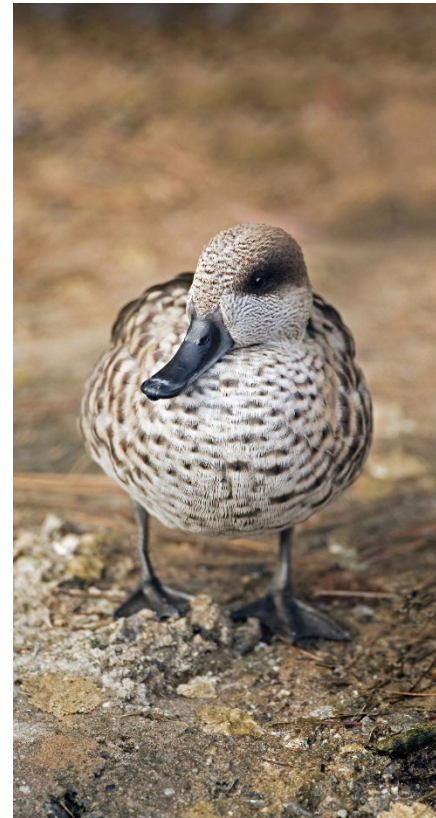




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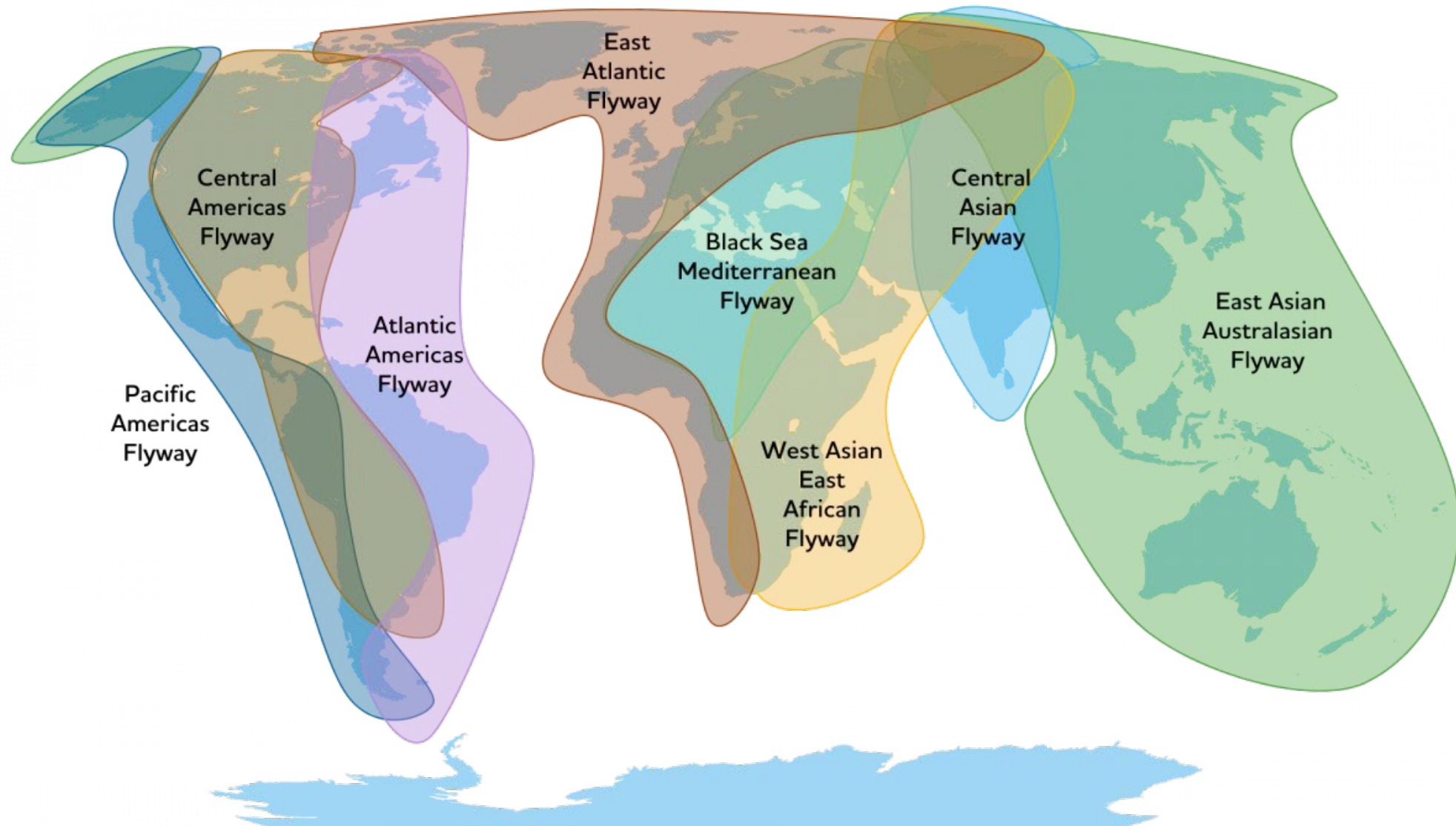
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Mongolia's position in major flyways



