



## WEBINAR SERIES 4

**Lessons from the Field -  
Success Stories of Mitigation  
Measures in Maintaining and  
Enhancing Connectivity and  
Concluding Session -Summing  
up of the Webinar Series with  
Key Takeaways**

**10 Feb 2022**

11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Philippines (GMT+8)

8:30-10 a.m. India (GMT+5:30)

This webinar shares established best practices, recommendations, and principles with real life successful examples of mitigation measures by wildlife biologists. The series concludes with key takeaways from panel of experts on the field of green linear infrastructure.

An enriching dialogue among stakeholders on how to build capacity for conserving and managing natural capital during planning and implementation of transportation projects. We learn about the real-life examples and case studies that showcase the positive effects of green linear infrastructure on biodiversity. We also get a glimpse into the science and work that goes behind building the world's largest mitigation measures in India. Our experts bring forth the administrative capacity constraints in planning green transportation project as it remains one of the biggest challenges for avoiding and mitigating potential impacts of road, rail and other transport infrastructure. Finally, the way forward - to enable mainstreaming of conservation issues and biodiversity concerns into the decision-making process of transportation projects. The objective is to build capacity for a range of stakeholders in harmonizing conservation and development, and retrofitting and investing in nature-based infrastructure development.

## MODERATOR



**MALVIKA ONIAL**

Scientist D, Animal Ecology  
& Conservation Biology and  
Associate Nodal Officer,  
Environmental Impact  
Assessment Cell, Wildlife  
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**11-11:05 a.m. Opening Remarks**



**JAMIE LEATHER**

Chief of Transport Sector Group,  
Sustainable Development and  
Climate Change Department,  
Asian Development Bank

**11:05 a.m.-12:05 p.m.**

**Success Stories of Mitigation Measures  
in Greening Transportations Projects**

**Status of Linear Infrastructure  
Safeguard Capacity in Asia** (15 mins)



**ROB AMENT**

Senior Conservationist,  
Center for Large  
Landscape Conservation,  
Bozeman, MT, USA

**Implementation Challenges:  
Learnings and Experiences** (10 mins)



**DHANANJAI  
MOHAN**

Director,  
Wildlife Institute of India

**Case Studies and Key Learning:  
Canada and Nepal Projects** (15 mins)



**TONY CLEVENGER**

Senior Research Scientist,  
Western Transportation  
Institute, Montana State  
University, Bozeman, MT,  
USA

**Miles to go...Ways Forward:  
Strengthening Initiatives in Different  
Sectors** (10 mins)



**V.B. MATHUR**

Chairperson,  
National Biodiversity  
Authority, India

**World's Largest Mitigation Measures in India** (10 mins)



**BILAL HABIB**

Scientist-E & Head of Animal Ecology  
and Conservation Biology,  
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**12:05-12:25 p.m.**

**Interactive Session: Ask the Panel of Experts**

**12:25-12:30 p.m.**

**Summary of the Series and Closing Remarks**



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