

## DFM Webinar with Amrita Sen Political Ecology of the Indian Sundarbans

Hosted by DFM West Bengal Team Wednesday, December 1 08:00 CST / 14:00 UTC / 19:30 IST

Amrita Sen, member of the DFM West Bengal team, will join us to introduce her new book *A Political Ecology of Forest Conservation in India: Communities, Wildlife and the State* (Routledge, 2021). Amrita will discuss her ongoing research on the political ecological context of the Sundarbans, which has helped orient recent fieldwork within the Dried Fish Matters project.

Her talk will introduce the diverse economies of the Sundarbans – including forest fishing, honey collection, and prawn farming – and will illustrate the inadequacies of attempts to govern the complex socio-political and interspecies realities of this region.