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Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal	1994
Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)	1996
United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD)	1997
Ramsar Convention on Wetlands	1998
Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS)	1999
Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer	1999
Beijing Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer	2001
Kyoto Protocol to the UNFCCC	2003
Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to the CBD	2003
Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	2004
Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the CBD	2015
Agreement on the Conservation of African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbirds (AEWA)	2015
Paris Agreement on Climate Change	2016
Minamata Convention on Mercury	2018

Mongolia's key international frameworks covering migratory birds in CAF

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Agreement on the Conservation of African-Eurasian Migratory Waterbirds (AEWA) signed in 2005 and	2015
CMS Raptors MOU	2008
National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (NBSAP) (2013-2022) National Action Plan for the Conservation of the Snow Leopard (2016-2025) Law on Fauna (amended in 2016) National Protected Areas System Plan (2010-2020) National Forest Policy (2006) National Environmental Policy (2000)	

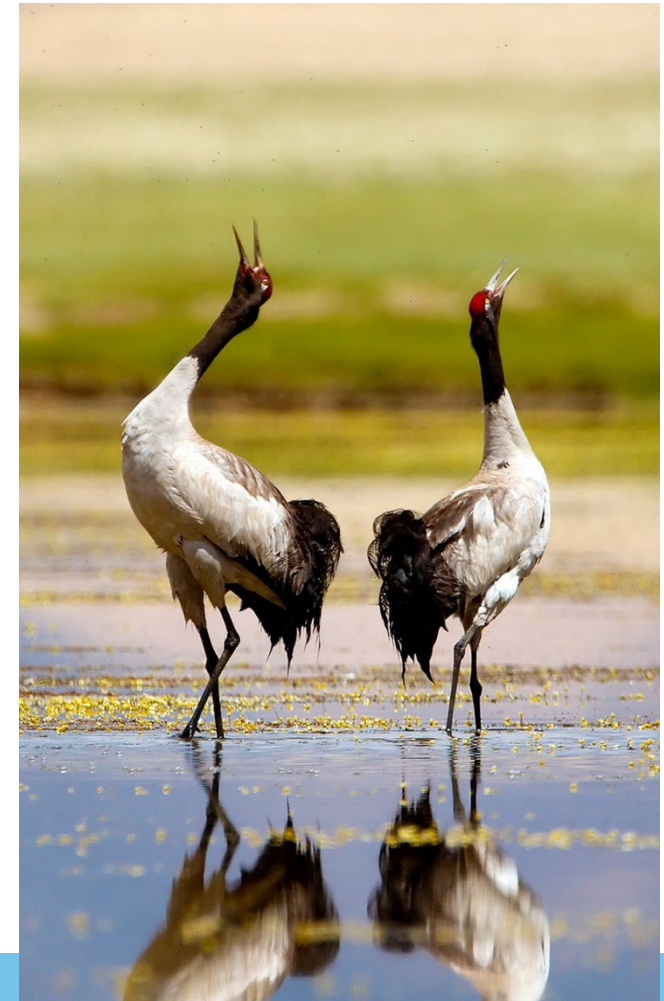
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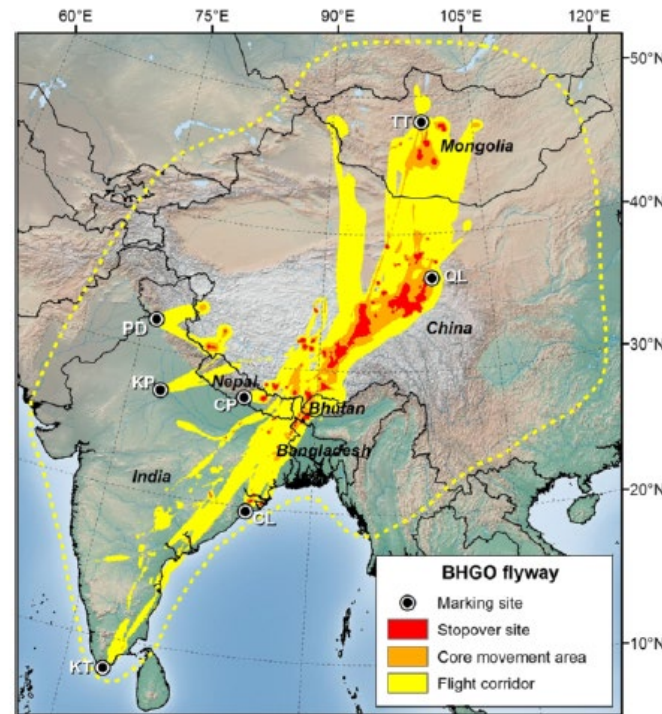
Mongolia also has bi- and trilateral agreements with China and Russia on transboundary conservation issues for threatened species and landscapes. Migratory birds in CAF also benefit from these actions.

