MOANA BLUE PACIFIC at COP27





SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Title of Side Event	Scheduled Day	Time
NO SIDE EVENTS	7- Nov	ALL DAY
Blessing of the Moana Blue Pacific Pavilion	8-Nov	8am to 8.55am
Kioa Climate Emergency Declaration 2022	8-Nov	9am to 9.55am
Pacific Island Leadership for Ocean, Climate & Energy	8-Nov	10am to 10.55am
The Road to COP27 and Beyond, A Closer Look at the Progress, Challenges, and		
Opportunities for 100% Renewable Energy Future in the Small Island Developing		
States.	8-Nov	11am to 11.55am
Resilience Building in the Virtual Space	8-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Building Resilience through Blue Carbon Ecosystems for Coastal Communities	8-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
Loss and Damage - Sharing Experiences and Concerns of the Pacific SIDS	8-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
Food and nutrition security in the post pandemic climate crisis	8-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
Pacific 1.5 Ambitions: Gender, Climate Justice, Disaster Risk Reduction, Biodiversity		
Protection and the Right to a Healthy and Sustainable Environment	8-Nov	4pm to 4.55pm
Disaster Risk Financing and Insurance in the Pacific: Complementing approaches to		
maximize protection	8-Nov	5pm to 5.55pm
Sharm El-Sheikh Climate Implementation Summit/ High-level Round table	8 Nov	6pm to 8.00pm
Markets and Non-Markets: Experiences and Perspectives	9-Nov	9am to 9.55am
The Long Term Low Emission Strategy (LT-LEDS) for Vanuatu	9-Nov	10am to 10.55am
People centred approach utilising traditional knowledge to inform policy and enhance		
community resilience	9-Nov	11am to 11.55am
Launching of Fijian Sustainable Bond Framework and Overview of Fiji's Blue Bond		
Issuance	9-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Rising Nations Initiative (RNI)	9-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
Low Emissions from High Risk Communities: Tales to tell from the NDC Pacific Hub	9-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
Low Carbon Concrete in the Blue Pacific	9-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
International finance opportunities: Gaps and needs for ocean-based climate action		
towards implementing SDG14.3	9-Nov	4pm to 4.55pm
Cementing our Resilience	9-Nov	5pm to 5.55pm
Pacific Islands Leaders Forum 2023: Our Blue Pacific Continent	9-Nov	6pm to 8.00pm
Frontline Truths	10-Nov	9am to 9.55am

Living with Change - Building Resilience	10-Nov	10am to 10.55am
Strategic legal approaches to safeguard climate, nature and our future: International		
Court of Justice & International Criminal Court	10-Nov	11am to 11.55am
Incorporating Traditional and First Nations knowledge in communicating climate and		
ocean information	10-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Pacific Climate Change Centre: Strengthening Climate Resilience in the Pacific through		
Capacity Building and Training	10-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
Republic of Marshall Islands National Adaptation Plan "The Case on the Self		
Determined"	10-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
What tools do we have to improve rapid adaptation and resilience of corals? A global		
approach with specific perspectives for the Pacific region	10-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
Intergenerational Dialogue: Youth Voices for Sustainable Oceans and Energy	10-Nov	4pm to 4.55pm
Pacific Ecosytem-based Adaptation Planning Tool	10-Nov	5pm to 5.55pm
Celebrating our Mana Moana Blue Pacific	10-Nov	6pm to 8pm
Solarisation of Pacific Head of States Residences	11-Nov	9am to 9.55am
Financial Innovation in Pacific - The Drua Incubator	11-Nov	10am to 10.55am
Maintaining sustainable fisheries in the Pacific in a changing climate	11-Nov	11am to 11.55am
Pacific Statehoods and Livelihoods threatened by Sea-level Rise	11-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Connecting Large Ocean States for Climate Action and Youth Empowerment	11-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
Pacific Climate Change Centre " Supporting the Pacific to Access Climate Innovative		
Solutions "	11-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
Treaty Talanoa: Managing the Phaseout of Fossil Fuels through a Fossil Fuel Non-		
Proliferation Treaty	11-Nov	4pm to 4.55pm
The new soil of the Kingdom of Tonga	11-Nov	5pm to 5.55pm
Tok Stori on Pacific as Indigenous guardians of global climate and biodiversity		
commons	12-Nov	10am to 11.55am
Pacific Climate Change Centre Talanoa session on IPCC	12-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Pacific Ocean Climate Crisis Assessment	12-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
Restoring Island Resilience - Scaling up Invasive Species Management to Increase		
Climate Resilience in the Pacific Islands Region	12-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
Measuring to mitigate, adapt and revive	12-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
Navigating the Pacific high seas of climate finance: securing funds and the blue finance		
question	12-Nov	4pm to 4.55pm
The GLISPA Island Bright Spots Event Series: Episode 6: Spotlight on Climate Adaptation	12-Nov	5pm to 5.55pm
Weather Ready Pacific	12-Nov	6pm to 8pm
PAVILION CLOSED	13-Nov	ALL DAY
Hinemoana Halo Climate Investment Panel	14-Nov	9am to 9.55am
Vanuatu Climate Change Initiatives	14-Nov	10am to 10.55am
Blue Economy Financing Models for Pacific Island Countries	14-Nov	11am to 11.55am
Women and Girls, in all their diversity, at the centre of any climate change action	14-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Data Based Reporting in the Pacific	14-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
Launch of the Framework for Energy Security and Resilience in the Pacific (FESRIP) as a		
Pacific response to the climate change emergency	14-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
The Commonwealth Climate Finance Access Hub: Enhancing access to climate finance	44	
towards a more resilient Pacific Region	14-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
Climate change solutions: the role of blue carbon	14-Nov	4pm to 4.55pm
CANCC: Adaptation action in atoll nations in the era of loss and damage	14-Nov	5pm to 5.55pm
Te Hōnonga a Maui Climate Commission Panel	14-Nov	6pm to 8pm
Grassroots Collaboration for a Climate-Just Transformation: Stories of Impact from	45.44	
Oceania	15-Nov	9am to 9.55am

