

Project Update: September 2016

We started our project at the end of April 2016. Our aim was to visit the most important reedbeds of Albania and do a research about the quality of them. We have spent 14 days in the field and we have managed to research seven reedbeds. The research was to collect data and information about the status and quality of the reedbeds and to do ornithological and faunistical surveys . We have also taken samples of the water from the reedbeds. These samples have been analysed in the Eötvös József College, Baja. The datas of the analysis will be used in a thesis work of our member, Gergely Lőrincz.

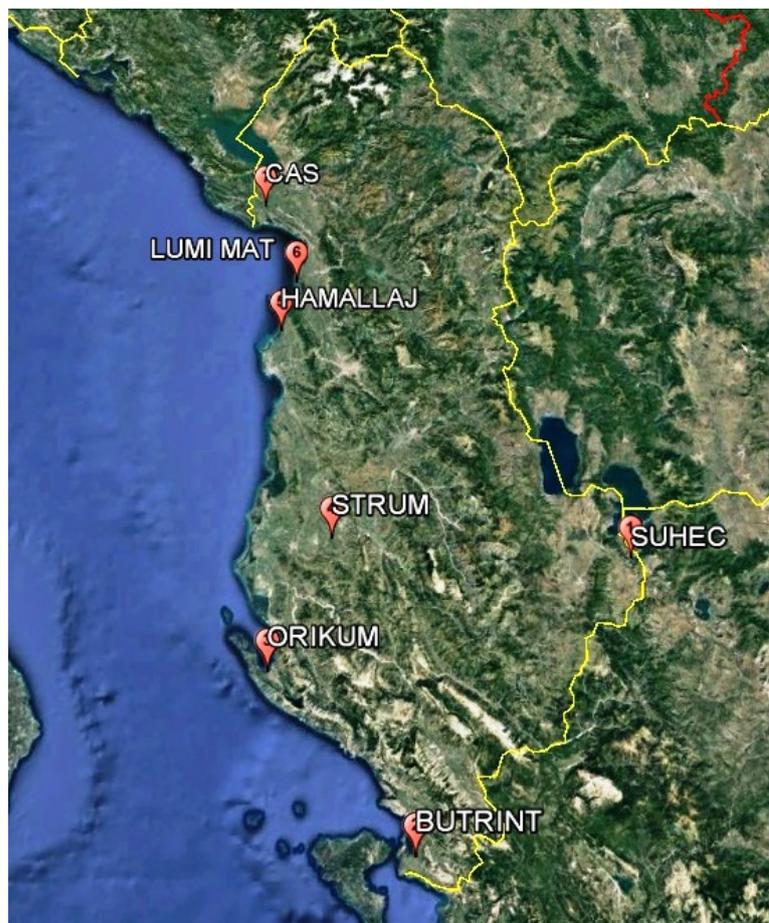
List of the assessed reedbeds:

- Suhec (Small Prespa-lake);
- Butrint (Risa-lake);
- Orikum (Pasha Liman Lagoon);
- Raskovec (Black-marsh);
- Hamallaj;
- Shenkoll (Lumimat);
- Cas.

Our task is to publicize the activity of bird banding In Albania. One of the board members of the Albanian Society of Protection of Birds and Mammals has attended to the bird banding activity during the whole research. For the marking of the captured birds we have used Hungarian birdrings with the permission of the Albanian authorities.

A documentary movie has been broadcasted by an Albanian tv channel:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2bSM0937rEs&feature=youtu.be>

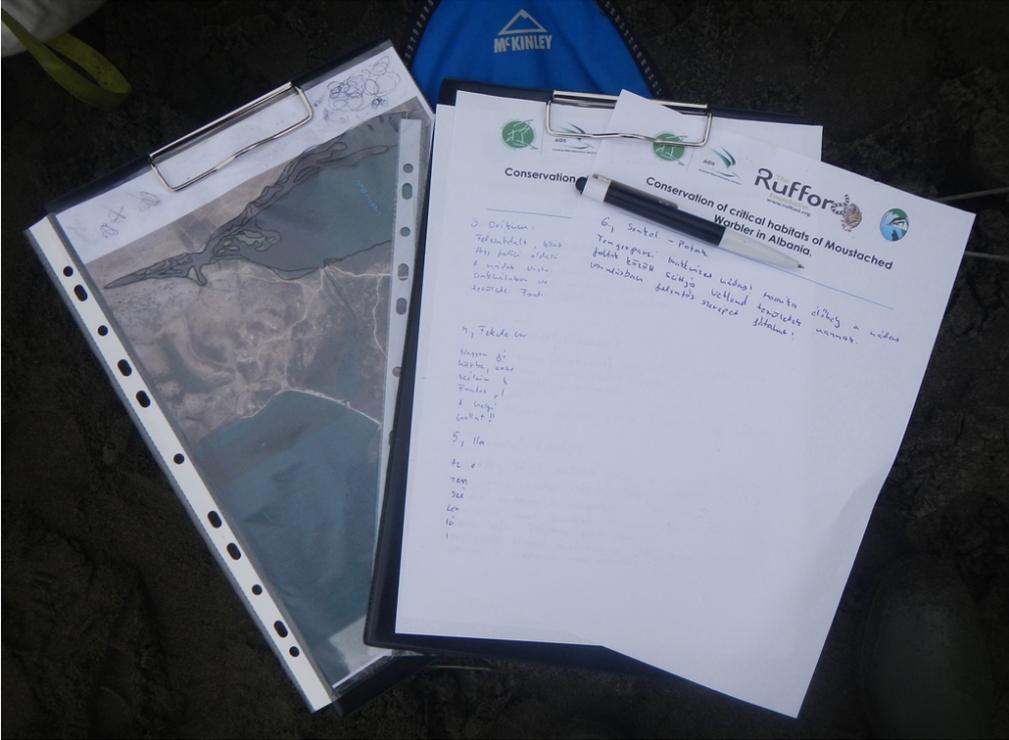
The research areas:



Pictures:



Bird banding near Prespa-lake.



Notes about the research.



Expedition vehicles.



Albanian tv channel is shooting the documentary near the Buna-river.