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BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE FOR STUDY

Regional tuna fisheries management organisation processes (RFMO) and platforms have strengthened to allow for broader stakeholder participation which has been a fairly new element in some Pacific Small Island Developing States (SIDs).

As a result, in many Pacific SIDS, there are now much stronger processes in place for consultation on oceanic fisheries management between government agencies and non-governmental interests and an associated strengthening of the structures for representation of non-governmental interests – though progress in this direction nationally is uneven or yet to be fully realized.

Securing broader stakeholder participation in oceanic fisheries management at the regional level has been more elusive, although there are a number of cross-cutting issues with social, economic, communications and environmental dimensions that would warrant engagement by non-state actors including Pacific Non-Governmental Organisation (NGOs) and Civil Society Organisation (CSOs) to potentially include Tuna fisheries within existing work programmes.

OBJECTIVE

The key objective of this report is to improve WWF-Pacific's understanding about the role of CSOs and NGOs operating across the major sub-regions of the Pacific including Micronesia (FSM, Kiribati, Palau, , Nauru), Polynesia (Cook Islands, Samoa/American Samoa, Tonga, Tuvalu) and Melanesia (PNG, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu and Fiji); their operating context, institutional structure and areas of focus to help determine CSO/NGO's that WWF-Pacific would engage as part of the project to promote, develop and strengthen broader stakeholder awareness & engagement in oceanic fisheries management.

The broad criteria for selection and assessment of CSO/NGO organisations to be considered includes international, regional and sub-regional NGO/CSO groups that work on fisheries, oceans and or oceanic wildlife conservation in the Western and Central Pacific Ocean; including NGO/CSOs that work on broader economic/trade issues; Private-sector; Communications and media; law and policy reform advocacy; labour NGO's (including maritime or seafarers unions); climate change and community-level rights (where related to oceans and coasts).

The consultant, in preparing the final report, conducted the following including reviewing and documenting of existing CSO's and NGO's operating across the major sub-regions of the Pacific including Micronesia (FSM, Kiribati, Palau, Tuvalu, Nauru), Polynesia (Cook Islands, Samoa/American Samoa, Tonga) and Melanesia (PNG, Solomon Islands and Fiji); including providing a descriptive analysis of each organization's operating context, institutional structure and area(s) of focus and general description of works programmes and staff capacities; provide recommendations on areas of focus the CSO/NGO organization would engage on in the context of broader regional tuna fisheries management and provide recommendations on areas WWF-Pacific would support CSO/NGO organsiation engagement in oceanic fisheries management.

INTRODUCTION

Tuna fisheries management is a cross cutting issue for Pacific Island countries. It impacts economies, the environment, and social relationships. It therefore requires broader stakeholder participation to adequately inform processes and to improve the assessment of impacts. WWF-Pacific has been tasked with carrying out awareness and advocacy on tuna fisheries issues in the Pacific Islands region including having greater engagement and collaboration with CSOs and NGOs. The initial mapping of these organizations provides a starting point for this task. This exercise covers both environmental and non-environmental organizations that work at a regional level and/or a national level.

METHODOLOGY

The primary methods of collecting data are archival and electronic. Archival research will involve the use of annual reports and strategic plans, whereas electronic research will involve organizational websites. The two methods are likely to overlap as the latter is in most instances a repository of the former. Where possible, information will also be gathered via emailed correspondence. The types of information gathered are: vision, mission and goals of the organization; and existing programs including collaborations and targets. This lends itself to the qualitative analysis of data.

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Partnership for **nature** and **people**

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VISION

The BirdLife Partnership wishes to see a world where nature and people live in greater harmony, more equitably and sustainably.

MISSION

The BirdLife Partnership strives to conserve birds, their habitats and global biodiversity, working with people towards sustainability in the use of natural resources.

COMMITMENT

- To prevent extinction in the wild
- To maintain and where possible improve the conservation status of all bird species
- To conserve the sites and habitats important for birds and other biodiversity
- To sustain the vital ecological systems that underpin human livelihoods, and enrich the quality of people's lives
- In the process, BirdLife will empower people and contribute to the alleviation of poverty, and strive to ensure sustainability in the use of natural resources

GLOBAL CONSERVATION STRATEGY

Our strategy, developed bottom up by the BirdLife Partnership, directly supports the commitment of the world's governments to take urgent and effective action to halt the loss of biodiversity.

PROGRAMMES

Global International Programmes

- Climate Change
- Forests of Hope;
- Sites & Habitats (IBAs & KBAs)
- Invasive Alien Species
- Local Engagement and Empowerment
- Marine
- Migratory Birds
- Preventing Extinctions
- Capacity Development

TARGET POPULATION

Local communities

PARTNERSHIPS

In the Pacific Islands, BirdLife partners include a network of seven national organisations supported by a small BirdLife Secretariat in Fiji, including the local people that work with the organisations along the way. The Pacific Partnership consists of:

- BirdLife Australia (Australia Partner)
- NatureFiji-MareqetiViti (Fiji Affiliate)
- Palau Conservation Society (Palau Partner)
- Royal Forest and Bird Protection Society Inc (New Zealand Partner)
- Société Calédonienne d'Ornithologie (New Caledonia Affiliate)
- Société d'Ornithologie de Polynésie Manu (French Polynesia Partner)
- Te Ipukarea Society (Cook Islands Affiliate)

- Research on seabird/tuna fishing interaction
- Bycatch mitigation
- Fundraising
- Sustainable resource management

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VISION

We seek a world of hope, tolerance and social justice, where poverty has been overcome and all people live in dignity and security.

MISSION

CARE works around the globe to save lives, defeat poverty and achieve social justice.

PRINCIPI ES

Independent of political, commercial, military, ethnic or religious objectives CARE promotes the protection of humanitarian space. We provide assistance on the basis of need, regardless of race, creed or nationality addressing the rights of vulnerable groups, particularly women and girls.

CARE follows a set of Programming Principles in our emergency, rehabilitation and long-term development work. CARE's principles are aligned with those of many other humanitarian agencies, and include:

- Promote empowerment
- Work in partnership with others
- Ensure accountability and promote responsibility
- Address discrimination
- Promote the non-violent resolution of conflicts
- Seek sustainable results

CORE VALUES

- Transformation
- Integrity
- Excellence
- Equality

PROGRAMMES

Vanuatu

Focus on helping communities prepare for emergencies through the development of sustainable emergency preparedness plans, and gain the skills and knowledge needed to prevent, prepare for and respond to disasters, and to rebuild afterwards.

Papua New Guinea

Focus on managing natural resources, increasing crop diversity, sustainable livelihoods; access to non-formal education and small grants; finding innovative ways to earn a living; providing training and support in governance, gender awareness, health and nutrition, and HIV prevention and care; and addressing gender-based violence and aim to increase women's opportunities to participate and thrive.

International

- Food and Nutrition Security and Climate Change Resilience
- Humanitarian Response
- Right to a Life Free from Violence
- Sexual, Reproductive and Maternal Health and Rights
- Women's Economic Empowerment

TARGET POPULATION

Women and girls are the central focus as poverty until all people have equal rights and opportunities.

PARTNERSHIPS

Local organisations, NGOs, and Government agencies

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Sustainable livelihoods; human trafficking; gender-based violence; sexual exploitation of women and children; disaster risk management

ORGANISATIONS WITH REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

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VISION

People empowered, invigorated and resourced to create a better life.

MISSION

Through strategic, creative communications initiatives, cChange works in partnerships to create lasting transformational change through the actions of individuals.

PROGRAMMES

- Change Initiatives
 - Resource management
 - o Human rights
 - o Health
- Capacity Development Partnerships
 - Hands-on sustained practical engagement on real life campaigns with partners to advance transformational change

TARGET POPULATION

Citizens and residents of all countries and territories of the Pacific

PARTNERSHIPS

Government agencies (Fiji, Nauru, and Vanuatu to date); Community leaders; NGOs (WWF and small local NGOs); Development agencies (FAO, UNDP, UNICEF); Regional Organisations (SPC, SPREP)

- Advocacy
- Capacity development
- Resource management
- Human rights
- Health (fishing crew health and well-being)

ORGANISATIONS WITH REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

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VISION (Oceans)

Healthy oceans benefiting all life on Earth in perpetuity

CI is building the tools, partnerships and programs to address the pressures on the ocean — and the negative impacts on species, ecosystems and ultimately on people's lives.

