Lake 2016: Conference on Conservation and Sustainable Management of Ecologically Sensitive Regions in Western Ghats [The 10th Biennial Lake Conference]



Purpose: 3rd day of Lake symposium is exclusively for students and teachers from Schools, Colleges and Universities. Awards will be given for best paper presentations (category wise) during Lake 2016. Workshops are being organized to train students and teachers to take active part in ecosystem mapping, inventorying and monitoring of biodiversity in the neighborhood. Study area could be the village (student/teachers respective villages). Details are available at

DOCUMENTATION OF WATER BODIES

http://wgbis.ces.iisc.ernet.in/energy/lake2014/student-corner.php

MY VILLAGE BIODIVERSITY DOCUMENTATION

http://wgbis.ces.iisc.ernet.in/energy/stc/my_village_biodiversity/index.htm

ENVIRONMENT MONITORING IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD [WORKBOOK]

http://wgbis.ces.iisc.ernet.in/energy/lake2014/teacher-student-corner/ETR77.pdf

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

Workshop – Coastal Ecosystems (9-10 th May 2016)		
Date	Time	Workshop
9 th May 2016	9 – 11 am	Inauguration and keynote talk
	11-11 30 am	Tea
9 th May 2016	11 30 – 12 30 noon	Coastal ecosystem: Overview
		- Prof. M D Subash Chandran
	12 30-1 30 noon	Inventorying and mapping of coastal ecosystem
		Biodiversity
		- Dr. Prakash Mesta
	1.30 - 230	Lunch

	2 30 – 4 PM	Exploring diversity of Crabs, Sea weed, Birds,
		Fish
		- Ganesh Shet
		- Deepthi Hebbale
		- Shrikanth Naik
		Prakash Mesta
	4 – 4 30	Tea
	4 30 – 6.30	Water & Soil Quality Monitoring
		- Deepthi Hebbale
		- Sachin Hegde
		Water & Soil Quality Monitoring
		- Hands on Training
10 th May 2016	9 – 11 00 noon	- Interactive session with the participants
	11 30 - 5 PM	Demonstration in nearby estuary

Workshop – Terrestrial Ecosystems		
11 th May 2016	9 – 11 am	Terrestrial Plants – diversity, Monitoring and
		conservation aspects
		- M D Subash Chandran
	11 -11 30	Tea
	11 30 – 12 30	Mapping Natural resources (at Village level)
		- Prakash Mesta
	12 30 – 1 30	Inventorying, mapping of terrestrial
		biodiversity
		- Akhil
		- Vishnu D. Mukri
	1 30 – 2 30	Lunch
	2 30 - 3 30	Mapping – Q GIS
		- Prakash Mesta
	3 30 – 4	GPS
		- Akhil
	4 – 4 30	Tea
	4 30 – 6 30	Interactive session with the participants
12 th May 2016	9 am - 6 pm	Demonstration in nearby forests

	Workshop – Wetland E	cosystems (12-14 th May 2016)
12 th May 2016	9 am – 11 am	Algae – diversity: Insights
•		Durga Madhab Mahapatra
	11-11 30 am	Tea
	11 30- 1 30	Water quality monitoring: need
		Physical and chemical parameters:
		Asulabha and Sincy
	1 30 – 2 30	Lunch
	2 30- 330	Macrophytes in aquatic ecosystems –
		Sudarshan Bhat
	3 30 – 4	Zooplankton - Sincy
	4 – 4 30 pm	Tea
	4 30 – 6 30	Soil nutrients assessment – Sachin Hegde
13 th May 2016	9-11 am	Avian diversity – Harish R Bhat
	11 – 11 30 am	Tea
	11 30-1 30 noon	Water quality monitoring
		- Asulabha, Sincy, Sudatsan Bhat (demo)
	1 30- 2 30 pm	Lunch
	2 30 – 4 pm	Identification of Algae
		 – Durga Madhab Mahapatra
	4- 4 30 pm	Tea
	4 30 – 5 30 pm	Identification of Macrophytes
		– Sudarshan Bhat
		Identification of Zooplanktons
		- Sincy
	5 30- 6 30	Catchment Mapping and hydrology – Vinay
14 th May 2016	9 – 4 30 pm	Field Research – nearby water body

Workshop- Open 2016	Source GIS (Engineering (College Faculty and Students) – 12 to 14 th May
12 th May 2016	9- 11 am	GIS and Remote Sensing: Principle and
		Applications
	11 11 30 am	Tea
	11 30- 130	Open source GIS – Overview
		- Bharath H Aithal
	1 30- 2 30	Lunch
	2 30- 4	Vector Data and analysis – QGIS
		- Bharath Settur
	4 – 4 30	Tea
	4 30- 6 30	Q GIS training
		- Bharath H Aithal
		- Bharath Settur
		- Vinay S
13 May 2016	9 – 11 AM	Creating Vector Data
•		Using GPS
		Bhuvan/Google Earth
		- Bharath H Aithal, Vinay S, Bharath
		Settur
	11 – 11 30 AM	Tea
	11 30- 1 30 noon	Catchment Mapping (Netravathi)
		- Vinay
	1 30- 2 30	Lunch
	2 30- 4	Raster Data and analysis – GRASS
		Bharath H Aithal
	4 – 4 30 PM	Tea
	4 306 30	GRASS Training
		- Bharath H Aithal
		- Bharath Settur
		- Vinay S
14 May 2016	9-6 30	Collecting spatial data from field and analysis
·		- Bharath H Aithal
		- Bharath Settur
		- Vinay

Lake 2016 Organising Committee Meeting

14 th May 2016	4 30- 6 30 PM	Discussion about Lake 2016 – organising the
		event and discussion regarding the role of
		members

Note:

- 1. Participants Teaching Faculty and Select Students
- 2. For each workshop faculty participants are to be selected (based on the faculty's interest and also willingness to guide students)
- 3. Participants could be from nearby education institutions (in addition to ALVA's)
- 4. Participants of these workshops will form mentors for students who take up studies at village level (respective student's village)
- 5. Students who collect field data, analyse and present during district level competitions will be short listed for Lake 2016
- 6. Concluding day of Lake 2016 is for the finalists of these competitions. Best student, teacher presentations will be given awards SAHYADRI 2016
- 7. No plastic use during the event (for food, etc.)