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Start with a fish base.

Use colored origami paper of 15x15 cm or 6 inches size.

Inside reverse fold peaks of the fish base. The marked corners will vanish inside, close to the vertical middle line. The peaks will come down to the sides and form the ears later on.

Valley fold to narrow ears.

Mountain fold behind upper layers to form the head....

...Mountain fold tail behind and valley fold once more. The peak of the tail is folded behind, you can hide it inside the model.

Mountain fold the beak behind the eyes and valley fold again. Valley fold the feet.

My secret of obtaining lively looking models is avoiding symmetrical folding. Tiny variations will give individualism to your owl.

Complete Horned Owl.