Long-term Goa

To safeguard the world's essential ocean and coastal biodiversity and most productive ecosystems in order to maximize the long-term ecological, social and economic benefits for people and nature

MISSION

Building upon a strong foundation of science, partnership and field demonstration, CI empowers societies to responsibly and sustainably care for nature, our global biodiversity, for the well-being of humanity.

APPROACH

- Protecting our natural wealth
- Fostering effective governance
- Promoting sustainable production

PROGRAMMES

Focus Areas

- Climate
- Food
- Forests
- Fresh Water
- Global Stability
- Livelihoods
- Oceans

Cl's Oceans works includes studying and measuring the ocean by using the latest methods and tools like the Ocean Health Index. In addition to helping create and strengthen marine protected areas and networks, CI works on new models for ocean management fishing practices

TARGET POPULATION

Communities, Countries

PARTNERSHIPS

Communities; Business, Government agencies including NZAid, AusAID, EU; International NGOs including the Packard Foundation, MacArthur Foundation, CIVICUS

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Sustainable livelihoods, Health, Disaster Risk Management

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VISION (Oceans)

MISSION

Global: Greenpeace is an independent campaigning organisation, which uses non-violent, creative confrontation to expose global environmental problems, and to force the solutions which are essential to a green and peaceful future.

SE Asia: Safeguard environmental rights, expose and stop environmental crimes, advance clean development.

PRINCIPLES

CORE VALUES

Global

- Bearing witness
- Non-violence
- Independence
- Greenpeace has no

GOAL

Global: To ensure the ability of the earth to nurture life in all its diversity by seeking to:

- protect biodiversity in all its forms
- prevent pollution and abuse of the earth's ocean, land, air and fresh water
- end all nuclear threats
- promote peace, global disarmament and non-violence

PROGRAMMES

- Demand climate justice
- Stop climate change
- Eliminate toxic chemicals
- Say no to genetic engineering
- Defending our oceans

TARGET POPULATION: WCPFC membership

PARTNERSHIPS:

• Privately funded i.e. independent donors

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Sharing lessons in policy engagement, and advocacy

IUCN - Oceania Regional Office (ORO)



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VISION

A just world that values and conserves nature

MISSION

Influence, encourage and assist societies throughout the world to conserve the integrity and diversity of nature and to ensure that any use of natural resources is equitable and ecologically sustainable.

PROGRAMMES

- Valuing and conserving nature
- Promoting and supporting effective and equitable governance of natural resources
- Deploying nature-based solutions to societal challenges

TARGET POPULATION

- Communities
- NGOs
- Governments
- Members of IUCN

PARTNERSHIPS

- Governments: Fiji, Nauru, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga and Vanuatu
- Non-Government Organizations:
- Te Ipukarea Society (Cook Islands Environmental NGO), Cook Islands
- National Trust of Fiji Islands, Fiji
- University of the South Pacific, Fiji
- Te Mana o te Moana, French Polynesia

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Collaboration on corrupt practices and links to biodiversity loss

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VISION

A sustainable and equitable world free from poverty

MISSION

Live & Learn educates, mobilises communities, and facilitates supportive partnerships in order to foster a greater understanding of sustainability, and to help move towards a sustainable future.

PRINCIPLES

- Develop environmental and development education approaches based on community reality and perceptions, resulting from community participatory research analyses.
- The well-being of whole communities (not formal community leaders only) is the central priority of all programs.
- Take an integrated sustainable development approach while being focused on specific entry points into communities such as water quality, forest or reef conservation.
- Make project evaluation (and the process of sustainable development) meaningful to communities.

PROGRAMMES

- Peace Building
- Environmental Governance
- WASH
- Sustainable Use of Biodiversity
- Climate Change
- Sustainable Energy
- Waste Management
- Disaster Preparedness
- PES (Payment for Ecosystem Service)
- Human Rights and Gender

GOALS

The Strategic Vision outlines Live & Learn's commitment to achieving eight goals, covering eight key thematic areas:

- Safeguard drinking water, improve hygiene and access to basic sanitation
- Mobilise communities in sustainable use of terrestrial and non-terrestrial resources
- Improve community governance and decision-making on environmental resources
- Strengthen peace and dialogue at the community level
- Heighten climate change awareness, advocacy, community mobilisation and adaptation planning
- Promote and advance appropriate and renewable energy technology at the community level
- Develop community-based waste reduction and management strategies
- Heighten disaster prevention and preparedness at the community level

TARGET POPULATION

Communities, Schools, NGOs, Government

PARTNERSHIPS

Variety of partners including:

- 350.org
- WWF
- Governments
- Adventist Development Relief Agency
- Asia Development Bank
- Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Capacity building and awareness programmes on:

- Seafarer rights
- Human trafficking
- Sexual exploitation of women and children
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster risk management

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VISION

Vibrant, resilient, and empowered communities who inherit and maintain healthy, well-managed, and sustainable marine resources and ecosystems

MISSION

To advance the practice of community-based marine resource management and conservation by providing a forum for practitioners (communities, traditional leaders, individuals, organizations, and researchers) to share experiences and information. We work collaboratively to spread resources and knowledge on locally-managed marine areas (LMMAs) and community-based adaptive management (CBAM) and to promote and improve this approach.

CORE VALUES

- Commitment as a way to stay focused on goals
- Teamwork because we can achieve more working together than we can on our own
- Objectivity to enhance our science and our relations with our partners
- Transparency to promote open and honest sharing of information and experience
- Empowerment of individuals to take responsibility and be accountable for results
- Respect that makes it possible to challenge each other without threatening our relationships
- Fun as a way to stay energized and motivated
- Quality in all that we do.

PROGRAMMES

The Network provides information and resources on locally-managed marine areas (LMMAs) and community-based adaptive management (CBAM), and training in project design, monitoring, data management and analysis, fundraising, and communications to name a few.

TARGET POPULATION

Communities in Fiji, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Federated States of Micronesia, Solomon Islands

PARTNERSHIPS

- Australian Youth Ambassadors for Development(Vanuatu)
- Center for Empowerment and Resource Development (CERD)(Philippines)
- College of Micronesia (Pohnpei)
- Conservation International (Fiji)
- Conservation Society of Pohnpei (Pohnpei)
- Coral Reef Alliance(Fiji)
- COREMAP Biak, Papua (Indonesia)
- Coral Triangle Support Partnership Indonesia (CTSP-I) (Indonesia)
- CRISP(Fiji, Palau, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu)
- Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)(Vanuatu)
- Fiji Government (Fisheries, Environment, Tourism, Indigenous Affairs)(Fiji)
- Fiji National University (Fiji)
- Foundation of the Peoples of the South Pacific International (FSPI) Coastal Programme (Fiji, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu)
- Foundations of Success (Founding partner)
- Lanao Aquatic and Marine Fisheries Center for Community Development (LAFCCOD) Inc. (Philippines) Lobo Local Government Unit (Philippines)
- Mahonia Na Dari (Guardian of the Sea)(Kimbe Bay, Papua New Guinea)
- Mamanuca Environment Society (Fiji)
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (Vanuatu)
- National Trust of Fiji Islands (Fiji)
- Nguna-Pele Marine Protected Area Network (Vanuatu)
- Pacific Blue Foundation (Fiji)
- Palau Conservation Society (Palau)
- PROCESS Bohol(Philippines)
- The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation (overall Network donor)
- The Nature Conservancy(Indonesia, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands)
- The David and Lucile Packard Foundation(overall Network donor)
- Resort Support(Fiji)
- SeaWeb Asia-Pacific Program(Fiji, Papua New Guinea)
- Sentro Para sa Ikauunlad ng Katutubong Agham at Teknolohiya (SIKAT) (Philippines)
- Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) (Regional partner)
- Solomon Islands Ministry of Fisheries and Marine Resources(Solomon Islands)
- South Pacific Projects(Fiji)
- United States Peace Corps(Fiji, Pohnpei, Vanuatu)
- The University of the South Pacific's Institute of Applied Sciences(overall Network partner)
- Vanuatu Department of Environment & Conservation (Vanuatu)
- Vanuatu Government (Fisheries)(Vanuatu)
- Wan Smolbag Theater(Vanuatu)
- Wetlands International-Oceania(Fiji, Papua New Guinea)
- The Whitley Fund for Nature(Fiji)
- Wildlife Conservation Society(Fiji)
- The WorldFish Center(Solomon Islands)
- WWF Indonesia & South Pacific programmes(Fiji, Indonesia, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands)

- Empowering women and children in sustainable resource management
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster Risk Management

Market Development Facility (MDF)



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GOAI

To create additional employment and income for poor women and men in rural and urban areas through sustainable and broad-based pro-poor growth

KEY PRINCIPLES

- Systemic change
- Sustainability
- Scale
- Facilitation

STRATEGY

MDF stimulates pro-poor growth within these three sectors as they show opportunities for increased growth and have the potential to make a positive impact on poverty.