Actions needed within the framework of CAF

- Continue improving the governmental policies and regulations towards conservation and sustainable management of wetlands
- Strengthen the protected area system and their management capacity at key CAF sites
- Promote CAF and its partnership approach within the public awareness programs on migratory birds and their habitats
- Develop monitoring system for migratory and breeding waterbirds and key wetlands, including wintering sites;
- Improve legal framework to manage waterfall hunting and saker falcon trade
- Update and improve the inventory of the Important Bird and Biodiversity Areas
- Organize regular monitoring of migratory land birds at key sites
- Develop national regulations and institutional framework for the preparedness and response to avian influenza and other infectious diseases outbreaks



Identify migration routes and key stopover sites



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Migratory connectivity of Pallas's Fish Eagle populations in Asia

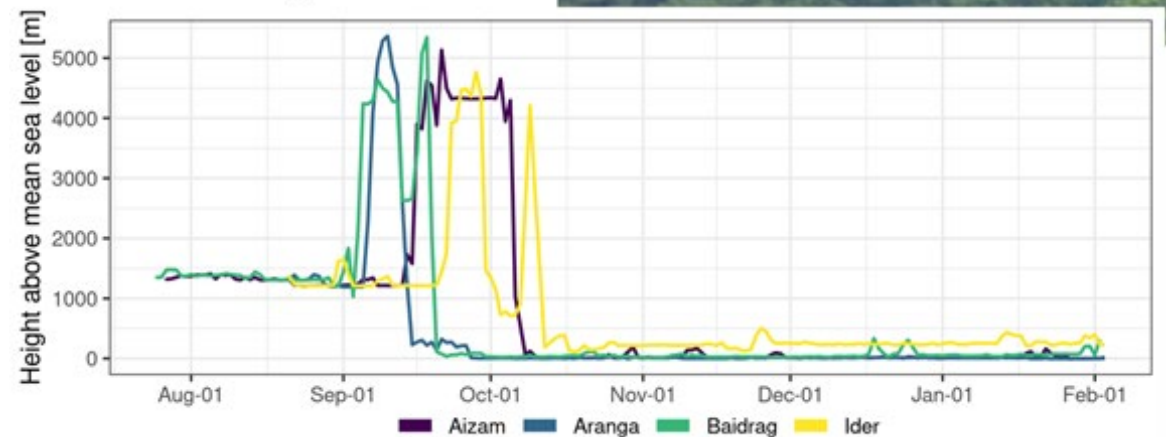
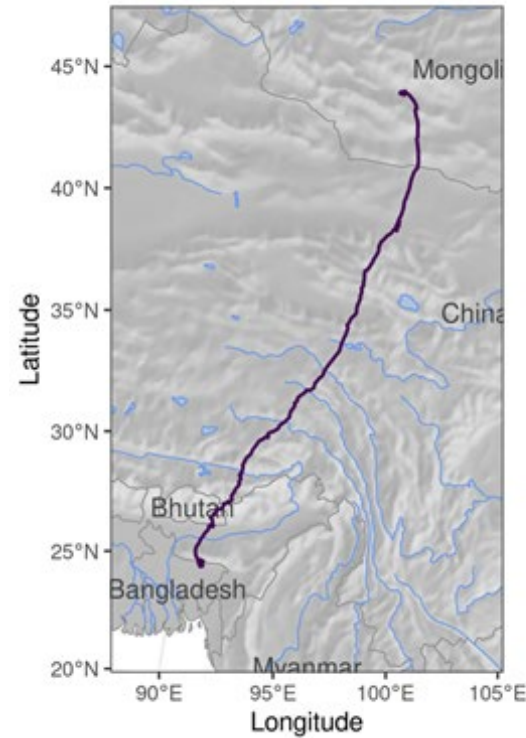
An iconic migratory large eagle in CAF

