

CALL FOR PAPERS

"Biodiversity, Biogeography and Nature Conservation in Wallacea and New Guinea", volume 2

Dear Colleague,

the first volume of the "Biodiversity, Biogeography and Nature Conservation in Wallacea and New Guinea" (ISBN 978-9984-9768-4-6) was published just six months ago. This volume achieved its main goals and has been well received by both scientific community and the general public.

We invite authors to submit original research papers for inclusion in a second volume of the book series "**Biodiversity, Biogeography and Nature Conservation in Wallacea and New Guinea**". This book series is dedicated to the taxonomy and systematic of plants and animals, as well as biogeographical, ecological, evolutionary and conservational issues of the region of Indo-Australian transition. The volumes are to be published on a regular basis every 2-3 years. We welcome survey and review papers from senior researchers and scientists. All manuscripts will be peer reviewed.

Volume 2 will be published in 2013 in time for the 100th anniversary of Alfred Russel Wallace's death.

Contributors from zoology and botany (in broad sense), as well as ecology, biogeography, evolution and nature conservation are welcome. Terrestrial, freshwater and marine ecosystems will be covered. Contributors from the countries of Indonesia, the Philippines, Solomon Islands and East Timor are especially welcome in order to raise the level of local input.

The main geographical focus of the current issue includes Sulawesi, Lesser Sunda Islands (also known as Nusa Tenggara), the Moluccas, New Guinea (including all surrounding islands and island groups), the Solomon Islands, and the Philippines. Biogeographically, this area is commonly known as Wallacea and the Papuan region. Revisional works may also cover wider geographical regions with main focus on above mentioned area.

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