PROGRAMMES

MDF does not work directly with the poor as this is unlikely to lead to lasting improvements. Instead it partners with a variety of businesses willing and able to invest in changes that improve business practices. This could include offering more affordable products and services, expanding distribution, or providing better information.

TARGET POPULATION

Businesses, Business regulators

PARTNERSHIPS

Fiji

Tourism and related support services and industries; horticulture and agro-export; export processing

Current: Talanoa Treks; Pacific BedBank; Fiji Museum; Rise Beyond The Reef; Tourism Suncoast; Tourism Kadavu; Savusavu Tourism;

PNG

Tourism and hospitality; rural input services; local value addition; ICT and logistics

- Strengthening business capacity for community and small scale businesses
- Identifying profitable markets
- Developing strategic business plans
- Working with local communities to raise standards of services

Micronesia Conservation Society (MCS)



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VISION

Enduring partnerships that conserve our land and sea to improve quality of life for communities across Micronesia.

MISSION

We build partnerships, raise and manage funds, make grants, influence policy, and provide conservation and financing expertise.

GOALS

- To conserve the ecosystems identified as priorities by Micronesia's conservation policy frameworks (i.e. SDPs, NBSAPs, LAS, etc...);
- To reverse degradation and reduce pressure on ecosystems by promoting sustainable productive processes in collaboration with local communities;
- Promote community awareness about biodiversity conservation and support related environmental education
 programs that prepare communities to carry out biodiversity conservation; and
- Strengthen the capacity of community networks, NGOs, and other appropriate organizations to improve biodiversity conservation in Micronesia.

PROGRAMMES

- Capacity building
- Conservation
 - Research
 - Resource/ Information sharing
 - o Coral reef Ecosystem Health Monitoring
 - Watershed Climate Adaptation
 - Eco-system assessment
- Finance and Administration

TARGET POPULATION

Communities, Government, NGOs, Youth

PARTNERSHIPS

Variety including: The Nature Conservancy; The David and Lucille Packard Foundation; EU; National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA); EU; USD Department of the Interior; National Fish and Wildlife Foundation

- Capacity building and awareness on the following:
- Seafarer Rights
- Human trafficking
- Sexual exploitation of women and children
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster risk management

ORGANISATIONS WITH REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

Oxfam



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VISION

International

A just world without poverty. We want a world where people are valued and treated equally, enjoy their rights as full citizens, and can influence decisions affecting their lives.

Pacific

Pacific Island peoples are leading and shaping their own development and where their voices are heard and acted on by those in power.

MISSION

Oxfam in the Pacific is part of Oxfam, an international confederation of 18 organisations working together with partners and local communities in more than 90 countries. In the Pacific, we work with civil society organisations, community groups, the private sector and in academia to mobilise the power of people against poverty.

PURPOSE

To help create lasting solutions to the injustice of poverty. We are part of a global movement for change, empowering people to create a future that is secure, just, and free from poverty.

PROGRAMMES

Vanuatu

Effective Leadership and Governance, Resilience and Disaster Response, Gender Equity and Sustainable Livelihoods

Solomon Islands

Gender Justice, Disaster Risk Reduction, Civil Society Strengthening and Coordination

PNG

Gender Justice, Infrastructure Development, Labour Rights

• Fiji

Gender Justice and Equity, Human Rights, Good Governance, Disaster Response

TARGET POPULATION

Communities

PARTNERSHIPS

Variety

- Seafarers' rights
- Human trafficking
- Sexual exploitation of women and children
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster risk management

Pacific Conference of Churches (PCC)



LOCATION AND CONTACT

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VISION

A Pacific region that is characterized by the values of unity, solidarity, justice, peace, dialogue and leadership after the heart and mind of Jesus, and a spirituality that gives grounding and substance to PCC's existence and to the work it does.

MISSION

- Encourage and promote a spirit of ecumenism among the Churches in the Pacific.
- Encourage and support member Churches to seek the guidance of the Holy Spirit in studying and working towards the full visible unity of the one undivided Church.
- Help members evaluate their work in mission and to help them co-ordinate, organize and plan together so
 that wherever possible their personnel, finance and material resources can be more effectively utilized in joint
 action for mission.
- Encourage and promote among members a greater awareness of justice, peace, integrity of creation and human development among the people and nations of the Pacific region and the world.
- Facilitate mutual consultation on issues affecting Church relationship and other issues of common concern among the members.
- Encourage and promote active participation by members in the wider ecumenical movement.
- Be a means whereby the Churches of the Pacific can help each other and help Churches and other organizations in other parts of the world in times of natural disaster and special need, or to secure help from the Churches in the other parts of the world in times of similar natural disaster or need.
- Encourage and promote programmes and disseminate information for the preaching and spreading of the Word of God.
- Undertake such co-operative activities and programmes on behalf of members as the Assembly may from time to time approve.
- Encourage and promote inter-faith dialogue.

PROGRAMMES

Core

- Ecumenism in the Pacific (theological reflection and training and education, governance and leadership, ecumenical formation)
- Stewardship of God's creation (climate change, resettlement, environment)
- Self-determination (health and Church, HIV and AIDS)

Cross-cutting Programmes (Strategic sectoral programmes in PCC language)

- Women gender-based violence, male advocacy
- Youth Empowerment seen as the vehicle to implement activities and policies

TARGET POPULATION

- 27 member churches and 9 member councils of churches in 17 Pacific island states and territories
- Young People
- Women
- NGOs

PARTNERSHIPS

- World Council of Churches
- Council for World Mission (CWM);
- EMW Evangelisches Missionswerk in Deutschland (an Institute of the EKD Evangelische Kirche in Deutchland (Evangelical Church in Germany)
- CWS Christian World Service
- DFAT Australia
- Global Ministries
- Brot für die Welt (Bread for the World)

- Human trafficking
- Seafarers' rights
- Sexual exploitation of women and children
- Information sharing; Youth training
- Research
- Sustainable livelihoods
- HIV & AIDS

Pacific Disability Forum (PDF)



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VISION

A regional organisation of and for persons with disabilities and representing their voice for inclusion in compliance with the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD).

MISSION

To improve the situations of persons with disabilities in Pacific Island Countries & Territories by developing and strengthening the capacity of member disabled persons' organisations through advocacy and collaboration with relevant stakeholders.

OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the PDF work within the Pacific region as stated in the PDF Constitution:

- Promote and advocate for the recognition of all human rights of all persons with disabilities.
- Promote and advocate for the recognition of the needs and interests of Pacific persons with disabilities in respect of political, economic, social and cultural development.
- Promote and advocate for the recognition of the needs and rights of women, youth and children with disabilities.
- Provide a democratic multilateral decision-making forum for the resolution of issues that have a Pacific regional dimension.
- Collect and disseminate information about disability-related concerns in the Pacific region.
- Encourage and support the development and strengthening of Pacific disabled persons organisations.
- Promote cooperation and joint activity in respect of disability-related concerns among Pacific region disabled
 persons organisations, agencies of the United Nations in the Asia and Pacific region, Pacific governments,
 Pacific region national human rights institutions, intergovernmental bodies, donor and development agencies
 and other relevant bodies.
- Develop and publish disability policy and program resources.
- Promote and support research into disability-related concerns in the Pacific region.
- Promote, support and monitor the implementation of the UNESCAP Incheon Strategy 'To Make the Right Real' for Persons with Disabilities in the Asia and Pacific Region 2013-2025, UN Sustainable Development goals and the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.
- Promote, support and monitor the implementation of the Framework for Pacific Regionalism and the Pacific Framework for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities 2016-2025, and all other intergovernmental agreements and initiatives for the benefit of persons with disabilities.
- Represent and promote the interests and concerns of the PDF at Pacific regional, Asian and Pacific regional and international events and decision-making processes.

