

## Bangladesh Delta Bulletin 19

This quarterly newsletter contains short messages, news and announcements, with the objective to share knowledge and experience related to **adaptive delta management** and the implementation of the Bangladesh Delta Plan. Delta Alliance initially started it. The Delta Bulletin Editorial Team **welcomes contributions**. In this 1<sup>st</sup> bulletin of year 6 you will find messages about various recent events and trainings, news on recent papers and about upcoming meetings. Thanks to all who contributed to this bulletin!

### 1. Sustainable development:

The 7th UIU-International Conference on Sustainable Development (ICSD7) was held on 19th and 20th February 2024 at UIU Campus. ICSD created a research-based knowledge-sharing platform to inform Policy decisions towards attaining the challenges of sustainable development at national, regional and international levels. For more details [click here](#).

### 2. Gobeshona Session on Universities role in Capacity Building:

A session was held at Gobeshona Global Conference 4 to discuss 'Bridging the Gap: Universities role in capacity building for climate action and evidence-based policy making' The importance of capacity building, research, and collaboration was highlighted in this session to create a sustainable future. For watching the whole session please [click here](#).

### 3. Gobeshona Session on Securing the Food Systems of Asian Mega-Deltas:

Experts from around the world participated in the sessions of the CGIAR Initiative on Asian Mega-Deltas at Gobeshona Global Conference 4. The topic of discussion during this session was securing the food systems of Asian mega-deltas for climate and livelihood resilience. Here is the [link](#) of the session.

### 4. CGIAR Initiative on Asian Mega-Deltas, Annual Meeting / Delta Talks Live:

To strengthen its strategy, cooperation, and results management, the CGIAR Initiative on Asian Mega-Deltas (AMD) held its Annual

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Meeting in Dhaka from 27 to 29 February 2024. Please [click here](#) for details.

### 5. ADM-LAB:

Dutch Embassy in Dhaka and NWO have initiated a new living lab research program - [ADM-LAB](#). A research call will be on air very soon.

### 6. Training program on Numerical Modelling and GIS Mapping:

IWM organized training on Numerical Modelling and GIS Mapping for BWDB Officials in c/w Flood & Riverbank Erosion Risk Management Investment Program (FRERMIP) Project-2 during 21 - 25 January 2024. According to the participants, the training program was highly beneficial to them as it included lot of case studies, real-life examples and a special practical session.

### Recent papers/books:

- Report on "Preserving Assets - Operation and Maintenance in Delta's" Prepared by MetaMeta and IWFM BUET. ([link](#))
- The status of implemented climate smart agriculture practices preferred by farmers of haor area as a climate resilient approach. Umama Begum Ruba, Mohammad Samiul Ahsan Talucder, Md Nowshad Zaman, Sidratul Montaha, Mst Farzana Afroz Tumpa, Md Abdul Kader Duel, Ruma Saha Puja, Adiba Hosain Triza ([link](#)).
- The performance of Climate Information Service in delivering scientific, local, and hybrid weather forecasts: A study case in Bangladesh. Samuel J. Sutanto, Spyridon Paparrizos, Uthpal Kumar, Dilip K. Datta, Fulco Ludwig ([link](#)).

### Agenda/Events

- Delta Talks Live – contact Prof Hamidul Huq ([hamidulhuq@idss.uiu.ac.bd](mailto:hamidulhuq@idss.uiu.ac.bd)).

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