

Intergovernmental Conference on an international legally binding instrument under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity of areas beyond national jurisdiction (General Assembly resolution 72/249)

Organizational Meeting

16 to 18 April 2018

LUNCHTIME SIDE EVENTS

1:15 to 2:30 p.m.

Date	Side Event 1
<p>Monday, 16 April 2018</p>	<p><i>“The Potential Interlinkages between the Ocean Science Decade and the BBNJ Process”</i></p> <p>Permanent Missions of Barbados and Belgium to the United Nations</p> <p>CONFERENCE ROOM 5</p>
<p>Tuesday, 17 April 2018</p>	<p><i>“Capacity Building as a Key Aspect of a New International Agreement on Marine Biodiversity Beyond National Jurisdiction (BBNJ) and Options on Approaches, Modalities and Strategies”</i></p> <p>Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Tonga to the United Nations, International Coastal and Ocean Organization, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission (IOC) of UNESCO, and Ocean Policy Research Institute of the Sasakawa Peace Foundation, Japan</p> <p>CONFERENCE ROOM 5</p>
<p>Wednesday, 18 April 2018</p>	<p><i>“The Role of Technology in Biodiversity Conservation in ABNJ”</i></p> <p>Permanent Missions of Belize and the Republic of Maldives to the United Nations</p> <p>CONFERENCE ROOM 5</p>