CORE VALUES

In pursuing its vision, PDF seeks to exemplify the following values:

- We are innovative and practical
- We are inclusive and respectful
- We are independent and trust worthy
- We are strategic and reliable
- We are transparent and accountable
- We are united and self-determined
- We are passionate and committed to equality

PROGRAMMES

- Women
- Youth with disabilities
- Research, Advocacy
- Capacity building
- Development

TARGET POPULATION

- Disabled Persons Organisations
- Governments
- Regional and national organisations
- Communities
- Private Sector

PARTNERSHIPS

- CBM Australia
- UN Women
- Australian Aid

- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster Risk Management
- Violence against women with disabilities
- Seafarers' rights and disabilities
- Research

ORGANISATIONS WITH REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

Pacific Foundation for the Advancement of Women (PACFAW)

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VISION: To be supplied

MISSION: To be supplied

GOAL

Empower women economically, politically, socially

PROGRAMMES

Five thematic areas:

- Women and health
- Economic empowerment of women and poverty alleviation
- Women and having sustainable environment and responsible energy management (lack in capacity training on oceans and fisheries and want to pursue)
- Political empowerment of women
- Peace and Security

TARGET POPULATION

Women in the Pacific

PARTNERSHIPS

- Empowerment of women
- Awareness & Training

Pacific Dialogue Ltd (PD)



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VISION

A just, peaceful and democratic Fiji in the Pacific

MISSION

To promote dialogue and education on critical issues on Fiji and the Pacific as a means to resolve conflict, develop understanding and uphold basic human rights.

MISSION OBJECTIVES

- Investigate the causes of conflicts that lead to the breakdown of democracy and the rule of law;
- Alleviate social tensions by facilitating dialogue and promoting a culture of peace;
- Promote the role of traditionally under-represented groups such as women and youth by creating an inclusive platform for debate;
- Strengthens institutional capacities to mediate conflict and uphold human rights through training and practical assistance:
- Improve public awareness of human rights and conflict prevention through community outreach and education

GOALS AND INTERESTS

Pacific Dialogue's goals and interests are the:

- delivery of awareness on human trafficking and commercial sexual exploitation of children in Fiji and the Pacific Islands region;
- delivery of awareness on abuse and trafficking in the Pacific tuna fishery, which includes research, collection of data, and advocacy
- advocacy on good governance in Fiji, including supporting reconciliation between descendants of the Girmit and iTaukei;
- outreach to communities and youth on good governance;
- · support for improvements in post-harvest management of fish in Fiji; and
- support for the protection of Fiji's borders.

TARGET POPULATION

Communities

PARTNERSHIPS

- Canada Fund
- NZHC, US Embassy
- Fiji Police (Human Trafficking Unit, C.I.D., Juvenile Bureau)
- WWF Pacific
- UNICEF Fiji
- Post Fiji, Tappoo Ltd
- Rotary Club Suva
- ROC Market Management

- Social issues
- Human rights (people smuggling, slavery)
- Fishing crew safety
- Sustainable fisheries management

Pacific Islands Association of Non-Government Organisations (PIANGO)



Pacific Islands Association of Non-governmental Organisations

Association Des Ongs
Desiles Du Pacifique

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VISION

Strong and effective civil society leadership exercised for a sustainable, just, compassionate and peaceful Pacific community.

MISSION

PIANGO is the regional coalition providing a unified CSO platform for national umbrella NGOs. It strives for an enabling environment through networking, partnerships, leadership development, evidence based policy advocacy, communication and facilitating of common voice on issues at regional and international forums. This fosters recognition of the critical role of CSOs to influence positive sustainable change for development effectiveness in the communities they serve.

PROGRAMMES

- Strengthening CSO platforms in the Pacific
- Development effectiveness
- Action research and policy advocacy
- Pacific developmental leadership (not age specific as the focus is on developing the next generational leadership of CSO leaders)
- CSO capacity strengthening

TARGET POPULATION

NGOs, Communities

PARTNERSHIPS

- Brot fur die Welt (BfdW) (Bread for the World)
- The CSO Partnership for Development Effectiveness
- The International Forum of National NGO Platforms (IFP)
- Pacific Islands Forum
- The EU Delegation

- Seafarers rights
- Human trafficking
- Sexual Exploitation of Women and Children
- HIV/AIDS
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster risk management
- Research and Information sharing

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PROGRAMMES

- Strengthened and institutionalised arrangements for PIFS-NSA collaboration in regional policy development and implementation;
- 2. Enhanced NSA awareness to engage, influence and monitor regional policy development;
- 3. Strengthened institutional capacities of NSAs to effectively participate in regional policy dialogue.

TARGET POPULATION

Civil society organisations, NGOs, Research institutes, Think tanks, Networks, Issues-based coalitions, Private sector

PARTNERSHIPS

- European Union
- PIFS
- Non State Actors
- Governments PIF members

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

• Collaboration on information sharing and capacity building of CSOs

Pacific Island Private Sector Organisation (PIPSO)



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VISION

Promoting and inspiring the growth of Pacific businesses.

MISSION

Promoting and inspiring the growth of Pacific businesses.

PRINCIPLES

CORE VALUES

The work we do and the way we do it is premised on the following:

Relevance

- We deliver to our members and the wider Pacific business community timely and relevant information, programs and services that deliver measurable results.
- Innovation We embrace and encourage new ideas and creative thinking to strive for continuous improvements of organisational operations and programs.
- Integrity We conduct business with honesty and integrity and making decisions to ensure future stability and sustainability.
- Leadership We promote and provide leadership that embraces our membership and impacts the direction of the wider Pacific business community.
- Teamwork We cultivate a culture of teamwork to accomplish goals and objectives and empower staff and partners we work with.
- Outreach We reach out, be transparent, and communicate our work using the most appropriate communication and information tools and methods.

FOCAL ACTIVITIES

- Build strong and responsive National Private Sector Organisations (NPSOs)
- Promote and facilitate greater cooperation and information sharing with the private sector
- Improve private sector dialogue and partnerships with government and partners
- Facilitate and build private sector business, trade and competitiveness
- Strengthen private sector involvement in national and regional policy development and support implementation

- Advocate for the interest of the private sector at regional and international forums
- Maintain a sustainable, effective and relevant PIPSO.

TARGET POPULATION

Private sector businesses, Women and young people

PARTNERSHIPS

- Private sector
- Pacific businesses
- Governments
- Development agencies
- Academia
- Civil society groups

- Private sector business development and management in Fiji and the Pacific
- Women and young people

Pacific Islands Tuna Industry Association (PITIA)



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OBJECTIVES

- To provide a united voice for the domestic fishing and associated industries of members
- To facilitate and encourage the economically and biologically sustainable use of tuna and tuna-related resources
- To undertake, coordinate and promote liaison and negotiations with national, regional and international bodies and other entities with similar interest

PROGRAMMES

- Representation of commercial interests to policy making forums
- Information dissemination and profile building
- Promotion of sustainable fishing behavior which adds value to the industry

TARGET POPULATION

- Private sector fishing
- Fishing processing
- Fish canning industries

PARTNERSHIPS

FFA/PI OFM/GEF

- Offshore fisheries issues (economic, social, environmental)
- Private sector engagement
- MSC certification
- Monitoring Control and Surveillance (MSC)
- WCPFC engagement

Pacific Network on Globalisation (PANG)



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MISSION

PANG is a Pacific regional network promoting economic justice in globalisation with specific attention to:

- accountability and transparency in economic and trade policy processes
- Poverty eradication
- equitable development and sustainable livelihoods (opportunity, access, impact)
- food sovereignty and environmental sustainability

PROGRAMMES

- Economic Justice
- Extractive industries
- Financial Institutions and Foreign Investment
- Self-determination

TARGET POPULATION

PANG works across the island countries of the Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat – Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, Kiribati, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Republic of the Marshall Islands, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu and Vanuatu and has strong links with fair trade campaigning organisations in Australia, New Zealand and the European Union.

