



SLOW LORIS

WILD AND FREE



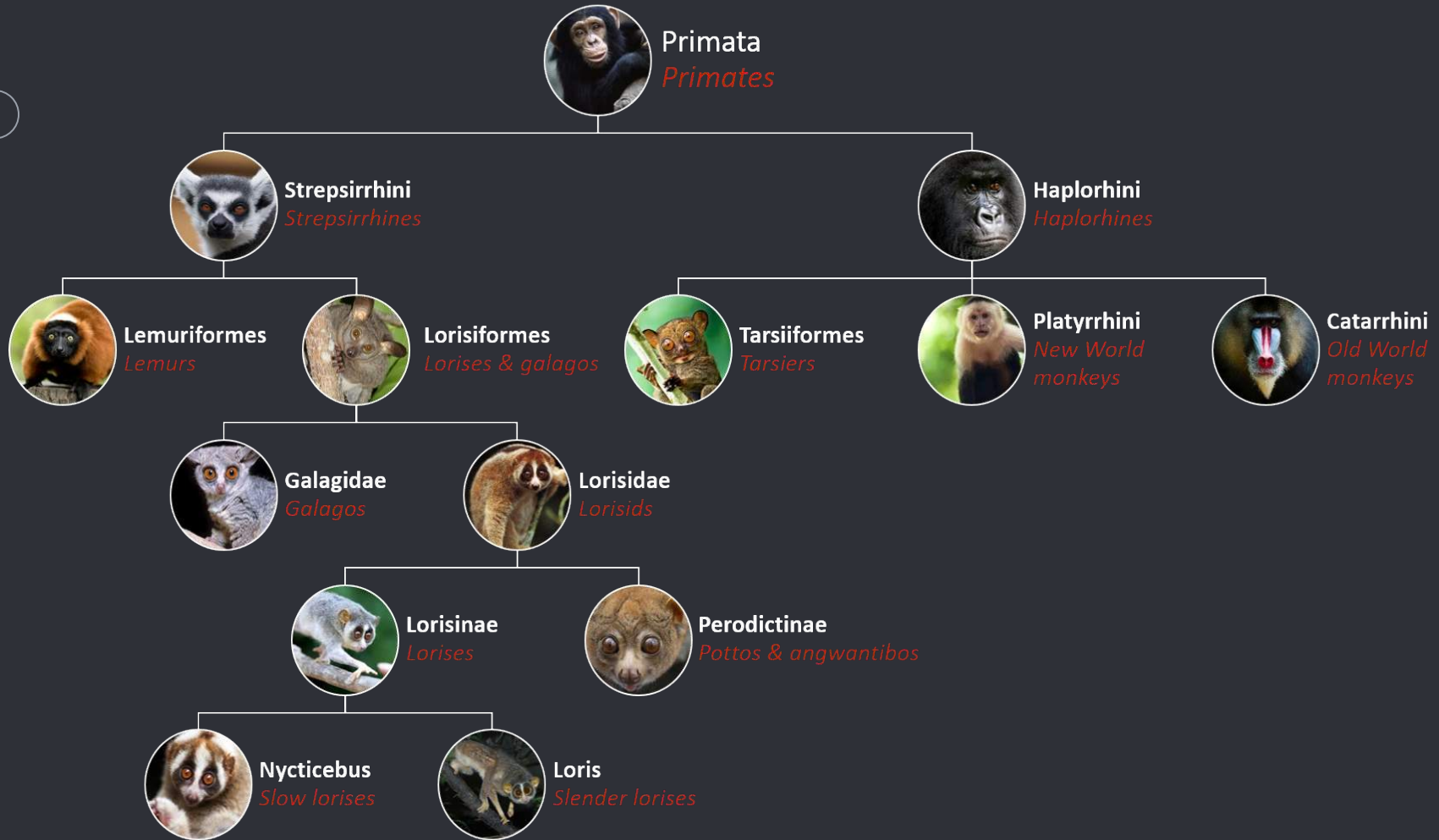
Hello!

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BIOLOGY



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There are two genera of loris:

- Slow loris (*Nycticebus* sp.)
  - 8 species
- Slender loris (*Loris* sp.)
  - 2 species, 6 subspecies



**Slow loris**  
(*Nycticebus* sp.)



**Slender loris**  
(*Loris* sp.)

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Gum, flowers, and insects



Tropical forests  
and plantations



125 - 2000g



21 - 31cm



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In small social groups



Social foraging, especially for gum



1-2, after 6 months' gestation

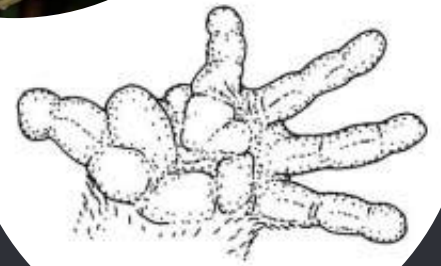


Disperse after 16-18 months

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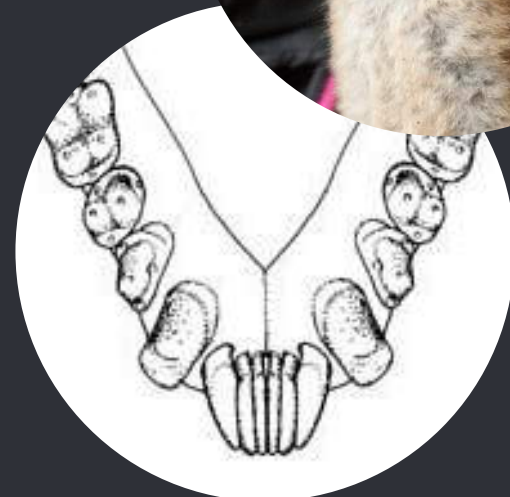
### Unique

- Stereoscopic vision
- Adapted vertebrae
- Hyper flexibility
- Fully flexible thumb
- Slow metabolism
- Scent of smell
- Ultrasonic vocalisations



○ **Venomous**

- Combined venom of saliva and brachial gland excretion
- Toothcomb
- Lethal
- Purpose still unsure







## ILLEGAL TRADE

Although all trade is prohibited, this remains a common sight at markets.

