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Methodist College Kuala Lumpur, Off Jalan Tun Sambanthan 4 Brickfields, 50470 Kuala Lumpur Malaysia.

Speaker 01



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Speaker



Dr Yong Ding Li Asia Advocacy and Policy Manager, Birdlife International (Asia) Singapore

Tackling a Crisis in the Neotropics: Using an Amphibian Decline Model to Identify **Factors, Mitigate Efforts, and Monitor Status**

The loss of global biodiversity has been a persistent issue for the denizens of planet Earth. This presentation will examine the 25-year crisis that has been impacting amphibians around the world and will focus on the critically endangered harlequin toads. Recent field work and data modeling from the American tropics will be explored to provide insights into the challenges and opportunities that lie at humanity's feet.

Migratory Birds and Wetlands in Southeast Asia

Malaysia is part of the East Asian-Australasian Flyway, a vast migratory corridor that links the wetlands and forests of east and southeast Asia. More than 500 species of migratory birds travel this flyway each year. However, the region is also the most populous part of the planet, and wetlands and migratory species are under pressure from every possible threat from habitat loss to hunting. In this talk, Dr. Yong Ding Li will share what we know about how different threats are impacting migratory species and what we can do to better protect them, while better managing these precious parts of our natural heritage for future generations.



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