

9th Pacific Islands Conference on Nature Conservation and Protected Areas: 2-6 December, 2013, Suva, Fiji: Provisional Agenda

DAY ONE Monday 2 nd	Plenary Sessions (Venue: Vodafone Arena)				Plenary Sessions (Venue: Vodafone Arena)	Evening Session (Working Groups)	Evening Event
Theme	8:30 – 10:30	10:30am – 11:00am	11:00am – 12:30pm		2:00pm – 3:30pm	5:00pm –	6:00pm – 8:30pm
State of Conservation	Opening Ceremony - Special programme (2 hours)	Morning tea: for all conference participants VIP guests: official photo	11:00am - 11:15am Official handover of Conference Chair	Lunch Break 12:30pm – 2:00pm	Chair: Fiji 2:00pm - 2:30pm State of Conservation Report - Synthesis: Stuart Chape, SPREP (30mins)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drafting Committee = Conference Declaration and Key Outcome Messages Action Strategy Review Committee 	Special event: Celebrating Conservation Successes: Opening reception and presentation of the Inaugural Pacific Islands Environment Leadership Awards Ceremony. Venue: National Gymnasium
			11:15am - 12:00pm Chair: Fiji Keynote Speaker: Tim Flannery, Australia Climate Council (45mins)				
			12:00-12:30pm Conference Agenda, Objectives and report on key achievements: Taholo Kami, PIRT-IUCN (30 mins)		2:30pm - 3:00pm Strategic Priorities for nature conservation and protected areas for the next five years and beyond: David Sheppard, SPREP (30mins)		
					3:00pm - 3:30pm Interactive Discussion (30 mins) [End of formal plenary session] 3:30pm - 5:00pm Free Flow Session: Viewing of PIRT Working Group displays		

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DAY TWO Tuesday 3 rd	Plenary Sessions (Venue: Vodafone Arena)				Parallel Sessions (Venue: USP Lecture Theatres)	Evening Session (Conference Drafting Committee only)	Evening Event
Theme	8:30 – 9:00am	9:00am – 9:30am	11:00am – 12:30pm		2:00pm – 5:30pm	5:30pm –	6:30pm –
Natural Solutions	Fiji Success Story (15mins)	Chair: Fiji Keynote Speaker: Nik Sechran <i>(30mins)</i>	Panel Session on Natural Solutions Chair: Nenenteiti Teariki-Ruatu, Kiribati Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stuart Chape, SPREP Nigel Dudley, WCPA Milika Sobey, IUCN 	Lunch Break 12:30pm - 2:00pm	1: Protected Areas 2: Coral Triangle Initiative 3: UNEP's Medium Term Strategy 4: Pacific Mangrove Initiative 5: Pathways to resilience in customary landholder communities 6: Economic analysis of climate change project 7: Marine Spatial Planning Special session: Action Strategy Review Venue: Vodafone Arena	Drafting Committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conference Declaration and Key Outcome Messages 	Free Evening
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Key outcomes and messages from Day1 Report back from the Action Strategy Committee <i>(15mins)</i> 	9:30am = 9:45am Welcome Message from the Executive Secretary of the CBD 9:45am – 11:00am Celebrating Conservation Success Stories from : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nauru New Caledonia Palau Cook Islands <i>(15mins each)</i> 15 minute discussion at the end of all the presentations	Discussion <i>(30mins)</i> 12:30pm - 12:40pm Special presentation on the IUCN World Parks Congress				

