Point Blue hosts project databases for a number of Avian Knowledge Network (AKN) nodes. Please provide the information below to enable us to create and initialize a project database for you in our system.

**AKN Node** - the acronym for the AKN node through which project and data management are being coordinated. Eg., MWADC, CADC, EADC.

**Project Name** - the full name for the Project. Eg., “Clarence Cannon NWR”.

**Project Code** - the desired project short name. Eg., CLARENCECANNONNWR. If this is unique in our system we will use this code; otherwise we will propose an alternate.

**Project Leader** - the full name and email address of the project leader. Eg., “Fayvor Love <[flove@pointblue.org](mailto:flove@pointblue.org)>.

**Project Start Date** - the date the project started (or will start). This should be on or before the date of the first observation.

**Project End Date** - the date the project ended (or will end). This should be on or after the date of the last observation.

**Protocol Type** - the class of protocol used for this project. Eg., “point count”, “area search”, “secretive marshbird”.

**Protocol Description** - a description of the protocol used for this project. Please provide enough information for us to map your data to the protocol fields used in our database.