Paris Agreement Ambition through the International Court of Justice	15-Nov	10am to 10.55am
Climate resilience and green growth in PNG: policy and investment changes at the sub-		
national Government level and banking sector - lessons on accessing finance	15-Nov	11am to 11.55am
Partnering in Knowledge Brokerage: Pacific SIDS discourse on strengthening		
partnerships and enhancing Resilience Building through Information and Knowledge		
Management and Knowledge Brokerage	15-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Promoting regional human security responses to climate-related mobility in SIDS:		
Progress and challenges	15-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
Climate Risk Informed Development	15-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
Disability Inclusive Climate Action	15-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
Towards a climate secure future for Pacific Small Island Developing States	15-Nov	4pm to 4.55pm
Intergenerational Talanoa Dialogue on Youth Leadership in Decision Making	15-Nov	5pm to 5.55pm
Climate risk exposure and the need for disaster risk financing among households and		
SMEs New evidence from Fiji	16-Nov	10am to 10.55Am
Our Food System and the climate crisis: promoting food security to enhance climate		
adaptation in the Pacific	16-Nov	11am to 11.55am
From Silos to Synergy: Inter-regional Climate Resilience Programming Intra-ACP GCCA+		
in Small Island Developing States	16-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
The potential of pre-arranged and trigger based disaster risk finance for early action,		
rapid crisis response, and debt resilience in the Pacific	16-Nov	1pm to 1.55pm
The Kiwa Initiative or how to address climate change adaptation and Nature-based		
Solutions funding in the Pacific	16-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
Sustainable blue economy and climate change adaptation "Solutions for a more		
resilient blue economy"	16-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm
New Zealand Networking Event	16 Nov	6.30pm to 8.00pm
Indigenous Knowledge and Inclusive Ocean Governance: A Case Study from Vanuatu	17-Nov	10am to 10.55am
Sociocultural impacts of Loss and Damage in the Pacific	17-Nov	12pm to 12.55pm
Enhancing climate resilience of SIDS coasts, communities, and ecosystems	17-Nov	2pm to 2.55pm
Deep-Sea Mining: A test case for the ocean, climate & biodiversity nexus	17-Nov	3pm to 3.55pm

SCHEDULE DETAILS

MONDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: WORLD LEADERS SUMMIT		
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT
ALL DAY	CLOSED	CLOSED

TUESDAY 8 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLIM	ATE ACTION THEME: WORLD LEAD	DERS SUMMIT
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT

8.00am – 8.55am	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) Contact: Nanette Woonton Pavilion Manager E: cop27@sprep.org 350.org Pacific, Tuvalu Climate	Blessing of the Moana Blue Pacific Pavilion About: There will be a blessing of the space before it is made available to the public. Kioa Climate Emergency Declaration 2022
9.55am (8 Nov)	Action Network / Kioa Island Community Organisation, Kiribati Climate Action Contacts: Joseph Sikulu Managing Director, 350.org Pacific E: joseph@350.org Maina Talia Tuvalu Climate Action Network / Kioa Island Community Organisation E: mtaliafua@gmail.com Rae Bainteiti Kiribati Climate Action Network E: raekccn@gmail.com	About: Presentation of Kioa Climate Emergency Declaration 2022. A community and youth driven declaration unifying collective goals and demands on climate action migration, migration with dignity, displacement, planned relocation, climate finance, Loss and Damage, and Noneconomic loss and damage. Panel: (tbc)
10.00am - 10.55am (8 Nov)	Partnership: Island Innovation & Pacific Islands Development Forum (PIDF) Contacts: James Ellsmoor CEO Island Innovation E: James@islandinnovation.co Viliame Kasanawaqa PIDF E: viliame.kasanawaqa@pidf.int	About: Ambitious Pacific Island renewable energy and blue economy projects can be a model for other regions. This event will demonstrate how Pacific Islands can achieve a positively outsized impact on the global energy transition and ocean conservation. The event will discuss Pacific Island leadership at the political level and also at the community level through youth and women-led efforts. Panel: Speakers will also be present from other SIDS regions to give a comparative approach to leadership and exchange learnings with other regions. Speakers will mostly be Pacific Island leaders and will include representatives from policymakers, youth activists and community groups. We commit to a gender balanced event that reflects all three Pacific Island sub-regions.
11.00am – 11.55am	Blue Planet Alliance	The Road to COP27 and Beyond, A Closer Look at the Progress, Challenges, and Opportunities for 100%

(8 Nov)	Contact: Francois Rogers Director of Global Outreach Blue Planet Alliance E: francois@blueplanetalliance.org	Renewable Energy Future in the Small Island Developing States About: The Blue Planet Alliance, Mana Pacific Inc., Peace Boat US, and The Convergence to host a joint presentation/panel discussion to accelerate the adoption of Renewable Energy and Island Resilience throughout the Small Island Developing States and engage on an interactive panel to share and discuss the best path forward. Panel: Henk Rogers (Founder, Blue Planet Alliance); Ambassador Ilana Seid (Ambassador to the UN for the Republic of Palau); and more.
12.00pm – 12.55pm	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)	Resilience Building in the Virtual Space
(8 Nov)	Contact: Mr. Semi Qamese Acting Manager Intra-ACP GCCA+ Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change and Resilience Building (PACRES) SPREP E: semiq@sprep.org	 About: This side event will highlight the respective initiatives and approaches developed by resilience practitioners in the Pacific region in their endeavours to achieve enhanced levels of efficiency and effectiveness in their planning processes through utilising online e-learning tools. Panel: Ms Tagaloa Cooper-Halo, Director Climate Change SPREP Mr. Semi Qamese: Intra ACP GCCA+ PACRES Project, SPREP Mr. Sione Fulivai: FRDP Coordinator, SPREP Ms. 'Ofa Kaisamy, Manager, Pacific Climate Change Centre, SPREP Dr. George Carter: The Australian National University Pacific Meteorological Council (tbc) Pacific Island Forum Secretariat (tbc)
1.00pm - 1.55pm	Commonwealth Blue Charter	Building Resilience through Blue Carbon Ecosystems for Coastal Communities
(8 Nov)	Contact: Heidi Prislan Blue Charter Adviser Commonwealth Blue Charter E: h.prislan@commonwealth.int	About: Blue carbon ecosystems play a central role in coastal ecosystems. With high primary productivity, the greenhouse gas absorption ability of mangrove ecosystems is, on average, 3 to 4 times higher than tropical upland forests, a fact which highlights the significance of the mangrove forests in mitigating the adverse effects of climate change. Since its launch at the Commonwealth Heads of Government
		Meeting in 2018, the Commonwealth Blue Charter has grown into 10 Action Groups, with 47 out of 54 Commonwealth member governments having joined one or more Blue Charter Action Groups.