PARTNERSHIPS

- Pacific Civil Society Organisations
- Workers' organisations
- Educators
- Students
- Fair trade campaigners

- Tuna trade
- Corruption Awareness in tuna fisheries
- Human trafficking
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Food security

Pacific Ocean Alliance (POA)



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PIES VISION

"Leaders believe the Pacific region can, should and will be a region of peace, harmony, security and economic prosperity, so that all of its people can lead free and worthwhile lives.

We treasure the diversity of the Pacific and seek a future in which its cultures, traditions and religious beliefs are valued, honoured and developed.

We seek a Pacific region that is respected for the quality of its governance, the sustainable management of its resources, the full observance of democratic values and for its defence and promotion of human rights.

We seek partnerships with our neighbours and beyond to develop our knowledge, to improve our communications and to ensure a sustainable economic existence for all."

(Auckland Declaration, April 2004)

PIFS MISSION

Our mission is to ensure the effective implementation of the Leaders' decisions for the benefit of the people of the Pacific.

PIFS GOALS

Our goals are:

- to stimulate economic growth and enhance political governance and security for the region, through the
 provision of policy advice; and to strengthen regional cooperation and integration through coordinating,
 monitoring and evaluating implementation of Leaders' decisions;
- to bring about strengthened coordination and collaboration across and between stakeholders on cross sectoral ocean issues;
- enhancing coordination, collaboration and integration with a focus on development effectiveness and improving return on investment;
- assisting the Commissioner to undertake high level-advocacy and awareness activities;
- providing expertise and support to Pacific Island Countries and Territories on cross-sectoral ocean issues, such as biodiversity in areas beyond national jurisdiction;
- developing coordinated approaches to measurement and reporting lifting accountability;
- promoting Pacific Island Countries and Territories establish maritime boundaries and extended continental shelves;
- analysis of linkages between oceans and climate change, ensuring the Pacific is well placed to meet the challenges ahead;

In addition technical and scientific support for the Commissioner is also provided by the CEOs of relevant Pacific regional organisations (CROP Agencies), particularly the Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC), the Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA), the Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Program (SPREP) and the University of the South Pacific (USP), and through their CROP Marine Sector Working Group.

PROGRAMMES

The POA is an open-ended and voluntary information-sharing and coordination partnership between stakeholders with a genuine interest in the sustainable development, management and conservation of the Pacific Ocean and its resources.

The POA provides – through a combination of virtual platforms and face-to-face meetings – a space and common ground to bring together partners such as national government agencies, regional organisations, private sector, academia and research organisations, civil society organisations and communities, who are not currently represented in a coordinated way on ocean issues.

The POA is not a decision-making partnership; however, recommendations may stem from partnership discussions that relevant governments and/or POA partners may choose to progress and/or implement. The POA provides, amongst other things; a mechanism for inclusive consultation in the development and implementation of policy and programs, provision of technical advice as it relates to the sustainable development, management and conservation of the Ocean. It will be guided by the needs of the region under the auspices of the Pacific Ocean Commissioner.

TARGET POPULATION

- Governments
- Regional organisations
- CSO/NGOs
- Academia

PARTNERSHIPS

- Governments
- Regional Organisations
- CSO/NGOs
- Academia

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Collaboration in the WWF Off-shore Fisheries push towards working on broader social issues

Pacific Women



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APPROACH

- To improve the political, economic and social opportunities of Pacific women in 14 Pacific countries
- Increase the effective representation of women, and women's interests, through leadership at all levels of decision-making
- Expand women's economic opportunities to earn an income and accumulate economic assets
- Reduce violence against women and increase access to support services and to justice for survivors of violence

PROGRAMMES

FOCUS AREAS

- Leadership and Decision Making
- Economic Empowerment
- Ending Violence Against Women
- Education
- Health
- Monitoring and Evaluation

Activities:

- Capacity building
- Research
- o Information sharing
- o Supporting programmes to improve women's economic empowerment
- Improvement of law enforcement, justice systems and the coordination of service providers to reduce violence against women

TARGET POPULATION

- Women
- Communities
- NGOs
- Government

PARTNERSHIPS

- Australian Aid
- Governments
- Pacific and International NGOs
- Regional organisations
- UN agencies
- Development banks
- Private sector
- · Women and men from the Pacific

- Sustainable Livelihoods
- Violence against women
- Human trafficking
- Sexual exploitation of women and children

Pacific Youth Council (PYC)



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VISION

Empowering young people to become active citizens and leaders

MISSION

We are a platform for the interests, needs and development of young people in the Pacific Region

GOALS

- To strengthen the capacity of PYC as a regional youth platform (including strengthening the capacity of PYC
 members and of young people in the cross-cutting issues of employment, governance and leadership, climate
 change, health, and gender
- To strengthen partnerships and coalitions
- To strengthen Pacific youth voice, engagement and participation

PROGRAMMES

- Capacity Building provision of training or access to training through partnerships
- Networking creation and maintenance of networks
- Advocacy linked to the above. Creation of informed champions for a variety of areas

TARGET POPULATION

- 10 member National Youth Councils: Cook Islands, FSM, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Marshall Is., Solomon Is., Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu
- Observer National Youth Councils: Fiji, Samoa and PNG
- Youth/ young people (as defined by its members) and their communities

PARTNERSHIPS

- Pacific Leadership Program
- Secretariat of the Pacific Community
- National Youth Councils
- Ministries of Youth
- European Youth Forum
- Commonwealth Local Government Forum
- USAID
- International Award (formerly Duke of Edinburgh Award)
- UNESCO
- UN-Pacific Regional Anti-Corruption Project
- UNAIDS
- Commonwealth Youth Programme

- Capacity building: PIRFO Observers
- Advocacy against human trafficking; and the sexual exploitation of women and children (creation of youth champions)
- Research on perceptions of tuna fisheries amongst youth/ in the community
- Programmes on sustainable livelihoods, food security, resilience with a link to tuna fisheries (e.g. importance of mangroves to all fisheries or sustainable harvesting of tuna)

Pacific Islands News Association (PINA)



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VISION

Currently under review, to be finalized in May 2018

MISSION

Currently under review, to be finalized in May 2018

GOALS

Currently under review, to be finalized in May 2018

PROGRAMMES

- Media training and awareness
- Provision of news

TARGET POPULATION

PINA subscribers

PARTNERSHIPS

- Communications Initiative
- International News Safety Institute (INSI)
- UNDP PC
- AusAID
- NZAID
- SPREP
- ONOC
- UNAIDS
- Media Helping Media
- PIFS
- SPC
- IFEX
- UNESCO
- AIBD
- GFMD
- SEAPAWPFC
- IFJ

- Regional fisheries coverage
- · Create media awareness on how the media works (what the media needs are when packaging media materials

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GOAL AND PURPOSE

We strive for a just world that advances children's rights and equality for girls.

We engage people and partners to:

- Empower children, young people and communities to make vital changes that tackle the root causes of discrimination against girls, exclusion and vulnerability;
- Drive change in practice and policy at local, national and global levels through our reach, experience and knowledge of the realities children face;
- Work with children and communities to prepare for and respond to crises and to overcome adversity; and
- Support the safe and successful progression of children from birth to adulthood.

STRATEGY

- To fulfill the promise of the 2030 Global Goals, our 5-year Global Strategy is designed to deliver significant change for girls and boys, putting a special emphasis on gender equality.
- To work vulnerable children and especially girls so that they can learn, lead, decide and thrive.

PROGRAMMES

- Education
- Early Childhood
- Skills and Work
- Ending Violence
- Youth Activism
- Emergencies
- Sexual Health and Rights

TARGET POPULATION

- Women
- Girls/children
- Youths

PARTNERSHIPS

- Public donations
- Institutions
- Corporates

- Violence against women and children
- Human trafficking
- Sexual exploitation of women and children
- Human resilience (post disaster and conflict)

Save the Children Australia (looks after Vanuatu, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, and Nauru) / Save the Children Fiji



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VISION

To live in a world in which every child attains the right to survival, protection, development and participation.

MISSION

To do this through stimulating breakthroughs in the way the world values children while achieving immediate and lasting change in children's lives.

GOAL

To achieve these by strengthening key partnerships so all children, especially those from marginalized and disadvantaged communities, benefit from greater public commitment and better use of society's resources.

