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Workshop on capacity-building for strengthening the ocean science-policy interface Santos, Brazil (10 to 12 May 2023)

Wednesday 10 May “Ocean governance, Science-Policy and the Regular Process”

Time	Topic	Presenter/Coordinator
09:00 – 09:30	Registration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Host/Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DOALOS)
09:30 – 10:00	Welcoming remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Representative of the Host Country ● Francois Bailet, DOALOS ● Roberto de Pinho, Representative of the Group of Experts
10:00 - 10:05	Housekeeping	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Representative of UNIFESP
10:05-11:00	Law of the Sea and Ocean Governance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Francois Bailet, DOALOS
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30 – 13:00	Presentations on the science-policy lessons learned for strengthening the ocean science-policy interface <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mr. Francois Bailet: “Setting-the-scene” ● Ms. Mariamalia Rodriguez Chaves: National case study: Costa Rica ● Mr. Andrei Polejack: Regional case study 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Moderator: Francois Bailet, DOALOS
13:00– 14:30	Lunch	
14:30 – 14:50	The Regular Process for Global Reporting and Assessment of the Marine Environment, including socioeconomic aspects - The World Ocean Assessment (WOA) and its upcoming WOA III	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Marco Boccia, DOALOS ● Maria Bebianno, Representative of the Group of Experts
14:50-15:10	The Ocean Economy in the Third WOA: Results and insights from the survey “Identifying the priority topics for the Third World Ocean Assessment”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Fernanda Lana, Planetary Collaboration
15:10-16:10	Round table: “How to build a link between the Regular Process/World Ocean Assessment and the Decade of Ocean Science and other agendas (IOC, IPCC, IPBES)”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Moderator: Leandra Gonçalves ● Maria Bebianno and Rafael Gonzáles-Quirós Representative

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		<p>of the Group of Experts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Francois Bailet, DOALOS ● Alexander Turra, Representative of the UN Ocean Decade
16:10 – 16:30	Coffee Break	
16:30 – 17:00	Concluding remarks (recap of Discussions, learning and mapping opportunities)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Roberto de Pinho, Representative of the Group of Experts ● Representative of DOALOS

Thursday 11 May “Science-Policy: Integrating Knowledge”

Time	Topic	Presenter/Coordinator
9.30 – 11:00	Discussion on WOA topics: Policy Maker + Indigenous + Traditional + Scientific + Decade	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Moderator: Francois, Bailet, DOALOS ● Braulina Baniwa, Holder of Traditional and Indigenous knowledge ● Vinicius Lindoso, Representative of the IOC Unesco ● Tbc, Holder of Traditional and Indigenous Knowledge ● Rafael Gonzáles-Quirós, Representative of the Group of Experts ● Renzo Taddei, Anthropologist
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30 – 13:00	Round table: “Increasing diversity in the Regular Process/WOA III: the role of gender and youth”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Moderator: Mariamalia Rodriguez Chaves ● Othman Cherkaoui Dekkaki ● Barbara Pinheiro ● Leandra Gonçalves
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch Break	

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14.30 – 16:00	Breakout group discussion focusing on the ocean science-policy interface: Simulation exercise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Introduction: Mariamalia Rodriguez Chaves ● Moderators: Representatives of the Group of Experts and Andrei Polejack
16:00 – 16:30	Coffee Break	
16:30 - 17:15	Breakout group discussion focusing on the ocean science-policy interface: Simulation exercise + recap of simulation (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Introduction: Mariamalia Rodriguez Chaves ● Moderators: Representatives of the Group of Experts and Andrei Polejack
17:15 - 17:30	Closing remarks (Plenary: Discussions, learning and mapping opportunities)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Maria Bebianno, Representative of the Group of Experts ● Representative of DOALOS

Friday 12 May “Science-Policy: Getting Society to understand (& care about) the state of the ocean”

Time	Topic	Presenter/Coordinator
09:30 – 11.00	Round table discussion: Communicating on Ocean <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The role of communication and ocean literacy in the science-policy ● The importance of understanding the audience ● Communicating ocean for non-ocean engaged person ● The role of researchers and young professionals on communication ● Examples of best practices and discussions based on the Regular Process/ second World Ocean Assessment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Vinicius Lindoso, IOC-UNESCO ● Francois Bailet, DOALOS ● Janaina Bumbeer, Fundação Grupo Boticário, Brazil ● Rodrigo Thome, Euceano, Brazil ● Thando Mazumba, ECOP, South Africa
11:00 – 11.30	Coffee break	
11.30 – 13:00	Exercise on Effective Science Communication: Participants will work in small groups lead by a communication expert and a member of the Group of Experts and discuss in each group one chapter of the WOA II, and identify potential communication products for this subject	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Moderators: Communication experts

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	<p>Suggested Topics:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sustainable and Inclusive Ocean Economy: choice of chapters: 2. Chapter 8: Trends in ... human society... 3. Chapter 9: Pressures from changes in the atmosphere... 4. Chapter 21: renewable energy ... 5. Chapter 22: ... invasive species 	
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch Break	
14:30 – 16:00	Exercise on Effective Science Communication (continued) + Plenary: Discussions, learning and mapping opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Moderators: Communication experts
16:00 – 16:30	Coffee Break	
16:30 – 17:00	Closing remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Representative of the Host Country ● Francois Baillet, DOALOS ● Maria Bebianno, Representative of the Group of Experts