		 38 of the 54 Commonwealth countries are undertaking coastal ecosystem restoration activities. The Ocean and Climate Change Action Group, championed by Fiji and the Mangrove Ecosystems and Livelihoods Action Group (MELAG), championed by Sri Lanka, has been working with its members to identify the priorities for action, innovative ways for blue carbon financing and ecosystem restoration activities that can trigger conservation and sustainable use, develop enabling policies and initiate data governance for informed decision making. This event will: Provide an overview of the science and policy adopted by different nations to gather information required for better management of mangroves and seagrasses; Showcase case studies from projects across the Commonwealth; Identify opportunities for Commonwealth countries to further build the resilience through Nature Based Solutions and Blue Carbon programmes. Panel: tbc
2.00pm - 2.55pm (8 Nov)	Governments of Republic of Marshall Islands, Tuvalu and Vanuatu Contacts: Pepetua Latasi Tuvalu Department of Climate Change E: pepetua@gmail.com Christopher Bartlett Vanuatu Ministry of Climate Change E: cbartlett@vanuatu.gov.vu Kathy Jetnil-Kijiner Republic of Marshall Islands Climate Change Directorate E: jkijiner@gmail.com Filomena Nelson Climate Adaptation Adviser SPREP E: filomenan@sprep.org	Loss and Damage - Sharing Experiences and Concerns of the Pacific Small Island Developing States About: The side event is about sharing experiences of climate-induced Loss and Damage, what it means to Pacific Small Island Developing States (PSIDS) and concerns about inaction on Loss and Damage. Panel: Hon. Seve Paeniu, Political Champion on Loss and Damage; Developed Country (tbc); HE Nikenike Vurobaravu, President of Vanuatu; representatives from PSIDS Youth, Women, and Private Sector.
3.00pm - 3.55pm	Pacific Islands Development Forum (PIDF)	Food and nutrition security in the post pandemic climate crisis

(8 Nov)

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About: This side event is organised to exchange best practices and showcase initiatives to address food and nutrition issues post pandemic climate crisis and develop partnerships.

Panel:

- Ambassador Solo Mara, PIDF
- Government of Tonga
- Government of Kiribati
- Rise Beyond the Reef
- Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
- Asian Productivity Organization
- Centre on Integrated Rural Development for Asia and the Pacific (CIRDAP)

4.00pm -4.55pm

Pacific Islands Climate Action Network (PICAN)

(8 Nov)

Partnership: Between the PICAN Working Group on Gender and Climate Justice, the Pacific Islands Feminist Alliance for Climate Justice, the Pacific Feminist Community of Practice, DIVA for Equality, and Women Defend the Commons Network.

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Pacific 1.5 Ambitions: Gender, Climate Justice, Disaster Risk Reduction, Biodiversity Protection and the Right to a Healthy and Sustainable Environment

About: This side event will draw on the existing work of civil society, CROPs, UN agencies and Pacific governments to propose 1.5 ambitious solutions, ideas and innovative initiatives that bring fresh perspectives to the global work on Gender, Human Rights, Climate and Environmental Justice in a world in which we must radically accelerate and deepen our commitments to collective Climate Action from the smallest ecosystems to the global ecosphere.

Panel: Speakers to range from high level Pacific government representatives and seasoned climate justice activists, ensuring that the panel is gender inclusive and diverse and that it is intergenerational.

5.00pm – 5.55pm

United Nations Capital Development Fund (UNCDF)

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Disaster Risk Financing and Insurance in the Pacific: Complementing approaches to maximize protection

About: This panel discussion will showcase Disaster Risk Financing and Insurance approaches from the Pacific that aim to create complementary instruments for the macro, meso, and micro levels. The session will highlight the innovative approaches undertaken jointly by UNCDF and WFP to link social protection with climate risk insurance, the success of the pilot from 2021 and scale up during 2022.

Panel:

- Mr. Krishnan Narasimhan, Programme Manager and Lead Insurance and Climate Adaptation Specialist, UNCDF
- Mr. Mathieu Dubreuil, Senior Programme Advisor for Climate Risk Insurance. WFP
- Ms. Rosy Akbar, Minister for Women, Children and Poverty Alleviation, Government of Fiji (tbc)

		 Representative from Australian Government DFAT social protection team (tbc)
6.00pm - 8.00pm	Government of Federated States of Micronesia	Sharm El-Sheikh Climate Implementation Summit/ High- level Round table
(8 Nov)	Contact: Ann Albert Deputy Assistant Secretary for Mitigation, Climate change Division Department of Environment, Climate Change, and Emergency Management E: ann.albert@decem.gov.fm	About: HE. David Panuelo, President of the Federated States of Micronesia will be launching the FSM's Nationally determined contributions. There will also be High-Level roundtable discussions. Panel: (tbc)