PROGRAMMES

Save the Children takes a holistic approach to its advocacy and programmatic work by working directly on key areas of:

- Education
- Health
- Child Rights
- Child Participation
- Disaster Risk Reduction

TARGET POPULATION

- Children
- Communities
- NGOs
- Government

PARTNERSHIPS

- NZ Aid
- Australian Aid
- EU
- Save the Children New Zealand

- Sexual Exploitation of Women and Children
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster Risk Management
- Information sheets on tuna fisheries

The Nature Conservancy (TNC)



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VISION

A world where the diversity of life thrives and people act to conserve nature for its own sake and its ability to fulfill our needs and enrich our lives.

MISSION

To conserve the lands and waters on which all life depends.

PROGRAMMES

- Scientific research to inform conservation practices
- Policy and Landscape conservation

On Oceans

- Focus on coastal waters where development and use pressures are greatest and where people are most dependent upon the oceans
- Design and implement fisheries management approaches that promote stable supplies of seafood, secure livelihoods for fishing communities and marine conservation
- Focus on the need for improved overall governance, policies and management of our oceans at all scales, from
 individual sites, to regional, national and multinational levels balancing development and conservation needs

Papua New Guinea

Empowering local people to design sustainable futures for the lands and waters that surround them.

Activities

- o helping grow Fair Trade cocoa crops
- o drawing up networks of marine protected areas in the Coral Triangle
- helped establish the Papua New Guinea Mama Graun (Mother Earth) Conservation Trust Fund the first of its kind in Papua New Guinea — designed to provide long-term, uninterrupted funding for biodiversity conservation work

Solomon Islands (Choiseul Province)

Building resilience to climate change

Goals

- creation of a network of protected areas that stretches from the region's lushly forested ridges to its coral reefs; and
- establishment of at least one marine and one terrestrial protected area in each of Choiseul's 12 districts

Activities

 Collection of data on the region's flora, fauna and landmarks, cataloguing species including hornbills, sharks and flying foxes

Plans

- Targets for ecosystem-based adaptation, including natural defenses against climate change such as mangroves, barrier reefs, and wetlands that can be preserved and restored
- o Food and freshwater resources such as community gardens and water catchments
- New practices that limit the degradation and exploitation of important resources.

Micronesia

 Helping the Micronesia Challenge go further by supplying the scientific know-how and conservation creativity needed to develop new environmental approaches.

TARGET POPULATION

- National governments
- Local communities

PARTNERSHIPS

- Governmental Agencies
- Companies such as Dow Chemical Company, Coca-Cola, Fair Trade, Crystal Light (Kraft Foods')
- Non-Profit Organisations such as WWF
- Local stakeholders including landowners, farmers and fisher people
- Indigenous and Traditional Communities
- Multilateral-Bilateral Institutions Indonesia Illegal Logging Project, Equator Initiative, Conservation Finance Alliance, Global Conservation Program

- Collaborate on fisheries management making linkages between inshore and off shore fisheries to sustainable livelihoods
- Advocacy against human trafficking; and the sexual exploitation of women and children

The Seamen's Church Institute (SCI)



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MISSION

The Centre for Seafarers' Rights works to improve laws and practices that protect mariners and increase the safety and security of the maritime industry.

PROGRAMMES

- Adult education tailored specifically for professional mariners
- Advocacy for mariners' welfare
- Providing professional legal services free of charge

TARGET POPULATION

Mariners

PARTNERSHIPS

- AEP River Operations
- Ingram Marine Group
- Kirby Corporation
- Seward & Kissel LLP

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Human trafficking

Transparency International (TI)

(Pacific offices include TI Fiji, TI PNG, TI Solomon Islands, TI Vanuatu)



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VISION

International

Our Vision is a world in which government, politics, business, civil society and the daily lives of people are free of corruption.

MISSION

Our Mission is to stop corruption and promote transparency, accountability and integrity at all levels and across all sectors of society. Our Core Values are: transparency, accountability, integrity, solidarity, courage, justice and democracy.

VALUES

Transparency, Accountability, Integrity, Solidarity, Courage, Justice, Democracy

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- 1. As coalition-builders, we will work cooperatively with all individuals and groups, with for-profit and not-for-profit corporations and organisations, and with governments and international bodies committed to the fight against corruption, subject only to the policies and priorities set by our governing bodies.
- 2. We undertake to be open, honest and accountable in our relationships with everyone we work with, and with each other.
- 3. We will be democratic, politically non-partisan and non-sectarian in our work.
- 4. We will condemn bribery and corruption vigorously wherever it has been reliably identified.
- The positions we take will be based on sound, objective and professional analysis and high standards of research.
- We will only accept funding that does not compromise our ability to address issues freely, thoroughly and objectively.
- 7. We will provide accurate and timely reports of our activities to our stakeholders.
- 8. We will respect and encourage respect for fundamental human rights and freedom.
- 9. We are committed to building, working with and working through Chapters worldwide.
- 10. We will strive for balanced and diverse representation on our governing bodies.
- 11. As one global movement, we stand in solidarity with each other and we will not act in ways that may adversely affect other Chapters or the TI movement as a whole.

Adopted by the TI Annual Membership Meeting (AMM) in Prague, 06 October 2001 updated by the TI AMM in Bali, 28 October 2007 and by the AMM in Berlin, 16 October 2011.

TI Fiji

Vision

We envisage a Fiji free of corruption

Mission

We seek to eradicate corruption by mobilising stakeholders to promote and strengthen integrity and ethics.

Objective

To strengthen TI Fiji's organizational capacity, membership and resources so that it contributes effectively to fighting corruption.

Values

We value transparency, accountability, integrity, justice, equality, courage, democracy, peace and stability.

PROGRAMMES

TI Fiji

Involved in a number of awareness building and institutional strengthening initiatives:

- Advocacy and Legal Advice Centre
- Youth Integrity Promotion
- Open Budget Initiative

TI PNG

- School based civic education,
- Open parliament project
- Domestic elections observation

TI Vanuatu

- Youth awareness of corruption and the fight against corruption
- Youth parliament
- Human rights education

TARGET POPULATION

- Communities
- Government
- CSO
- Private Sector

PARTNERSHIPS

Variety including:

- UNDP
- UN-PRAC
- NZAid
- Australian Aid
- French Embassy in Vanuatu

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Corruption awareness in offshore fisheries and its impact on communities' livelihoods

ORGANISATIONS WITH REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

Wantok Moana



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ABOUT WANTOK MOANA

Wantok Moana is a name given to the School of Marine Studies Students Association. Wantok means tribe, while Moana is ocean. The Association consists of current students, Undergrads, Post-grad and Masters. It also compromises of the staff of the SMS, former staff and students as well.

The Committee is charged with assisting the students academically and welfare needs. Through our networks, we are able to secure employment and attachment for our members.

Members are involved in Marine Conservation and Awareness and have volunteered for activities and contributed towards the Association's objective.

We try to put out a monthly newsletter to inform our members and interested parties about what current projects we are engaged in.

We have a constitution which governs our existence, under the University of the South Pacific Student's Association, LISPSA

Issues raised by our members with regards to their learning environment are addressed accordingly with the appropriate parties and to date we have managed to address all issues.

MISSION

- To provide a forum for marine awareness, conservation and management issues amongst science and management students of the School of Marine Studies.
- To provide opportunities for WM members to obtain hands-on work experience, either in a voluntary capacity
 or otherwise, with the government, non-governmental organisations and the private sector.

PROGRAMMES / ACTIVITIES

- Provide support to the School of Marine Studies at events such as the USP Open Day, World Maritime Day
- Clean up campaigns

TARGET POPULATION

Undergraduate and Postgraduate students enrolled in marine science and marine management courses offered by the School of Marine Studies, Faculty of Science, Technology and Environment)

PARTNERSHIPS

Wantok Moana has done work with:

- The School of Marine Studies, USP (assisting with School and University events)
- Captain Cook Cruises Limited (conducting coral reef surveys)
- The Coral Reef Alliance (conducting SCUBA diver-shark questionnaire surveys 2012
- The Pacific Centre for Environment and Sustainable Development, USP (organised and provided session moderators, recorders and logistical support for the 2014 Sustainable Sea Transport Talanoa)
- The Pacific Centre for Environment and Sustainable Development, USP (organised and provided session moderators, recorders and logistical support for the 2014 International Conference on Renewable Energy and Climate Change)
- World Wide Fund for Nature (provided volunteers for 2014 turtle Fiji survey)
- IUCN World Oceans Day 2011-2012 (provided volunteers)

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Advocacy on marine conservation and marine resource management

Wildlife Conservation Society (WCS)



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VISION

Connected, resilient, ecoscapes that provide habitat for abundant and diverse species while sustaining natural resources, livelihoods and culture for Fijian communities. In order to communicate the value of EBM for Fiji, the program has adopted a slogan of: "Healthy people, processes and systems".

