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Room: Tongkah 2**Monday, 29 July 2019****Parallel Session: Old World Fruit Bat Ecology and Conservation****Chair: Tammy Mildenstein, Cornell College****Co-chair: Sheema Abdul Aziz, Rimba**

10.40 - 10.55	AO14-104	Bats and Typhoons: What Do Stronger and More Frequent Storms Mean for Large Fruit Bats?
		Tammy Mildenstein
		Cornell College, USA
10.55 - 11.10	AO14-103	Extreme Nomadism of Fruit bats Poses Key Challenges for Management and Conservation
		Justin Arno Welbergen
		Western Sydney University, Australia
11.10 - 11.25	AO14-108	Managing human/flying-fox conflict in Australia
		Emily Sara Hatfield
		Ecosure Pty Ltd, Australia
11.25 - 11.40	AO14-109	How to Get an Endangered Ecological Keystone Flying Fox Species Mass-Culled: the Mauritius Example
		F. B. Vincent Florens
		Tropical Island Biodiversity, Ecology and Conservation Pole of Research, University of Mauritius, Mauritius
11.40 - 11.55	AO14-110	Bats roles in pollination networks were driven by plantation and urban landscape
		Tuanjit Sritongchuay
		Xishuangbanna Tropical Botanical Garden, CAS, China/Thailand
11.55 - 12.10	AO10-107	Severe decline in <i>Pteropus</i> spp. sightings across peninsular Malaysia - an effect of intense hunting and persecution?
		Sheema Abdul Aziz
		Rimba, Malaysia
12.10 - 12.25	AO14-105	Fruit bats in Singapore – What have they done for us lately?
		Joanna Louise Coleman
		National University of Singapore, Singapore
12.25 - 12.40	AO14-107	Distributional Ecology of <i>Pteropus lylei</i>: Conservation Implications for Vulnerable and Disease Reservoir Species
		Aingorn Chaiyes
		Kasetsart University, Thailand

12.40 - 13.45 Lunch & Poster

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13.45 - 14.00	AO5-127	Body-size dependent foraging strategies in the Christmas Island flying-fox (<i>Pteropus natalis</i>): implications for seed and pollen dispersal within a threatened island ecosystem
		Christopher M. Todd
		Western Sydney University, Australia
14.00 - 14.15	AO3-126	The impact of the Endangered Mauritian flying fox <i>Pteropus niger</i> on commercial fruit farms and the efficacy of mitigation methods
		Ryszard Z. Oleksy
		Ecosystem Restoration Alliance Indian Ocean, Mauritius

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14.15 - 14.30	AO13-100	Education and sensitization of Mauritians to conserve the Mauritius fruit bats, <i>Pteropus niger</i> Yogishah Bunsy Ecosystem Restoration Alliance Indian Ocean, Mauritius
14.30 - 14.45	AO14-101	Using GPS Tracking Research for Applied Conservation in Livingstone's Fruit Bats Isabella Mandl NGO Dahari, Austria
14.45 - 15.00	AO14-111	From Genes to Ecosystem: Fruit bats and their diet in a lowland forest in the Philippines Mariano Roy Martin Duya University of the Philippines Diliman, Philippines
15.00 - 15.15	AO3-116	Conflicts Between <i>Pteropus dasymallus</i> and Tankan Orange Farmers in Northern Okinawa Island Weerach Charerntantanakul Kyoto University, Japan/Thailand
15.15 - 15.30	AO3-111	Monitoring two flying-fox hunted species: trends, population sizes and harvesting rates in New Caledonia, South Pacific Malik Oedin Université de la Nouvelle Calédonie, New Caledonia
15.30 - 15.45	AO5-177	Impacts of an Invasive Ant Species on Roosting Behaviour of an Island Endemic Flying-fox Annabel Dorrestein Western Sydney University, Australia
15.45 - 16.05	Refreshment & Poster session	
Parallel Session: Conservation		
Chair: Jon Flanders, Bat Conservation International		
Co-chair: Cullen Geiselman, Bat Conservation International		
16.05 - 16.20	AO3-134	Conservation of Forest Bats in Rwanda Jon Flanders Bat Conservation International, USA
16.20 - 16.35	AO3-137	Human knowledge and perceptions of bats - a pilot study in Singapore Joanna Louise Coleman National University of Singapore, Singapore
16.35 - 16.50	AO3-107	Can Humans and Bats Coexist? Farmers' knowledge and attitudes toward bats in Belize Mallory Tate University of Tennessee, USA
16.50 - 17.05	AO5-171	Bat Eco-Interactions Database Cullen Geiselman Bat Conservation International, USA