

A bibliography of ornithology in Arunachal Pradesh, India: 1870–2009

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Introduction

This bibliography has been extracted from my larger database, “A bibliographic index to the birds of South Asia.” It comprises papers, popular articles, books, chapters, published and un-published reports, trip reports, *etc.* It covers a period of one hundred and thirty-nine years, from 1870–2009. A bibliography of this nature cannot pretend to be complete and this is no exception. There are always publications beyond the reach of the bibliographer. A case in point being the various birding trip reports prepared by bird tour operators. However a majority of the published ornithological work on Arunachal Pradesh’s ornithology is listed here. Accuracy in transcribing is a basic tenet of bibliography and though great care has been taken to ensure it, mistakes may have crept in and pertinent published material inadvertently left out. This is the more likely in that I have not seen all the entries listed below in the original, but have freely taken them secondhand from the ‘References’ or ‘Further reading’ sections of papers and books. I would be grateful if readers sent me citations of material that is missing here.

Authors have been arranged alphabetically and their work chronologically. Multi-author papers have been listed under the name of the senior author. Separate entries have not been inserted for co-authors. Where a title was not given in the original, a suitable descriptive substitute was coined, generally comprising a part of or the complete first sentence, and is placed within brackets.

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Errata

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Page 1: Contents: ninth line from bottom, 'Cyronis' should read 'Cyornis'.

Page 22: Kumar & Kumar: first column, fifth line from bottom, 'P. fuscata' should read 'P. fusca'.

Page 26: In the title, 'Cyronis' should read 'Cyornis'.

Page 31: 2nd column, 12th line from top: 'Olka Bird Park' should read 'Okhla Bird Park'.



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