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To preserve the functional integrity and resilience of Fiji's priority ecoscapes by integrating community-based adaptive management with science-based solutions in order to protect iconic species, maintain habitat connectivity and preserve livelihoods with the informed, active and sustainable support of local and national stakeholders.

VALUES

- 1. Fiji's cultural and natural heritage are mutually dependent.
 - Preservation and strengthening of traditional management strategies is essential for conservation of biodiversity.
 - Preservation of iconic species is crucial to maintenance of cultural traditions.
- 2. Sustainable livelihoods rely on maintaining or restoring ecological processes and diversity across Fiji's ecoscapes.

GOAL FOR MELANESIA

Ensure that ecosystems and species are managed sustainably to support local livelihoods and conservation for the long-term.

OBJECTIVES

- Assist communities and governments in effectively protecting at least six important landscapes and seascapes across Melanesia.
- Significantly improve the status of 10 threatened species and species groups, with effective management under local and nationally recognized plans.
- Be recognized by Melanesian governments and other NGOs as the premier regional institution to provide evidence-based guidance that informs species conservation and ecosystem protection.
- Develop targeted education and awareness programs about human impacts on natural systems and options for management, which will build on Melanesian cultural values of stewardship.
- Leverage the resources and strengths from our existing country programs in Fiji and Papua New Guinea to develop new country programs in the Solomon Islands and Vanuatu.

TARGET POPULATION

Communities Governments

PARTNERSHIPS

Variety including:

- The Christensen Foundation
- Australian Aid
- Clinton Health Access Initiatives
- David and Lucile Packard Foundation
- PNG Department of Environment and Conservation
- MARSH
- University of Queensland

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

Sustainable livelihoods

World Vision



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VISION

Our vision for every child, life in all its fullness, our prayer for every heart, the will to make it so

World Vision International

MISSION

World Vision is a Christian relief, development and advocacy organisation dedicated to working with children, families and communities to overcome poverty and injustice.

Inspired by our Christian values, we are dedicated to working with the world's most vulnerable people. We serve all people regardless of religion, race, ethnicity or gender.

PROGRAMMES

- Health
 - o Child Health Now
 - o HIV & AIDS
 - o Infectious Diseases
 - 0 Maternal & Child Health
 - 0 Nutrition
- Water & Sanitation
- **Education & Life Skills**
- Disaster Management
- Child Rights and Equity
 - Child ParticipationChild Protection

 - o Disability Inclusion
 - o Gender
- Resilience & Livelihoods
 - Agriculture & Food Security
 - o Economic Development
 - Food Assistance
- Risk & Resilience
- Disaster Risk Reduction & Community Resilience
- Natural Environment & Climate Change
- Peace Building & Conflict Sensitivity
- **Urban Programming**
- Vision Fund International
 - o Microfinance

TARGET POPULATION

Communities especially families and children

PARTNERSHIPS

- World Food Program
- UNHCR
- UNICEF
- **International Red Cross**
- The Sphere Project
- UKaid
- **European Commission**
- Australian AID
- USAID
- Canadian International Development Agency
- German Humanitarian Assistance
- Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation
- **BNP PARIBAS**
- FONDATION TOTAL

- Sustainable livelihoods
- Food security and Resilience
- Advocacy against human trafficking
- Sexual exploitation of women and children

ORGANISATIONS WITH REGIONAL PROGRAMMES

WorldFish



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MISSION

To strengthen livelihoods and enhance food and nutrition security by improving fisheries and aquaculture. We pursue this through research partnerships focused on helping those who stand to benefit the most—poor producers and consumers, women and children.

GOAL

Reduce poverty and hunger by improving fisheries and aquaculture

PROGRAMMES / RESEARCH AREAS

- Sustainable Aquaculture
- Resilient small-scale fisheries
- Value Chains and Nutrition

Cross-cutting Themes

- Entrepreneurship
- Gender
- Climate Change

TARGET POPULATION

WorldFish has research programmes in the Solomon Islands, Kiribati, Vanuatu in the Western Pacific, and in Timor Leste. WorldFish, with its regional partners, focuses on management of coastal marine resources, the promotion of supplementary livelihood options and the development of sustainable aquaculture.

PARTNERSHIPS

Numerous partners in a variety of fields including SPC, WWF, and World Vision Solomon Islands

- Awareness programmes on importance of mangroves
- Advocacy against human trafficking
- Advocacy against sexual exploitation of women and children

NATIONAL CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS

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VISION

A Fiji where people respect each other's differences and share a common will to build a free, just, peaceful, and inclusive nation.

MISSION

Engage with others to create inclusive spaces for dialogue and peace building, and develop capacities in Fiji's society for a culture of dialogue.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES: Inclusiveness, Transparency, Openness, Empathy

PROGRAMMES

- Citizens' Assembly
- Divisional Dialogues
- National Dialogue Conference
- Training
 - o Dialogue process design and facilitation techniques
 - Conflict analysis and dialogue

TARGET POPULATION

- NGOs
- Communities

PARTNERSHIPS

- East-West Management Institute
- Conciliation Resources
- UNDP Strengthening Capacities for Peace and Development (CPAD)

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

• Dialogue on tuna fisheries management

NATIONAL CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS

Fiji Environmental Law Association (FELA)



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VISION

Promoting sustainable resource management and the protection of Fiji's environment through law

MISSION

- To protect Fiji's environment and promote sustainable natural resource management through an effective legislative framework that encompasses Fiji's development needs in light of the nation's institutional, intellectual, financial and human resources restrictions.
- We are committed to engaging actively in environmental policy and law reform processes, and passing on these
 outcomes to the community through a robust legal education program.
- We are driven to provide legal and scientific assistance to our members and concerned entities in our community comp

APPROACH

We will realize our Vision by:

- Listening
- Keeping things simple
- Being transparent and accountable
- Finding timely and appropriate solutions in all of our engagements

VALUES

We uphold the rule of law. We aim for integrity, openness, honesty and fairness in the services we provide and in the relationships we establish.

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

- Policy and law reform
- Community and legal education
- Legal and scientific assistance
- Professional development of membership
- Institutional strengthening and self-financing mechanism

TARGET POPULATION

- Communities
- NGOs
- Legal practitioners

PARTNERSHIPS

- The David & Lucille Packard Foundation
- Global Green Grants Fund
- US Embassy Suva

- Information sharing
 - o General information on tuna fisheries
 - o Laws governing tuna Fisheries
- Training on legal aspects of fisheries and marine resource management

Palau Conservation Society (PCS)



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VISION

Healthy ecosystems for a healthy Palau

MISSION

To work with the community to preserve the nation's unique natural environment and perpetuate its conservation ethic for the economic and social benefit of present and future generations of Palauans and for the enjoyment and education of all.

CORE VALUES

- Respect for the Palauan Culture
- Respect for Science
- Belief in Sustainability
- Integrity

PROGRAMMES

• Conservation and Protected Areas

Operating at the site and community level, this program will focus on management planning for protected areas and on-the-ground conservation activities. This program is designed to help states access resources through the PAN. Species activities are a lesser priority.

Policy and Planning

Operating at the state and national level, this program will focus on the use of good scientific information in land use and comprehensive planning

Communications and Outreach

Operating at the national and international level, this program will provide information about programs and PCS to various audiences

Administration and Development

Operating at the organizational level, this program will maintain financial reporting, governance procedures and seek to expand Palau's representation among members

TARGET POPULATION

- Communities
- National and state governments
- Regional organisations

PARTNERSHIPS

BirdLife International FSPI (not in operation at the present time) National and State Governments Local communities

- Sustainable livelihoods
- Awareness on corruption
- Human trafficking

Partners in Community Development Fiji (PCDF)



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VISION

Communities achieving equitable, holistic and sustainable livelihoods

MISSION

Working in partnership with communities to empower and assist with informed decision making for their own development.

