

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 actively cooperates with various projects and programmes and **welcomes contributions**.

In this 2nd 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. 5 years of Bangladesh Delta Bulletin:

The first Bangladesh Delta Bulletin was published on 9th May 2019. All Delta Bulletins are available on [Delta Forum Website](#).

2. Open for Proposals: Call on Adaptive Delta Management in Bangladesh:

The Dutch Scientific Research Agenda (NWA) has opened a new call for proposals regarding societal and environmental research. For details please [click here](#).

3. The Embassy of the Netherlands in Bangladesh and BEZA sign an MoU:

To work together in the field of industrial waste water and solid waste management and achieve the related goals set out in the BDP 2100 and MoU was signed. For details [click here](#).

4. Cyclone Remal:

Severe Cyclone Remal - 26th May. Lot of damage. Highest wind speed recorded was 111 kph in Patuakhali. Overview of info on the wiki page: [link](#).

5. Dhaka North City Corporation (DNCC) built international partnership for solving the draining problem in Dhaka:

DNCC signed a MOU with a Dutch Water Consortium for piloting Climate Resilient, Nature Based and Clean Storm Water Drainage for Dhaka. The aim is to contribute, through the development of this project, to a healthy, climate resilient, sustainable and liveable city. For more [click here](#).

6. Salinity intrusion:

WUR PhD thesis defence of Md Isfatuzzaman Bhuyan : Salt intrusion and adaptation in the south central coastal zones of Bangladesh under

changing climate. Registration for online defence, 3 June 2024, link [here](#) .

7. Intersectionality & climate change.

Nuffic Training at JUST/BRUR on SRHR, intersectionality and climate change. More information [link](#)

Recent papers/books:

- *Can information constraints explain the low efficiency in premium quality rice cultivation? Evidence from smallholder farmers in Bangladesh.* Christoph Kubitz, Prakashan Chellattan Veetil, Ishika Gupta, Timothy J. Krupnik. ([link](#))
- *What drives changes in surface water salinity in coastal Bangladesh?* Md Izazul Haq, Mohammad Shamsudduha, Anwar Zahid, Kazi Matin Ahmed, A. S. M. Maksud Kamal, Richard G. Taylor. ([link](#))
- *Three Decades of River Bank Erosion and Accretion Appraisal along Bank Line Shifting Trend in a Transboundary River, Teesta Floodplain of Bangladesh.* Masud Parvej, Kazi Mohammad Masum, Md. Sahinur Islam Fahim, Mohammad Redowan. ([link](#)).
- *Water supply sustainability and challenges in Asian megadeltas under global change* (editorial). Mohammad Shamsudduha, Soumendra N. Bhanja, Sara Nowreen. ([link](#))
- *Water management to address salinity in agriculture in Bangladesh: Research document.* Catharien Terwisscha van Scheltinga, Md Feroz Islam, & Judit Snelthage, Mar 2024, RVO / Wageningen Environmental Research. 41 p. ([link](#))

Agenda:

- Tree & Environment Fair at Sher-e-Bangla Nagar, 5-11 June, Tree Fair continuing for 1 month.

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