

## FIRST OBSERVATION OF THE YELLOW-BROWED WARBLER *PHYLLOSCOPUS INORNATUS* IN ROMANIA

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### ABSTRACT

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The Yellow-browed Warbler is a species of the *Sylviidae* family that breeds in Asia and winters in South East Asia and western Europe. In northern and north-western Europe it is considered one of the most numerous nocturnal migratory species from Siberia. In the southern and eastern part of the continent there are fewer observations of the presence of the species in passage or in winter. On 29<sup>th</sup> September 2013, during a ringing session in the southern part of the Danube Delta (Romania), we captured a juvenile individual of the Yellow-browed Warbler. This is the first record of the species in Romania.

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