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**[NAME] Shares [TOPIC] Research at BirdsCaribbean International Meeting in Jamaica**

July 29th, 2015— Kingston, Jamaica—Every two years, bird educators and conservationists from throughout the Caribbean and beyond gather for BirdsCaribbean’s International Meeting. At this year’s meeting in Kingston, Jamaica, [ISLAND] was represented by [PRESENTER’S NAME] from [ORGANIZATION], who presented on [TITLE OF PAPER OR WORKSHOP].

[ONE PARAGRAPH DESCRIPTION OF TOPIC THAT WAS PRESENTED. COULD BE THE ABSTRACT SIMPLIFIED FOR A GENERAL AUDIENCE.]

“[QUOTE FROM AUDIENCE MEMBER OR WORKSHOP PARTICIPANT],” commented participant [NAME] of [ORGANIZATION].

“[QUOTE ABOUT WHY THE TOPIC MAY BE OF REGIONAL INTEREST],” explained [PRESENTER’S NAME]. [BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION ABOUT PRESENTER, SUMMARY OF PAST COLLABORATION WITH BIRDSCARIBBEAN, OR ADDITIONAL INFO ABOUT THEIR RESEARCH OR ORGANZATION]

Over [XXX] attendees from [XX] countries came together for the International Meeting in Jamaica. Exchanging ideas over the course of a jam-packed week with over [XXX] talks and workshops were a diverse group of scientists, conservationists, students and educators from across the Caribbean and beyond. In addition to sharing their expertise, the attendees from [ISLAND]—[NAMES AND ORGANIZATIONS]—bring back a wealth of information, including the latest in Caribbean bird science, conservation and education.

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**About BirdsCaribbean**

BirdsCaribbean is a non-profit organization committed to the conservation of wild birds and their habitats in the insular Caribbean. More than 80,000 local people participate in its programs each year, making it the most broad-based conservation organization in the region. Learn more at www.birdscaribbean.org or find “Birds Caribbean” on Facebook and on Twitter @BirdsCaribbean.

**About [ORGANIZATION]**

[INSERT A SHORT DESCRIPTION OF YOUR ORGANIZATION]

**Photos**

BirdsCaribbean-logo.jpg: BirdsCaribbean is a vibrant international network of members and partners committed to conserving Caribbean birds and their habitats.

[PHOTO-OF-PRESENTER].jpg: [CAPTION]. (Photo by [PHOTOGRAPHER’S NAME])