

# Pacific Platform for Disaster Risk Management



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4<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Pacific Disaster Risk Management Partnership Network: 12<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> May 2009

Nadi, Fiji

**Theme: Strengthening Collaboration and Cooperation**

## Objectives

1. Review the status of current and planned Partnership activities in the Pacific.
2. Establish South-South Cooperation with the Caribbean community
3. Examine opportunities for improved strategic alliances and engagement at regional and national level within the Pacific
4. Prepare for the Pacific region's contribution to the Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction.

PROVISIONAL ANNOTATED AGENDA

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May

Time	Agenda	Sponsor
8.00am – 8.15am	<p><b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b></p> <p><i>Preceded by observed silence in honour of the late Dr. Senipisi Langi Kavaliku, High Level DRM Advocate for SOPAC</i></p>	Cristelle Pratt, SOPAC
8.15am – 8.45am	<p><b>Agenda Item 1: Partnership Progress in 2008/2009</b></p> <p><i>Objective: Provide brief background on the origins of the partnership and share the progress achieved since the Partnership Meeting in 2008.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Presentation</i></li> <li>• <i>Q&amp;A with partners</i></li> </ul>	<p>Chair: Cristelle Pratt, SOPAC</p> <p>Moses Sikivou, SOPAC</p>
8.45am – 9.30am	<p><b>Agenda Item 2: Outcomes of</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>15<sup>th</sup> Regional Disaster Managers Meeting</b></li> <li>▪ <b>13<sup>th</sup> Regional Meteorological Service Directors Meeting</b></li> <li>▪ <b>Joint Regional Disaster Managers &amp; Regional Met Directors Meeting</b></li> </ul> <p><i>Objective: Inform partners of the key outcomes of the above meetings</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Presentations</i></li> <li>• <i>Q&amp;A with partners</i></li> </ul>	<p>Co-Chairs: Moses Sikivou, SOPAC Dean Solofa, SPREP Henry Taiki, WMO</p> <p>Nominated representatives of the 15<sup>th</sup> RDM Meeting and 13<sup>th</sup> RMSD Meeting</p>
9.30am – 10.00am	<p><b>Agenda Item 3: South-South Cooperation – The Caribbean Experience in Disaster Reduction</b></p> <p><i>Objective: Share lessons learned from the Caribbean region with a view to establishing a stronger relationship and opportunities with the Pacific in the future</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Panel Presentation/Discussion by the Caribbean Delegation on:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Caribbean Catastrophe Risk Insurance Facility</i></li> <li>○ <i>Case Studies on how Countries and Partners collaborate for</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>Co-Chairs: Karen Bernard, UNDP PC Moses Sikivou, SOPAC</p> <p>Dr. Kenrick Leslie, Caribbean Community CC Centre Dr. Franklyn MacDonald, University of the West Indies Dr. Thomas Gutierrez, Director</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Q&amp;A with Partners</i></li> </ul>	Instituto Nacional de Meteorologia (INSMET), Cuba
10.00am -10.30am	<b>MORNING TEA</b>	
10.30am -11.30am	<b>Agenda Item 3 (Cont'd)</b>	Chair: Karen Bernard, UNDP PC
11.30am -1.00pm	<p><b>Agenda Item 4: Strengthening the Pacific DRM Partnership Network in selected priority areas</b></p> <p><i>Objective: Identify priority areas under the Pacific DRR and DM Framework for Action 2005 – 2015 that require the concerted efforts of partners and agree on how partners can enhance their collaboration in these areas.</i></p> <p><b>Part A: Identifying Priority Areas (1 hour):</b></p> <p><b>Part B: Enhancing Collaboration in Priority Areas (2 hours):</b></p>	<p>Chair: Cristelle Pratt, SOPAC Co-Chair: Garry Wiseman, UNDP PC</p> <p>Facilitators: Moses Sikivou, SOPAC Angelika Planitz, UNISDR Ruth Lane, IFRC Moortaza Jiwaji, UNDP PC</p>
1.00pm – 2.00pm	<b>LUNCH</b>	
2.00pm – 3.30pm	<p><b>Agenda Item 4 (Cont'd)</b></p> <p><b>Part B: Cont'd</b></p>	<p>Moses Sikivou Angelika Planitz Ruth Lane Moortaza Jiwaji</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Initial reflections from Day 1 presentations</i></li> <li>• <i>Overview of Day 2</i></li> </ul>	Chair: Cristelle Pratt Co-Chair: Garry Wiseman
3.30pm – 4.00pm	<b>AFTERNOON TEA</b>	
4.00pm – 7.00pm	<b>PARTNERS EXPO</b> <i>For the presentation and display of products and publications etc by Partner organisations.</i>  <u><i>Special Event at Partners Expo</i></u> <i>Launch of the UNDP/AusAID publication on: Gender in Disaster Risk Management and Adaptation to Climate Change</i>	SOPAC   UNDP Pacific Centre
6.00pm – 7.00pm	<b>SUNSET DRINKS</b>	UNDP PC

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May

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8.30am – 8.45am	<b>Welcome Back &amp; Recap of Day 1</b>	Rapporteur
8.45am – 10.00am	<b>Agenda Item 4 (Cont'd)</b>  <b><i>Part C: Group Feedback in Plenary</i></b>	Chair: Cristelle Pratt Co-Chair :Garry Wiseman  Moses S Sikivou Angelika Planitz Ruth Lane Moortaza Jiwanji
10.00am – 10.30am	<b>MORNING TEA</b>	
10.30am – 12.00pm	<b>Agenda Item 5: The Pacific Region at the Global Platform for Disaster Risk Reduction (GP/DRR)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>The objectives and format of the GP/DRR and the preparations of the Pacific region</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Q&amp;A with partners</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>The Pacific Region RFA/HFA Progress Report and how to strengthen regional reporting process</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Presentation and discussion</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Angelika Planitz, UNISDR Moses S Sikivou, SOPAC
12.00pm – 1.00pm	<b>LUNCH</b>	
2.00pm – 3.00pm	<b>Agenda Item 6: Closing</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <i>Endorsement of Summary Record</i></li> <li>2. <i>Final participant remarks</i></li> <li>3. <i>Closing Remarks</i></li> </ol>	Cristelle Pratt, SOPAC Moses S Sikivou, SOPAC
3.00pm – 3.30pm	<b>AFTERNOON TEA</b>	