WEDNESDAY 9 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLI	COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: FINANCE		
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT	
9.00am - 9.55am	Government of Palau	Markets and Non-Markets: Experiences and Perspectives	
(9 Nov)	Contacts: Xavier Matsutaro National Climate Change Coordinator/UNFCCC Focal Point Republic of Palau E: xavier.matsutaro@gmail.com or erbai.oerc@palaugov.org Mikayla Etpison Communications Officer Republic of Palau E: mikayla.etpison@gmail.com Filomena Nelson Climate Change Adaptation Adviser SPREP E: filomenan@sprep.org	About: The side event will focus on the implementation of Article 6 with specific focus on sharing the experience of countries in implementing Article 6.2 on cooperative approaches and Article 6.8. Panel: Hon. Steven Victor, Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Environment & Political Champion Environmental Integrity; Xavier Matsutaro (Palau Representative); Fiji representative; Vanuatu representative; Papua New Guinea representative; and Palau private sector representative.	
10.00am – 10.55am	Vanuatu Government & Green Growth Global Institute (GGGI)	The Long Term Low Emission Strategy (LT-LEDS) for Vanuatu	

(9 Nov)

Partnership: Vanuatu Government, GGGI, New Zealand Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (MFAT), Agence Francaise de Developpment (AFD)

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About: GGGI, AFD and MFAT are partnering with Government of Vanuatu to launch the Vanuatu LT-LEDS.

Panel: Esline Garaebiti, Director General, Ministry of Climate Change, Vanuatu; Mike Waiwai, Director, Department of Climate Change, Vanuatu; and Walter Reinhardt, Senior Economist-GGGI Pacific.

11.00am -11.55am

Government of Niue

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(9 Nov)

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People centred approach utilising traditional knowledge to inform policy and enhance community resilience

About: Early warning and preparedness underpin community resilience and sustainable development. They provide Governments with the instruments and skillset to build understanding and enhance early preparation and risk reduction for local communities and nationals. In addition, Early Warning Systems and traditional knowledge are important drivers for development and innovation. We have seen a significant change in how communities respond and act once the warning messages are received. There is a big shift towards a people centred approach in development and DRR where the needs, livelihood and security of people is at the forefront. This recognises the importance and diversity of cultural and historical knowledge that had been developed and evolved over time. This, together with rapidly growing modern science, should be organised and utilised in an inclusive, coordinated, respectful and balanced platform that integrates the traditional leadership and governance structure, guided by localised knowledge of the environment and the linkages between the roles that different groups of the communities play prior to, during and post extreme climatic conditions. A

testament to the participatory approach and efforts of consulting our communities.

The session will look at the role traditional knowledge plays and contributes in informing national early warning preparedness focusing on food security, drought responses, water resources management and protection, cyclone preparedness and other activities as part of the community-based responses and actions to extreme events.

Panel: Rossy Mitiepo, Director, Niue Meteorological Services; Dr Virginia Marshall, Australia aboriginal researcher and expert on traditional knowledge; and youth representative (tbc).

12.00pm -12.55pm

Partnership: Fijian Government & **UNDP**

Launching of Fijian Sustainable Bond Framework

(9 Nov)

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and Overview of Fiji's Blue Bond Issuance

About: This event will showcase the trailblazing work being done in Fiji to develop the Fijian Sustainable Bond Framework which creates a taxonomy for thematic bond issuances and will provide an overview of Fiji's upcoming Blue Bond.

Programme:

- (Fiji) Attorney General and Minister for Economy Hon. Aiyaz Sayed-Khaiyum
- (United Kingdom) High Level Rep from Department of Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA)
- (UNDP) UNDP Administrator Achim Steiner

Presentations:

- Nature Based Solutions "Showcasing Fijian Ingenuity for Coastal Protection"
- SMEs in the Blue Economy "Demonstrating Potential for Scale through Blue Bonds"

1.00pm -1.55pm

Government of Tuvalu

Rising Nations Initiative

(9 Nov)

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About: This side event will describe the objective of the Rising Nations Initiative launched by the Hon. Prime Minister of Tuvalu during the UN General Assembly High Level Week. This side event will give a solid base of multimedia as well as accounts from youth, which will capture the culture and heritage of each country representative. The Hon. Minister Seve Paeniu will also introduce and explain Tuvalu's UNESCO initiative.

		Panel: Hon. Seve Paeniu, Minister of Finance and 2 youth representatives from Tuvalu
2.00pm – 2.55pm	GIZ & SPREP	Low Emissions from High Risk Communities: Tales to tell from the NDC Pacific Hub
(9 Nov)	Contacts: Iris Cordelia Rotzoll NDC Hub Manager E: iris-cordelia.rotzoll@giz.de Vanda Faasoa - Chan Ting NDC Hub Adviser SPREP E: vandac@sprep.org	About: Showcasing what the NDC Hub has done, and will continue to do in the Pacific Region. The Regional Pacific NDC Hub has already implemented Phase 1 and Phase 2 projects in the region to assist member countries achieve their NDC commitments and global pledges. The NDC Hub hopes to showcase some of these successfully-completed projects by having country representatives present on their national NDC activities which had been completed with the assistance from the NDC Hub. Phase 3 started in July 2022 so this will also provide the perfect opportunity for donors to see how their funds will be utilized by our PSIDS to implement NDC activities which all aim to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from the region.
3.00pm – 3.55pm	Fijian Government	Low Carbon Concrete in the Blue Pacific
(9 Nov)	Contacts: Kushaal Raj Director Climate Change and International Cooperation Division Ministry of Economy, Fiji E: kushaal.raj@govnet.gov.fj Dr. Raijeli Taga Permanent Secretary Ministry of Lands and Mineral Resources E: raijeli.taga@mrd.gov.fj Raymond Mohammed Acting Director Mineral Resources Department E: Raymond.mohammed@mrd.gov.fj	About: The side-event will launch the Blue Concrete Initiative to investigate a transition to low carbon concrete in the Pacific Region under the leadership of Fiji. Programme: The LC3 Technology and its relevance for the Pacific Initiatives by Fiji on Blue Concrete Launch of the LC3 Initiatives for Pacific by the Honourable Prime Minister of Fiji Launch of the LC3 Initiatives for Africa by the Honourable Minister of Malawi Panel discussion

