



香港濕地保育協會  
Hong Kong Wetlands Conservation Association

# Wetland Enhancement, Design and Management Workshop

25 October 2019 (Friday)

**Time** 10:00 - 17:00  
Seminar 10:00 – 13:15  
Field Visit 14:30 – 17:00

**Venue** Hong Kong Wetland Park



## Seminar

### Presentation Title and Speaker:

- *Wetland Management in Hong Kong Wetland Park*  
Mr. Nelson So, *Wetland Park Manager (Reserve), Hong Kong Wetland Park*
- *The design, enhancement and management of mitigation wetlands in the Deep Bay Area*  
Mr. Paul Leader, *Director, AEC Ltd.*
- *Management of restored ponds with well vegetated banks at Wo Shang Wai – The first private wetland in Hong Kong*  
Mr. Wong Lun-cheong, *In-house Ecologist, Wo Shang Wai wetland*
- *Urban oasis – from industrial to natural – taking nature to the people*  
Dr. Martin Spray, *Chief Executive, Wildfowl & Wetlands Trust (WWT)*

## Field Visit

- Hong Kong Wetland Park staff will introduce the design and management of different wetland habitats in the Park.

**Workshop Fee** HK\$200 (including entrance fee)

**Registration Link** [http://bit.ly/HKWCA\\_workshop2019](http://bit.ly/HKWCA_workshop2019)

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## Biography of Speakers



**Mr. Nelson So** *Wetland Park Manager (Reserve), Hong Kong Wetland Park*

Nelson, graduated from the University of Hong Kong with a MSc on Environmental Management, is currently working in Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department as Wetland Park Manager (Reserve) in Hong Kong Wetland Park since 2017. He is responsible for management of habitats in Hong Kong Wetland Park and supervising monitoring programmes of various plant and animal groups as well as the water quality of wetlands within the Park.

He previously worked in Fung Yuen Butterfly Reserve of Environmental Association as Assistant Project Manager during 2010-2016, and was involved in various conservation, education and research programmes on butterflies including the "Southeast Asia Danainae Migration Research" in cooperation with experts from Japan and Taiwan.

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**Mr. Paul Leader** *Director, AEC Ltd.*

Paul is an avifauna specialist with particular experience of Ecological Impact Assessment, wetland design and management and ecological monitoring. Paul has worked on numerous EIAs and a number of wetland design and implementation. He is a co-author of the "The Avifauna of Hong Kong"; and "Ecology of the Birds of Hong Kong". Paul is currently a member of the World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF) Mai Po Nature Reserve Management Committee (since 2006) and a member of the Hong Kong Birdwatching Society Records Committee.

Paul has been a director of AEC Ltd, the largest ecological consultancy company in Hong Kong, since its inception in 1999.



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**Mr. Wong Lun-cheong, Captain** *In-house Ecologist, Wo Shang Wai wetland*

Captain is an in-house ecologist of the privately owned wetland -Wo Shang Wai. He has involved in the management since its establishment in 2010. Prior to this challenging task, he studied local Ardeids in the late 1990s as his master degree topic, and was one of the editors of a book "Ecology of the Birds of Hong Kong" when he worked in an environmental NGO in the last decade.

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**Dr. Martin Spray** *Chief Executive, Wildfowl & Wetlands Trust (WWT)*

Martin has been the Chief Executive of the Wildfowl & Wetlands Trust (WWT) since 2004. WWT is the leading UK NGO specialising in the conservation of wetlands across the world for wildlife and people. It manages 10 wetland centres, 6 Ramsar sites, and has over 200,000 members, a staff of 600 and over 1,000 volunteers. His career has spanned public, business and not for profit sectors. In 1988 he joined the conservation world with WWF UK and then to a local Wildlife Trust as its first Chief Executive. Prior to moving to WWT he was seconded to the Royal Society of Wildlife Trusts, the coordinating organisation for 47 Wildlife Trusts, for a year as its Chief Executive to steer it through a period of substantial change. Past roles have included various board chair and member roles.



He is currently a member the IUCN UK Committee, Greener UK, the Management Committee of the East Asian Australasian Flyway Partnership and chairman of its Strategic Planning Task Force, Chair of WWT Consulting, and Chair of Wildlife & Countryside Link, a UK consortium organisation of 48 NGOs. Martin was awarded the CBE by HM The Queen in 2013 for services to nature conservation. The same year he received an Honorary Doctor of Science from the University of Roehampton.