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DAY THREE Wednesday 4 th	Plenary Sessions (Venue: Vodafone Arena)				Parallel Sessions: Venue: USP Lecture Theatres	Evening Session (Conference Drafting Committees only)	Evening Event (All conference participants unless specified)
Theme	8:30 – 9:00am	9:00am – 9:40am	11:05am – 12:30pm		2:00pm – 5:30pm	5:30pm –	6:30pm –
Community resilience	Fiji Success Story (15mins)	Chair: Fiji First Keynote Speaker: Tusani Joe Reti (20mins) Second Keynote Speaker Nunia Thomas (20mins)	Panel Session on Community Resilience Chair: Elizabeth Erasito, National Trust of Fiji and CEESP representative Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hon. Jackson Kiloe, Premier of Choisel Jimaima Lako, USP Alifereti Tawake, LMMA Discussion (30mins)	Lunch Break 12:30pm – 2:00 pm	1: Invasive species (PIP) 2: Satoyama Initiative 3: Ecosystem based Adaptation 4: Coral Reefs Partnerships 5: Community based Adaptation and social marketing 6: UNDP GEF SGB CBA 7: Deep sea mining Special session: Action Strategy Review Venue: Vodafone Arena	Drafting Committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conference Declaration and Key Outcome Messages 	Free Evening
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Key outcomes and messages from Day1 Report back from the Action Strategy Committee (15mins) 	9:40am – 11:05am Celebrating Conservation Successes from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Niue Kiribati Samoa Tonga (15mins each) 15 minutes discussion at the end of all the presentations					

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DAY FOUR Thursday 5 th	Plenary Sessions (Venue: Vodafone Arena)				Parallel Sessions: Venue: USP Lecture Theatres	Evening Session (Conference Drafting Committees only)	Evening Event
Theme	8:30 – 9:00am	9:00am – 9:40am	11:05am – 12:30pm		2:00pm – 5:30pm	5:30pm –	6:30pm –
Sustainable financing and Sustainable development	Fiji Success Story (15mins)	Chair: Fiji Keynote Speaker Hon. Henry Puna, Prime Minister of Cook Islands (40mins)	Panel Session on green/blue economy for sustainable development Chair: Taule'ale'ausumai La'avasa Malua, Samoa Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dermot O'Gorman, WWF Australia Warwick Pleass, Pleass Global Ltd Greg Sherley, UNEP Discussion (30mins)	Lunch Break 12:30pm - 2:00pm	1: Species conservation 2: Access and Benefit Sharing 3: Community centred management and policy: learning from experience 4: BIOPAMA 5: The Economics of Ecosystem and Biodiversity (TEEB) 6: Ecosystem assessments for sustainable development 7: Tree kangaroo conservation Special session: Action Strategy Review Venue: Vodafone Arena High Level Session Meeting Venue: Great Council of Chiefs Complex.	Drafting Committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conference Declaration and Key Outcome Messages 	Free Evening High Level Segment Dinner Venue: Boron House
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Key outcomes and messages from Day1 Report back from the Action Strategy Committee (15 mins) 	9:40am – 11:05am Celebrating Conservation Successes from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> American Samoa Federated States of Micronesia Tokelau 15 minutes discussion at the end of all presentations Special presentation by Randy Thaman on IPBES 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Special presentation by the Pacific Environment Youth Network Special presentation by PIPA, Kiribati 				

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DAY FIVE Friday 6 th	Plenary Sessions (Venue: Vodafone Arena)			Closing Ceremony (Venue: Vodafone Arena)	Evening Event
Theme	8:30 – 9:00am	10:15am – 10:55am	Lunch Break 1:00pm - 2:00pm	2:00pm – 3:00pm	6:00pm -
The Future We Want	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Special presentation on key commitments for the Southern Province of New Caledonia 	Chair: Fiji Keynote speaker: Special Presentation by the Attorney General and Acting Minister of Environment for Fiji on key outcomes of the High Level Session <i>(40mins)</i>		Official Closing Ceremony - special programme	Closing Reception - hosted by Government of Fiji Venue: Vodafone Arena
	9:00am - 10:15am Key outcomes from Day 4, draft declaration and update on the Action Strategy <i>(30mins)</i>	10:55am – 1:00pm Chair: Fiji Final Plenary Session to adopt: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Action Strategy Framework Conference Declaration Announcement of new PIRT Chair and Secretariat Next Steps 			