4.00pm 4.55pm

Commonwealth Secretariat

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International finance opportunities: Gaps and needs for ocean-based climate action towards implementing SDG14.3

About: There is increasing urgency that nations achieve goals and commitments to reducing GHG and carbon emissions as well as support ongoing efforts to implement SDG 14.3, "to minimize and address impacts of ocean acidification." Government and non-government actors can implement actions that mitigate and adapt to climate including ocean warming, acidification, deoxygenation. This requires concerted and urgent action across governments, and non-governmental organizations from national to local scales, including coastal communities, industry, and regional policy bodies to assess ocean-climate risks, measure coastal change and establish meaningful adaptation and resilience strategies. This side event will highlight the science, policy, vulnerability assessment tools and funding mechanisms that are needed to be cumulatively leveraged to achieve this step change.

Panel: IOC UNESCO; Fiji Government; The Global Ocean Acidification Observing Network, Plymouth Marine Laboratory, UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development endorsed programme Ocean Acidification Research for Sustainability; New Zealand; International Alliance to Combat Ocean Acidification and Commonwealth Secretariat. (tbc)

5.00pm 5.55pm

Government of Kiribati

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Cementing our Resilience

About: Kiribati acknowledges that climate change is a major threat to the livelihood of its people. However, Kiribati also recognises that its people can be resilient to the impacts of climate change provided with the right method and support.

The Government of Kiribati side event will be an avenue to show the cultural dance and cultural approach to deal with climate change impacts on a daily basis. The panel discussion will target developmental partners as well as adaptation partners that will discuss ways forward in a bilateral setting.

Panel:

HE. Taneti Maamau, President of Kiribati Representative of the World Bank Representative of the Asian Development Bank Representative of the Green Climate Fund Chair of AOSIS (tbc)

6.00pm – 8.00pm	Cook Islands Government	Pacific Islands Leaders Forum 2023: Our Blue Pacific Continent
(9 Nov)	Contact: Ms. Piakura Passfield Cook Islands Deputy High Commissioner to New Zealand Ministry of Foreign Affairs and	About: A panel discussion with the Leaders of the Troika regarding the Cook Islands chairing of the Pacific Islands Leaders Forum (PILF) in 2023 and to discuss our regional priorities for PILF 2023.
	Immigration Mobile: +64212731299 E: dhc@cookhicom.org.nz	Programme (tbc): Hon. Mark Brown, Prime Minister of the Cook Islands; Hon. Frank Bainimarama, Prime Minister of Fiji; Hon. Hu'akavemeiliku Siaosi Sovaleni, Prime Minister of Tonga; and Mr. Henry Puna, Secretary General of the Pacific Islands Forum.

THURSDAY 10 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: SCIENCE & YOUTH		
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT
9.00am – 9.55am	Pacific Climate Warriors, 350.org Pacific	Frontline Truths
(10 Nov)	Contacts: Joseph Sikulu Managing Director of 350.org Pacific E: joseph@350.org Brianna Fruean Pacific Climate Warriors Council of Elders E: fruean.brianna@gmail.com	About: A storytelling session led by Pacific Youth. Stories and voices from the frontlines of the climate crisis. Stories of impact, displacement and resilience. Panel: PSIDS and youth representatives
10.00am – 10.55am	Government of Tokelau	Living with Change - Building Resilience
(10 Nov)	Contact: Ms Paula Faiva Director Ministry of Climate, Oceans and Resilience (MiCORE) Government of Tokelau E: paula.faiva@tokelau.org.nz	About: Enhancing innovative, no regrets mitigative, adaptive, transformative climate and related hazards initiatives: The Tokelau experience. Panel: Jewel Tuitama, Climate Change Programme Manager and Romero Viane, Legal Adviser

11.00am – 11.55am (10 Nov)	Partnership: Stop Ecocide Foundation, Republic of Vanuatu and Pacific Islands Climate Action Network (PICAN)	Strategic legal approaches to safeguard climate, nature and our future: International Court of Justice & International Criminal Court
(10 NOV)	Contacts: Jojo Mehta Co-Founder & Executive Director Stop Ecocide International Chair, Stop Ecocide Foundation E: jojo@stopecocide.earth Lavetanalagi Seru Regional Policy Coordinator PICAN E: lavetanalagis.pican@gmail.com	About: Panel event on key legal initiatives - requesting a legal Advisory Opinion on climate and recognising ecocide as a crime, to help catalyse positive climate action from governments and industry. Panel: HE Ambassador Odo Tevi, Permanent Representative of Republic of Vanuatu to the UN; Solomon Yeo, Pacific Islands Students Fighting Climate Change, Solomon Islands; Jojo Mehta, Co-Founder & Executive Director, Stop Ecocide International; James Bhagwan, General Secretary, Pacific Conference of Churches; Youth moderator: Lavetanalagi Seru, Pacific Islands Climate Action Network.
12.00pm – 12.55pm	Government of Australia	Incorporating Traditional and First Nations knowledge in communicating climate and ocean information
(10 Nov)	Contact: Andrew Jones General Manager, International Development Bureau of Meteorology E: Andrew.Jones@bom.gov.au WhatsApp: +61 467 566 074	About: This side event would include a Talanoa roundtable discussion from Traditional Knowledge officers from the Pacific and Australian First Nations people who will discuss the value of utilising traditional knowledge in the delivery of weather and climate information to communities who may not have access or understanding of complex climate science issues. The panel would discuss some of the work produced by the Climate and Oceans Support Program for the Pacific (COSPPac) and from other similar programs outside of the Pacific. The talanoa will be guided by a series of predetermined questions, building on previous events at the Asia-Pacific Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction (APMCDRR) held in Brisbane in September and COSPPac TK workshops. Panel: Siosinamele Lui (Facilitator), Traditional Knowledge Manager Climate and Oceans Support Program for the Pacific (COSPPac) SPREP; Pacific National Meteorological Service Director; Pacific NGO representative; Australian First Nations scientist.
1.00pm – 1.55pm	Partnership: Japan International Co- operation Agency (JICA) and SPREP	Pacific Climate Change Centre: Strengthening Climate Resilience in the Pacific through Capacity Building and Training
(10 Nov)	Contact: Ms. 'Ofa Kaisamy Manager	About: The PCCC's capacity building and training function was operationalised in 2019 The objective of the PCCC is to be a one-stop-shop for climate change training of policy makers and practitioners. Over 600 participants joined a