Limited breeding range

Summer in northern countries, most notably Mongolia

Very little is known about its ecology and conservation needs

GPS tracking reveals that the species is highly dependent on selected wetlands in both breeding and non-breeding periods



Countries need to work together – a case of Demoiselle cranes in CAF

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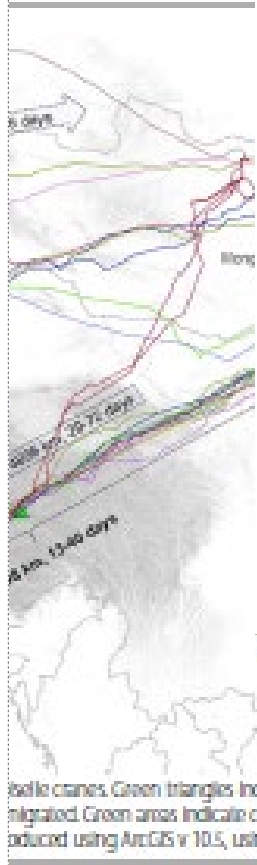
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Demoiselle cranes. Green triangles indicate two mountain ranges through which the cranes migrated. Green areas indicate commonly used staging sites, and grey shaded areas indicate the migration routes. Produced using ArcGIS v 10.5, using WGS 1984 World Mercator projection.

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सात समन्दर पार कर प्रतिवर्ष शीतकालीन प्रवास पर आने वाले मेड़मान पक्षी कुरजा के पड़ाव स्थल खींचन में पक्षियों की जान पर खतरा बरकरार है।

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फलोदी. रेस्क्यू सेंटर में बीमार कुरजा का उपचार करती मेडिकल टीम।

मेडिकल टीम पहुंची रेस्क्यू सेंटर, किया उपचार

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पक्षी प्रेमी सेवाराम माली ने बताया कि बुधवार को भी बीमार पक्षियों के मिलने का सिलसिला जारी है। आज पक्षी चुग्याघर में 2, किजसागर में 1 तथा गोदवली मार्ग पर 1 बीमार कुरजा मिली। जो अपने समूहों में उड़ते हुए नीचे गिर गई थी।

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Movement Ecology

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Background: Although some migratory birds may take different routes during their outbound and inbound migration, the factors causing these differential migrations to and from the breeding grounds, have rarely been investigated. In Northeast Asia, Demoiselle crane (*Anthropoides vigo*) performs one of the most extreme "loop" migrations known to date. During outbound migration, they cross the Himalayas to non-breeding sites in north west India. Contrastingly, during inbound migration to the breeding grounds, they fly around the western end of the Himalayas. We hypothesise that differences in prevailing environmental conditions aloft and/or on-ground during both seasonal migrations are at the core of this phenomenon.

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