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The number of loris found by authorities in a single shipment in Java, 2013.



## THREATS

### Pets

A nocturnal, venomous animal as a pet. Thanks to YouTube, everyone wants one.



## THREATS

### Photo-prop industry

Have your photo taken with a loris for a good price. But the loris is the one the one to pay.





## ● THREATS



### Medicine

Traditional Asian medicine believes that lorises may heal up to 100 different ailments, although there is no scientific proof.



## THREATS

### **Deforestation**

Indonesia is coping with large-scale deforestation, meaning the loris loses most of its natural habitat.





WHO ARE WE?



Anna



Dendi



Adin



Yiyi



Aconk



Rob



Danny



Faye



Katie



Steph



Rizky

## WHO ARE WE?

1 PROJECT DIRECTOR

1 PROJECT MANAGER

11 STAFF

9 COORDINATORS

9 RESEARCHERS

8 PHD STUDENTS

12 MSC STUDENTS

6 BSC STUDENTS

27 VOLUNTEERS



● WHO ARE WE?

○ **Ecology**

Research into lorises and their habitat

○ **Education**

Teaching the next generation

○ **Empowerment**

Giving the power to the people

● WHO ARE WE?

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The number of research subjects - ranging from behaviour to pollination.





## NATURE CLUB

Education is a key priority for the project.





## WHO ARE WE?

We can regularly be seen on TV, we are active on social media, and publish numerous scientific articles.

BBC

EBS

itv

NATIONAL  
GEOGRAPHIC

NHK

CBS



● WHO ARE WE?



Cooperation:  
from agriculture to  
**agroforestry.**



● SLOW 2015

○ What we do for **SLOW**:

- Social Media
- Photo competition
- Art auction
- Contact institutions and NGOs
- Organise events in Europe and Indonesia

● SLOW 2015



**Cipaganti:**  
Festival untuk  
menyayangi kukang



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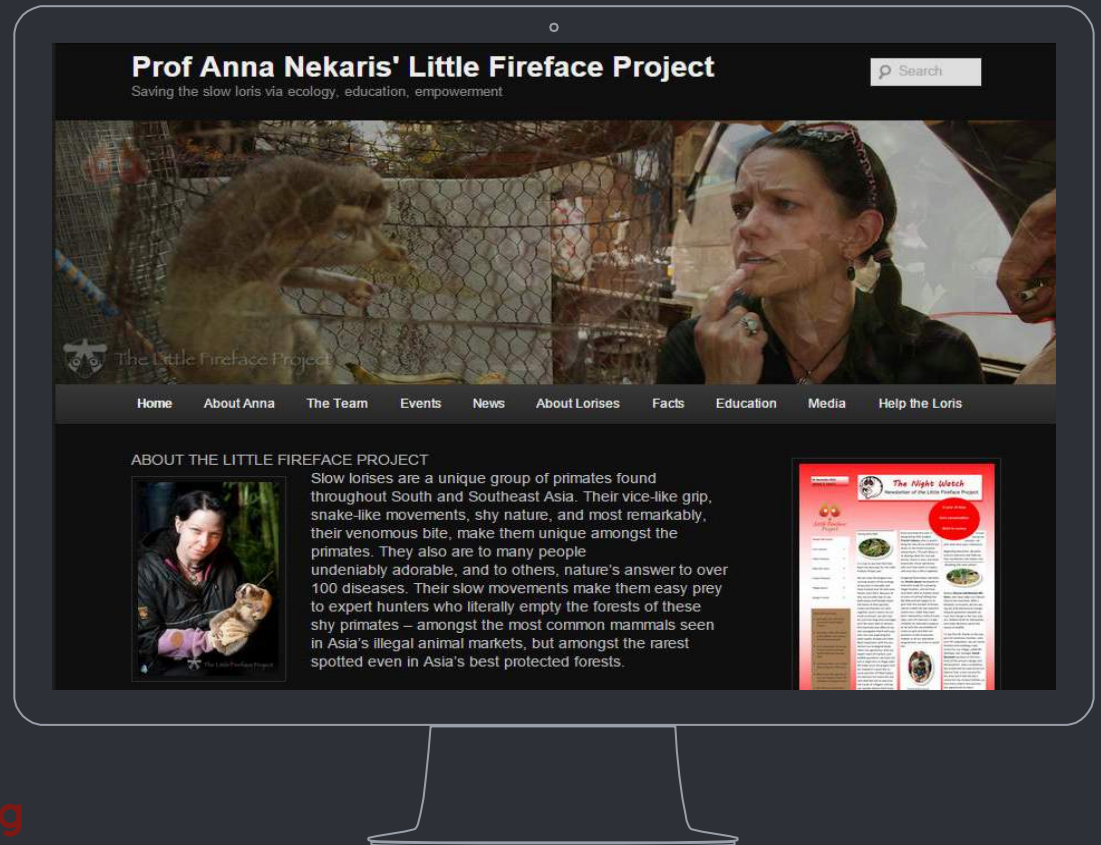
*We will never forget the friends who gave us their support, encouragement, and compassion in our battle to keep the loris wild and free.*

- Dendi Rustandi, LFP manager

## WEBSITE

For more information and free SLOW materials, visit our website:

[www.nocturama.org](http://www.nocturama.org)



Thank you!

# QUESTIONS?

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