	Pacific Climate Change Centre E: ofak@sprep.org	series of training programmes on adaptation, mitigation and access finance delivered through the JICA funded Project for Capacity Building for Climate Resilience in the Pacific (CBCRP-PCCC). Panel: Government of Samoa, PCCC, Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, Government of Papua New Guinea, JICA representative. (tbc)
2.00pm – 2.55pm	Government of Republic of Marshall Islands & World Bank	Republic of Marshall Islands National Adaptation Plan "The Case on the Self Determined"
(10 Nov)	Contact: Mr. Clarence Samuel Director Climate Change Directorate Republic of the Marshall Islands E: clarencesam@gmail.com	About: The Republic of Marshall Islands will showcase the storyline and development of its National Adaptation Plan (NAP) or as it nationally referred to as the "Survival Plan". Panel: Minister, Envoys, Director
3.00pm – 3.55pm (10 Nov)	Institut de Recherche pour le Développement - National Research Institute for Sustainable Development (IRD) Contacts: Riccardo Rodolfo-Metalpa Research Officer IRD E: riccardo.rodolfo-metalpa@ird.fr Vicky Viguet Policy Officer on climate and water IRD E: vicky.viguet@ird.fr	 What tools do we have to improve rapid adaptation and resilience of corals? A global approach with specific perspectives for the Pacific region About: This side event will discuss the extent to which adaptive mechanisms discovered in some corals can be adapted to coral reef restoration (NbS) interventions to increase their resilience to climate change, especially in the Pacific region. Panel: Rodolfo-Metalpa Riccardo, Research Officer, IRD, New Caledonia Agostini Sylvain, Assistant professor, Shimoda Marine Research Center, University of Tsukuba Peixoto Raquel, Associate Professor, King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Saudi Arabia Gattuso Jean-Pierre, CNRS-Sorbonne University, Research Director, France (tbc) Schoepf Verena, Assistant professor, Institute for Biodiversity and Ecosystem Dynamics, University of Amsterdam, Netherland
4.00pm – 4.55pm	Commonwealth Secretariat, Commonwealth Blue Charter	Intergenerational Dialogue: Youth Voices for Sustainable Oceans and Energy
(10 Nov)	Contact: Heidi Prislan Commonwealth Blue Charter Adviser The Commonwealth Secretariat E: h.prislan@commonwealth.int	About: Highlighting the voices of youth and the positive ocean and sustainable energy actions across the Commonwealth.

		Programme: The event led by the Rt Hon Patricia Scotland QC, Secretary General Commonwealth Secretariat would be open to all Commonwealth youth participants with a key interest in the ocean climate nexus and sustainable energy, allowing for an open dialogue highlighting key activities, research and areas of development.
5.00pm – 5.55pm	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)	Pacific Ecosystem-based Adaptation Planning Tool
(10 Nov)	Contact: Mr. Semi Qamese Acting Manager Intra ACP GCCA+ PACRES Project Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme E: semiq@sprep.org	About: Ecosystem-based Adaptation: Planning Tool for effective and efficient Resilience Building in the Pacific Islands Developing States region Panel: Ms. Tagaloa Cooper, Director Climate Change Resilience Programme SPREP Mr. Semi Qamese: Intra ACP GCCA+ PACRES Project, SPREP Director for Climate Change - Vanuatu Director for Climate Change - Solomon Islands Mr. Sione Fulivai (Facilitator)
6.00pm - 8.00pm	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)	Celebrating our Mana Moana Blue Pacific
(10 Nov)	Contacts: Nanette Woonton Pavilion Manager E: cop27@sprep.org Audrey Brown-Pereira Curator	About: Celebrating our Mana Moana Blue Pacific including the Mana Moana Pasifika Voices Part 2.

FRIDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: DECARBONIZATION		
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT
9.00am – 9.55am	Pacific Islands Development Forum (PIDF)	Solarisation of Pacific Head of States Residences
(11 Nov)	Contact: Viliame Kasanawaqa	About: The initiative for the Solarisation of Head of State Residences of PIDF member countries is PIDF's response to Climate Leadership efforts to install solar power at the official

	Director Island Resilience PIDF E: viliame.kasanawaqa@pidf.int	residences of leaders in developing countries, particularly Small Island Developing States. PIDF and SHOS, with private sector partners, have procured, constructed, and provide project management for the System. The project builds capacity by training local staff, labourers, and volunteers, who assisted with the construction, operation, and maintenance of the System. The Governments made available grounds and maintenance staff for training by SHOS in operation and upkeep of the System. The project utilised local labourers. The Government was responsible for their own staff and local labourers were insured by a company sub-contracted by SHOS for installation purposes. SHOS provided system design schematics, equipment manuals, as well as maintenance and operation documentation. The Governments is responsible for the post-construction maintenance of the System. A post-installation media and public engagement campaign designed to educate the general public on the benefits of solar energy using this demonstration system as an example.
		Panel: Ministerial and Head of States Level
10.00am – 10.55am	Fijian Government	Financial Innovation in Pacific - The Drua Incubator
(11 Nov)	Partnership: Fiji Government and Government of Luxembourg Contacts: Mr. Krishan Pratap Drua Incubator Partnership and Project Coordinator Ministry of Economy E: k.pratap@economy.gov.fj Mr. Daniel Lund Climate Change and International Cooperation Fiji Special Adviser - Climate Action E: invokeconsulting@gmail.com	About: This side event will highlight the range of products that the Drua Incubator is carrying out in Fiji in terms of seeking to create instruments, home-grown financing solutions and products to assist resilient economic development and improving the quality of life of Pacific Islanders in the face of climate change and its related turbulent environment. Panel: tbc
11.00am – 11.55am	Partnership: The Pacific Islands Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA) & The Pacific Community (SPC)	Maintaining sustainable fisheries in the Pacific in a changing climate
(11 Nov)	Contacts: Neville Smith Director	About: How is climate change affecting the world's largest sustainable fisheries? This side event will update the work that two key regional organisations (The Pacific Islands Forum Agency for Fisheries, FFA and the Pacific Community, SPC) are undertaking across several areas of tuna fisheries and climate science on behalf of its Pacific member countries and territories.

