of information.

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