AMBI – African Eurasian Flyway (AFEU)

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Objectives

- Objective 1: Secure intertidal non-breeding habitat of Arctic waders in Bijagos Archipelago, Guinea- Bissau.
- Objective 2: Support measures under the AEWA Lesser White-fronted Goose (LWFG) International Working Group (IWG) to prevent illegal killing of Lesser White-fronted Geese.



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- Objective 3: Increase quality and quantity of population assessment data of Arctic breeding waders in the African-Eurasian Flyway.
- Objective 4: Improve management of wader sites throughout the African-Eurasian flyway.



Priority species

- Black-tailed godwit (Limosa limosa)
- Bar-tailed godwit (Limosa lapponica)
- Lesser White-fronted Goose (Anser erytrhopus)
- Dunlin (Calidris alpina)
- Red knot (Calidris canutus)



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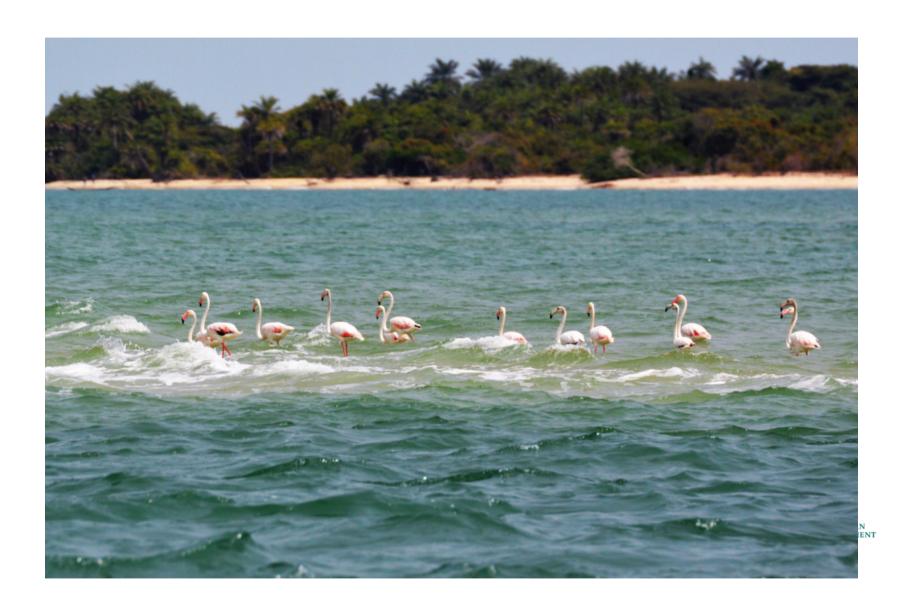
- Action 1: Share experience on World Heritage nomination
- Action 2: Strengthen international recognition of the site
- Action 3: Coordination of the implementation of the Bijagos component of the AMBI workplan









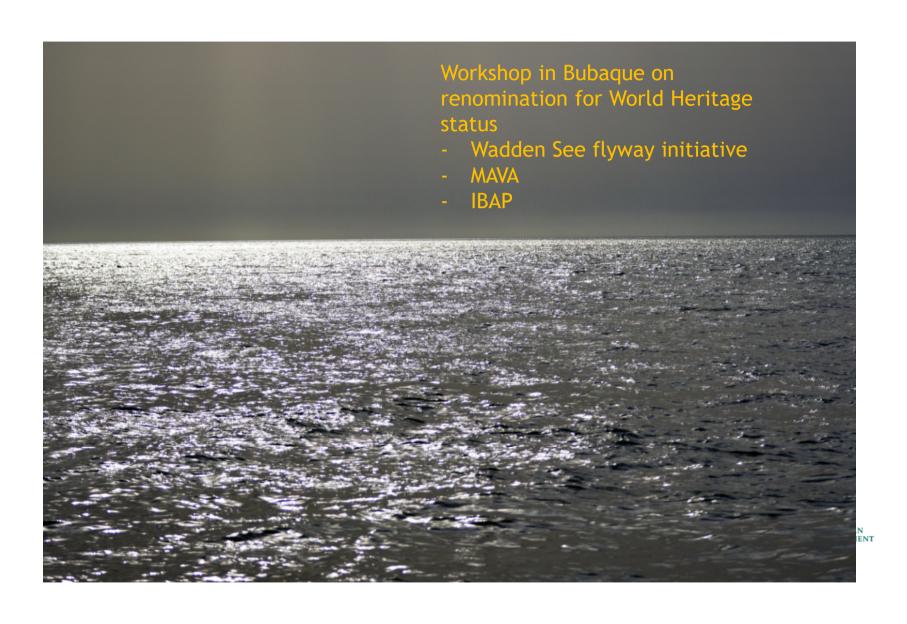






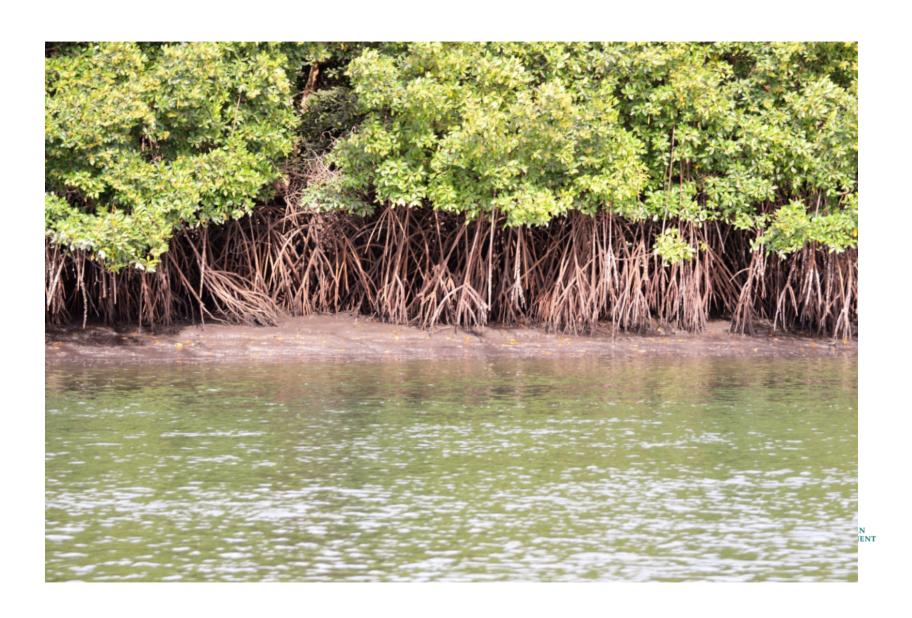
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- Support renomination for World Heritage status by identification of actions where AMBI can provide added value
- Highlight the Bijagos as an inclusive part of the life cycle for Arctic migrating waders and therefore as areas of vital interest for the Arctic biosphere
- **Invite** Arctic countries and observer countries to support the efforts to secure the important wintering habitat in the Bijagos,
 - by political and diplomatic cooperation
 - by regulations on exploitation and polluting activities caused by the countries own businesses
 - by expertise
 - and by neccesary funding





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