



2nd Technical Workshop on Monitoring of Marine and Coastal Biodiversity – Building on the Convention's Work on EBSAs

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National Marine Biodiversity Institute of Korea (MABIK), The Commonwealth Scientific and
Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO), The Global Ocean Observing System (GOOS) and
Marine Biodiversity Observation Network (MBON)*

**Saturday, 10 December 2016, 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm,
Asia and the Pacific Regional Group Meeting room (inside the Galactica Room)
The Moon Palace Hotel, Cancun**

Provisional Agenda¹ *(as of 9 December 2016)*

Time	Workshop Activities
1:00 – 1:15	Opening of the Workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome remark by the representative of the Executive Secretary of the CBD Opening remark by the President of National Marine Biodiversity Institute of Korea Background and the Workshop Objectives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workshop co-chairs (Nic Bax, CSIRO/Australia and Moustafa Fouda, Egypt)
	Session 1. Ecologically or Biologically Significant Marine Areas and implications for marine monitoring
	<i>Theme Presentations</i>
1:15 – 1:30	A values based approach for systematic monitoring of oceans health building on the work on EBSAs (Nic Bax and Piers Dunstan, CSIRO)
1:30 – 1:45	Using satellite data to monitor the condition of and human uses in the EBSAs (Pat Halpin, GOBI)
1:45 - 2:00	Monitoring the habitat use of megafauna over time in linkages with EBSAs (Giuseppe Notarbartolo di Sciara, CMS)
2:00 – 2:15	Marine biodiversity monitoring in existing and potential EBSAs: Korean example (Jinwook Back and Donguk Han, MABIK)
2:15 – 2:30	Monitoring of coral reef and invasive species : Mexico and Caribbean Example (Ricardo Gomez Lozano, CONANP, Mexico)
2:30 – 2:45	Monitoring changes in the use of EBSAs by seabirds (Carolina Hazin, Birdlife International)

¹ Some speakers and panelists are to be confirmed

2:45 – 3:00	EBSAs, GOOS, OBIS and Capacity Building (Eduardo Klein. OBIS)
3:00 – 3:30	<i>Coffee/tea break</i>
3:45 - 5:45	<p>Session 2. Engaging partners to support national needs</p> <p>Suggested questions for discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>How to use EBSAs information for marine biodiversity monitoring?</i> • <i>What to monitor in EBSAs?</i> • <i>How to facilitate national capacity for marine biodiversity monitoring in support of their progress in achieving Aichi Biodiversity Targets?</i> • <i>How to engage relevant regional/global partners to support national efforts?</i> <p>2.1 Panel Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alain de Comarmond (Principal Secretary, Seychelles) • Ana Paula Prates (Brazil) • Augusto Pinto (Timor Leste) • Iryna Makarenko (Black Sea Commission) • Malla Diagona (PRCM - Partenariat Régional pour la Conservation de la zone Côtière et Marine en Afrique de l'Ouest) • Jake Rice (World Ocean Assessment/IPBES) • Phillip Bubb (UNEP-WCMC) <p>2.2 Open Forum</p>
5:45 – 6:00	<p><i>Summary and Conclusion</i></p> <p>Closing of the workshop</p>
