

5th Asia Environment Lecture 2017—Birds, Humans and our Sustainable Future

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Speaker: Ms Patricia Zurita
Chief Executive Officer of BirdLife International

Auditorium, Level 3, Blk B, NUS Faculty of Law (Bukit Timah Campus)
469G Bukit Timah Road, Singapore 259776
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5.00 pm to 7.30 pm (Registration starts at 4.30 pm)

About the Lecture

Globalisation has made the world a smaller place. But today, we find our world gradually drifting apart again with walls and chasms dividing us. The result is a world that is becoming a lot more nationalistic and insular, and a lot less together—and that will have dire consequences for the health of our planet. The often self-inflicted threats we face are collective, and their resolution can only be achieved through concerted action across national borders and cross-learning.

In this lecture, BirdLife CEO Patricia Zurita discusses how birds and their flyways show us a common path to conservation and peace, and explains the critical role local action (underpinned by strong science) in support of a collective global agenda will enable us to better address the environmental challenges of our time, and help build lasting bonds between peoples based on shared heritage, human empathy and a collective vision of the future.

About the Speaker

Patricia Zurita is the Chief Executive Officer of BirdLife International, the world's largest nature conservation partnership, bringing together 120 organizations worldwide. BirdLife is driven by the belief that people, working for nature locally, but connected nationally and internationally through a global partnership can deliver high impact and long-term conservation for the benefit of nature and people.

Please visit tinyurl.com/AELregistration to register for the lecture. Entrance to the lecture is complimentary, and registration closes on 27 Oct 2017.

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