

PHILIPPINES: Country Report

Oct 2019 to Mar 2021

Wilfredo L. Campos (Nat'l Coord/NL Fish)	(4)
Annabelle del Norte-Campos (NL Benthos)	(5)
Ephrime B. Metillo (NL Plankton)	(4)
Wilfredo H. Uy (NL Macrophytes)	(5)
Elsa Furio/Alette Yniguez (NL HABs)	(3)
Mae Grace Nillos (Chem/Pollution)	(1)
?? (Oceanography)	

⇒ 25% PhD-bound

Biodiversity-related research: (2019-21)

- Mollusk biology/ecology & fisheries
 - Jellyfish ecology (w/ JSPS partners)
 - Early warning system for HABS
 - DNA barcoding for fish (Southern & Eastern PH)
 - Seagrass/Mangrove historical changes in biodiversity (w/ partners in Japan)
 - Fisheries for juvenile fish
- All w/ biodiversity aspects
 - All w/ MS/PhD students
 - MS theses using data from previous projects

Young scientist (members) development: 2021

- Returning PhD (Acad Sinica) on zooplankton dynamics
Cristy Acabado, UPV
- Begin of PhD (Kochi U) on benthic ecology
Lorelie Burgos, UPV

Biodiversity-related publications: (2020-21)

7 journal articles

- Microplastics
- Bacterial diversity
- Bivalve biology & fisheries
- Cyclopoid ecology
- Fisheries resilience to Climate Change

2 books

- Mollusks of Panay
- Jellyfish of SEAsia (JSPS)