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Hybrid event with presential / virtual attendance

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Permanent Mission of Palau to the UN

Connecting Large Ocean States for Climate Action and Youth Empowerment

About: Showcasing the role of youth in scaling up climate ambition and climate adaptation with focus on the value of capacity building, networks and peer to peer exchange for youth across the Pacific, as well as from other large ocean states.

Programme:

- Youth representative from the Alliance of Future Generations - Fiji
- Youth representative from Pacific Islands Climate Action Network (PICAN)
- Peace Boat Ocean and Climate Youth Ambassador from Pacific Nation
- Peace Boat Ocean and Climate Youth Ambassador from Caribbean SIDS
- Youth Representative of Sustainable Ocean Alliance, Pacific Hub
- H.E. Ms Ilana Seid, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Palau to the UN

Moderator: Ms Emilie McGlone, Director of Peace Boat US

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2.00pm – 2.55pm	Government of Palau	Emerging innovations for ocean and climate
	Contact:	About: Exploring the innovative and impactful movements and
(11 Nov)	Ivory Vogt	projects led by youth that are that are at the forefront of mitigating climate change and conserving our ocean.
	Youth Negotiator - Article 6, Office of Climate Change	miligating climate change and conserving our ocean.
	Palau	Panel: Rayne Sullivan, Brianna Fruean, Ivory Vogt
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3.00pm - 3.55pm	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)	Pacific Climate Change Centre's Supporting the Pacific to Access Climate Innovative Solutions
(11 Nov)	Contact:	About: Showcase the outcomes of the Pacific Climate Change Centre Virtual Climate Resilience Innovative Exhibition 2022.
	Ms. 'Ofa Kaisamy	Centre Virtual Climate Resilience Illinovative Exhibition 2022.
	Manager Pacific Climate Change Centre	Panel: Chair of PSIDS and Director General of SPREP
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4.00pm –	Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation	Treaty Talanoa: Managing the Phaseout of Fossil Fuels
4.55pm	Treaty Initiative	through a Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation Treaty
(11 Nov)	Partnership: Fossil Fuel Non-	About: Pacific leaders have been calling for a fossil fuel
	Proliferation Treaty Initiative, Government of Tuvalu and	moratorium for decades. Now, it's here and it is gaining support around the world. Led by the Pacific, we will once again bring
	Government of Vanuatu	the world closer to achieving the aims of the Paris Agreement
		by calling for a Treaty to manage the non-proliferation and phaseout of Fossil Fuels.
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	Rebecca Byrnes Deputy Director	Panel:
	Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation Treaty	Hon. Simon Kofe, Minister for Justice, Communication &
	Initiative	Foreign Affairs, Government of Tuvalu Hon. Marama Davidson, Green Party Co-leader, NZ
	E: rebecca@fossilfueltreaty.org	 Ms. Brianna Fruean, Pacific Climate Warriors & Treaty Champion
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5.00pm – 5.55pm	OHAI Tonga	The new soil of the Kingdom of Tonga
(11 Nov)	Contact: Uili Lousi President OHAI Incorporated E: ohaitonga@gmail.com	About: This will be a visual presentation capturing footage and stories of the people and land affected by the HHTH Volcano and Tsunami which occurred in Tonga on January 15 2022, capturing the essence of the loss and damage including the mental health impacts but also the positive outcomes of the volcanic ash for the soil of Tonga; stories of resilience and the benefits of partnering to support community action in climate change adaptation efforts to sustain our oceans and the land. Panel: Professor David Sattler; Peter Thompson; Paula Ma'u; Chris Taufatofua; and Uili Lousi

SATURDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CL	MATE ACTION THEME: ADAPTATIO	N & AGRICULTURE
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT
10.00am – 11.55am	Partnership: Government of Solomon Islands and Nia Tero Foundation	Tok Stori on Pacific as Indigenous guardians of global climate and biodiversity commons
(12 Nov)	Contacts: Mr Chanel Iroi Deputy Secretary Technical Ministry of Environment, Climate Change, Disaster Management and Meteorology Solomon Islands Government E: CIroi@mecdm.gov.sb cc: AVave- Karamui@mecm.gov.sb Ms Lysa Wini-Simeon Solomon Islands Country Coordinator Nia Tero Foundation E: lysa.wini@gmail.com	About: This will be a Solomon Islands Government and Nia Tero Foundation joint side event to conduct tok stories style event and approach to engage and create joint narrative on the notion of Pacific as indigenous guardians of global climate and biodiversity commons which are critical to SDGs, halting global environmental crisis and protecting indigenous communities way of life. Panel: Hon. Jerry Manele (Minister of Foreign Affairs & External Trade, Solomon Islands Government) (tbc); Dr Melchior Mataki (Permanent Secretary. Ministry of Environment, Climate Change, Disaster Management and Meteorology. Solomon Islands Government); and Taholo Kami (Moderator) of the Nia Tero Foundation. Other panelists and speakers to be confirmed.
12.00pm – 12.55pm	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)	Pacific Climate Change Centre Talanoa session on IPCC

