



# International conference on aquatic warbler conservation



**Date:** 12-14 November 2025

**Place:** Vilnius, Lithuania

**Venue.** The conference will take place at [Artis Centrum Hotel, Totoriu st. 23, Vilnius, Lithuania](#).

The conference aims to exchange the latest information about globally threatened aquatic warbler population status, conservation strategies, challenges, and best practice conservation measures from habitat restoration, conservation translocation, to finding sustainable farming practices and nature-based solutions. The conference will present major achievements of the LIFE MagniDucatusAcrola project as well as discuss future conservation perspectives through LIFE4AquaticWarbler, LIFE AWOM projects, and beyond within the whole species range.

The conference gathering in Vilnius will be an excellent networking opportunity, stimulating stronger cooperation and new conservation initiatives.

The conference will gather aquatic warbler conservation specialists, NGOs, scientists, representatives from protected areas administrations, and competent authorities.

For best networking and interaction possibilities we encourage participation in person (we expect up to 90 persons) but conference online streaming is also planned.

**Thematic headlines** to be addressed during the conference include:

- Aquatic warbler conservation status and trends at a global level.
- Latest developments in scientific research contributing to aquatic warbler conservation.
- Conservation challenges in the context of geopolitical conflicts.
- Achievements of the [LIFE MagniDucatusAcrola](#) project, ongoing conservation efforts, and future new initiatives within the whole species range.
- Challenges and opportunities in the context of climate change, nature-based solutions, and building an ecologically connected network of breeding habitats.
- Aquatic warbler conservation translocation experience.
- Agri-environmental measures focussed on bird conservation: existing practices, lessons learned, and future perspectives.
- Experience exchange on alternative ways of grass biomass – from technical aspects to business development.
- Lessons learned on engaging farmers and other stakeholders in bird conservation.

**Detailed conference programme will be announced in September, shortly before registration deadline.**

**Registration to the conference is open now.**

Please follow the link to secure your place at the conference by [clicking here](#).

The registration deadline is September 30, 2025.

For **accommodation booking**, we provide a list of nearby hotel options located within walking distance from the conference venue.

Hotel (Address)	Single+ Breakfast	Clas sic double + Breakfast		Superior Double+Breakfast		Order with code: MDACROLA	Distance to the event venue	Parking Prices
	1 person	1 person	2 persons	1 person	2 persons			
<a href="#">Artis Centrum Hotel (Totoriu st. 23, Vilnius)</a>	85 Eur/night	93 Eur/night	99 eur/night	109 Eur/night		Write an email with code to: <a href="mailto:reservations.artis@centrumhotels.com">reservations.artis@centrumhotels.com</a> , <a href="mailto:artis@centrumhotels.com">artis@centrumhotels.com</a>	<a href="#">0 m., 0 min.</a>	50 Eur/day
<a href="#">15th Avenue (Gedimino pr. 15, Vilnius)</a>	60 Eur/night	70 Eur/night	75 Eur/night	80 Eur/night	85 Eur/night	Write an email with code to: <a href="mailto:info@15avenue.lt">info@15avenue.lt</a>	<a href="#">650 m. 9 min walk</a>	9 Eur/day
Novotel Hotel (Gedimino pr. 16, Vilnius)	10% off the daily price					Write an email with code to: H5209-RE@accor.com	<a href="#">500 m. 7 min walk</a>	No parking
<a href="#">Amberton Cathedral Square Hotel Vilnius (L. Štuokos-Guceviciaus st. 1, Vilnius)</a>							<a href="#">270 m. 4 min walk</a>	30 Eur/day



The conference is organized by [Baltic environmental forum](#)

If you have any questions, please contact:

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For more information about aquatic warbler conservation work, please visit following websites:

International Aquatic Warbler Conservation Team: <https://aquaticwarbler.eu>

Conference hosting project LIFE MagniDucatusAcrola website: <https://meldine.lt/en/>

**We look forward to meet you in Vilnius – European Green Capital 2025!**