OBJECTIVES

To:

- increase self- reliance/ownership in rural communities
- promote good governance at all levels
- promote the protection of the environment
- sustain livelihoods
- manage interventions
- promote gender balance
- strengthen infrastructure development
- promote healthy living

PROGRAMMES

- Education and Capacity Enhancement (ECE)
- Natural Resource Management (NRM)
- Health Improvement (HI)
- Institutional Development (ID)

TARGET POPULATION

Communities

PARTNERSHIPS

Variety of partnerships including:

- Communities
- Private sector
- Government
- Brot fur die Welt (BfdW) (Bread for the World)
- WHO
- Australian Aid

- Human trafficking
- Sexual Exploitation of Women and Children
- Sustainable livelihoods
- Disaster Risk Management

NATIONAL CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS

Social Empowerment and Education Programme (SEEP Fiji)



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MOTTO

SEEP is founded on social justice and guided by promoting its principles to value and protect human dignity.

PROGRAMMES

- Sustainable democracy programme
- Sustainable resource utilization
- Youth in agriculture

TARGET POPULATION

Rural Communities

PARTNERSHIPS

Collaboration with PCC, WWF, WCS, PANG,FWRM, FWCC, Soqosoqo Vakamarama, and Government (Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Women)

- Social justice
- Social empowerment
- Sustainable resource management

Te Ipukarea Society Inc. (TIS)



TE IPUKAREA SOCIETY

Caring for our Environment

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PHILOSOPY

TIS encourages innovative, proactive and positive outcomes to environmental problems, by working with individuals, families, community organizations, private sector and government. We provide leadership on key environmental issues and a voice for local, regional and nation-wide environmental groups. We recognize and incorporate into our campaign objectives the connection between environmental sustainability and social and economic justice. We believe individuals must avoid actions that have negative effects on the wider community, including plants and animals and future generations. We promote the philosophy that we do not own our land and marine resources but we borrow them from our ancestors.

MISSION

The mission of the Society is to promote balance and harmony, which should characterise the relationship of the Cook Islands people with other components of our environment.

OBJECTIVES

To:

- disseminate information and create public awareness amongst members and the community regarding environmental matters
- demonstrate sound ideas and practices for the purpose of promoting conservative and sustainable development through carefully selected field projects; such demonstrations to draw on the traditional knowledge and practices where they are considered beneficial
- co-operate with similar organizations within the Cook Islands and throughout the world for the purpose of advancing the course of conservation and sustainable e development

PROGRAMMES

- Biodiversity
- Youth
- Climate Change
- Ecologically sustainable development
- Waste management

TARGET POPULATION

Cook Islanders

PARTNERSHIPS

- IUCN
- Bird Life International
- Cook Islands Whale Research,
- Cook Islands Whale and Wildlife Centre
- Titikaveka Growers Association
- Takitumu Conservation Area
- Natural Heritage Trust
- Cook Islands Voyaging Society

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

- Sustainable livelihoods
- Awareness on corruption
- Human trafficking
- Training on monitoring of boats and catch
- Sustainable fisheries
- Seabird research and surveys

On sustainable (offshore) fisheries:

- o Monitoring government policy on the offshore fisheries industry and the licensing of long line fishing
- TIS has concerns over the close relationship between the government fisheries regulatory agency (the Ministry of Marine Resources) and a foreign fishing association and the lack of transparency regarding the terms and conditions of licenses issued.
- TIS is also concerned with the MMR policy to increase fishing activity when other Pacific Islands countries
 are adopting more conservation measures and scientists have recommended that fishing effort be reduced
 for one species
- TIS continues to provide feedback on government fisheries policy including the draft offshore fisheries policy and the National Plan of Action on Sharks.
- TIS also monitors fisheries regulations, despite never being given the opportunity to comment on these regulations before they are passed.

Women in Fisheries Network (WiFN)



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VISION

Women empowered, recognized, valued and participating in all aspects of sustainable fisheries.

MISSION

To facilitate networks and partnership to enable opportunities for women to be informed about all aspects of sustainable fisheries in Fiji and increase the meaningful participation of women in decision making and management at all levels of sustainable fisheries in Fiji.

VALUES

- Empowerment of women to achieve economic and social justice;
- Inclusivity of women, men and their families in fisheries and the WiF Network-Fiji. Membership is open to any individual or organization with an interest in women in sustainable fisheries;
- Trustworthy to be trusted by the communities, government, our members, donors, staff and those who work with us;
- Non-political we are not aligned with any political party or group;
- Environmental sustainability is core in everything we do;
- Integrity we expect high levels of integrity from our members, staff and those who work with us;
- Accountable to our members, communities and donors; and
- Commitment to women in fisheries, our members, our work, our stakeholders and the environment

FOCUS

 Helping to build an environmentally sustainable, socially appropriate, and economically viable fisheries sector in Fiji in which the contribution and role of women in this sector is recognized and valued.

PROJECTS

- Mud crab awareness
- Financial literacy and business
- Training programs
- Gender and fisheries workshops
- Photo voice
- Capacity needs assessment in mud crab fishery

Strategic Priorities

- Improve livelihoods and food security opportunities for women in fisheries
- WiFNetwork Fiji recognized as research hub, clearing-house of information, and repository for issues related to women in fisheries
- · Advocate for improved policy and policy implementation for greater gender equality in all aspects of fisheries
- Build a strong network and responsive organisational base that utilises the diverse knowledge, skills and experiences of its members

TARGET POPULATION

- Women
- Communities

PARTNERSHIPS

- Other NGOs
- Government
- National agencies
- Regional agencies

Funding partners:

- DFAT
- Flora Family Foundation
- WCS

- Sustainable livelihoods
- Food security
- Women in fisheries research
- Social justice

ANALYSIS OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR ENGAGEMENT

There are five areas in which the WWF Sustainable Offshore Fisheries and Seafood programme can engage with the CSOs and NGOs listed in this report. These are:

- capacity building;
- advocacy;
- sustainable livelihood programmes;
- research; and
- information sharing

These areas are interrelated.

Capacity Building

There is an opportunity to build the capacities of youth and communities to be advocates/ champions and on-the-ground lobbyists for a sustainable fishery. Young people can also be trained to be monitors/ observers of boats and catch

The organisations that may best fit capacity building collaborations are:

- Pacific Youth Council
- Live and Learn
- Pacific Conference of Churches
- Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat Engagement with Non-State Actors Programme
- Pacific Network on Globalisation
- Pacific Women
- Te Ipukarea Society

In-country Opportunities

There are a number of organisations that have offices in more than one Pacific island country. This provides even greater opportunity to work in-country. These organisations are listed below, and include the Pacific Disabilities Forum and Pacific Youth Council. While these two latter organisations are headquartered in Fiji, the umbrella structure of the organisations means that they both effectively have sub-offices in the countries listed.

ORGANISATION	COUNTRY OFFICES
CARE	Papua New Guinea, Vanuatu
Foundation of the Peoples of the South Pacific International	Fiji, Kiribati, Papua New Guinea, Vanuatu
Live and Learn	Fiji, Kiribati, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu
Oxfam	Fiji, Vanuatu
Pacific Islands Association of Non- Governmental Organisations	Fiji, , Kiribati, Solomon Islands, Tuvalu, Vanuatu
Save the Children	Australia, Fiji
The Nature Conservancy	Federated States of Micronesia, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands
Transparency International	Fiji, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu
World Vision	Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu, (TBC – Fiji)
*Pacific Disabilities Forum	Fiji, works with Disabled Peoples Organisations in all Pacific Island countries
*Pacific Youth Council	Fiji, works with member National Youth Councils in Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu.

CONCLUSION

The involvement of CSOs and NGOs in sustainable tuna fisheries management is necessary as the fishery cuts across the social, natural, political and economic environments. Sustainable management is important not only to island communities that rely heavily on the ocean for sustenance and economic survival but also to the commercial viability of a multi-billion dollar industry. The CSO Mapping exercise is the starting point for greater collaboration between WWF Pacific Sustainable Fisheries and Seafood Programme and a variety of CSOs and NGOs. It provides a guide to who those CSOs and NGOs are and how collaboration may take place.

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