(12 Nov)	Contact: Ms. 'Ofa Kaisamy Manager Pacific Climate Change Centre E: ofak@sprep.org	About: Recognising Pacific Small Island Developing States' goal to keep global warming to 1.5°C, this side event will discuss how we are tracking against this goal, and what options we have for limiting future global warming both in the Pacific and internationally. Panel: Pacific Government Representatives; Pacific IPCC Authors; ANU representative; SPREP representative; and PCCC Representative. (tbc)
1.00pm – 1.55pm	ProtectPacific	Pacific Ocean Climate Crisis Assessment
(12 Nov)	Contact: Dr Christina Laalaai-Tausa Research Project Manager POCCA University of Canterbury E: Christina.Laalaai Tausa@canterbury.ac.nz	About: Information sharing regarding the POCCA research project in response to climate crisis and challenges facing the Pacific region. The research project is in response to major problems and challenges facing the Pacific region in relation to issues of climate and oceans. It is a pioneering study which aims to provide a comprehensive, interdisciplinary, multimethodological and integrated assessment of the climate crisis and oceans covering 16 countries in the Pacific. Significant in this study is Pacific Indigenous knowledge of climate change based on centuries of knowledge production, daily experience and observation, continuous adaptation, innovative responses to disasters, development of resilient mechanisms, protection of the environment and the centrality of interconnections between the ocean, sky, land, and people. This research gives voice to Pacific Indigenous knowledge systems and how they can work in harmony with western scientific approaches. With an interdisciplinary approach, it will provide needed integrated data which is often missing from Pacific regional positions on climate change. It aims to support Pacific Island countries to be more resilient to the impacts of climate change through effective evidenced based decision making by documenting the breadth and depth of climate extremes on Pacific people, land and ocean as well as identify and share existing practices of Pacific resilience. The research will strengthen policy framing for Pacific governments as well as be useful for global negotiations to promote the unique Pacific voices and experiences, which is often subdued by the more technologically dominant countries.
		Panel: Distinguished Professor Steven Ratuva
2.00pm – 2.55pm	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)	Restoring Island Resilience - Scaling up Invasive Species Management to Increase Climate Resilience in the Pacific Islands Region
(12 Nov)	Contacts: David Moverley Invasive Species Adviser SPREP	About: A panel discussion with leaders from Tonga, Samoa, Niue, New Zealand, the Director General of SPREP, and the Executive Director of the Green Climate Fund, moderated by David Eades, senior journalist and presenter with BBC World.

E: davidm@sprep.org Panel: The Prime Minister of Tonga, the Prime Minister of Samoa, the Premier of Niue, the New Zealand Minister of Foreign Affairs and Trade, the Director General of SPREP, Steve Menzies Executive Director of the Green Climate Fund. (tbc) Director Flinch Marketing E: Steve@flinchmarketing.com - mq00.8 Partnership: Government of Samoa & Measuring to mitigate, adapt and revive 3.55pm Research **Alliance** Global **Agricultural Greenhouse Gases About:** A panel presentation from Dr Harry Clark and others on the objectives and opportunities in the Global Research (12 Nov) Contacts: Alliance on Agricultural Greenhouse Gases (GRA). Will include NZ-Samoa co-leadership of the Indigenous research Trish Ranstead Network and include a recorded panel session from the Ministry of Primary Industries Tangata Whenua Alliance. The event will introduce the New E: Trish.Ranstead@mpi.govt.nz Zealand funded GRA programme to build the capacity for Pacific countries to report on their national agricultural emissions, in particular the work underway with Samoa and Deborah Knox Fiji to fill crucial data gaps and ensure that agricultural Ministry of Primary Industries inventories can meet future requirements to demonstrate low-E: Deborah.Knox@mpi.govt.nz emission agriculture practices and enhance productivity. **Panel:** Dr Harry Clark; representative(s) from Samoa (tbc) 4.00pm -Partnership: United Nations Capital Navigating the Pacific high seas of climate finance: 4.55pm (UNCDF). securing funds and the blue finance question Development Fund Commonwealth Secretariat. **Commonwealth Blue Charter** (12 Nov) About: Developing partnerships is imperative to support navigating the often difficult process of accessing international **Contacts:** climate finance, blue finance and investments in ocean ecosystem conservation. Sarah Harris Communication Lead Panel: Local Climate Adaptive Living Facility Keynote from Ministerial representative from Tuvalu (tbc) **UNCDF** Country representatives from Solomon Islands and Fiji E: sarah.harris.simpson@uncdf.org Moderation by UNCDF or Commonwealth Secretariat Heidi Prislan Commonwealth Blue Charter Adviser Commonwealth Secretariat Commonwealth Blue Charter Commonwealth (thecommonwealth.org) E: h.prislan@commonwealth.int 5.00pm -Partnership: Global Island The GLISPA Island Bright Spots Event Series: Episode 6: 5.55pm Partnership (GLISPA), **GEF-SGP Spotlight on Climate Adaptation** UNDP. Smithsonian Institute, Conservation Micronesia Trust, About: This event series, held in the margins of major (12 Nov) **Caribbean Biodiversity Fund** international events, highlights Bright Spots from islands

around the world, exploring a different theme each time. For COP27 we tackle "Climate Adaptation" and our unique format Contacts: is designed to connect our local, everyday, unseen heroes in Jabal Hassanali the trenches to high-level global players and decision makers. Strategy Manager Together, we can unlock the resources and grassroots knowhow necessary to scale these interventions in-country, as **GLISPA** well as share these solutions to other islands in a culturally-E: jabal@glispa.org sensitive fashion. Paula Lewis Panel: Partnerships Manager Yoko Watanabe, Global Manager, GEF-SGP UNDP **GLISPA** Carol O'Donnell, Director, Smithsonian Science Education E: paula@glispa.org Ariane Steinsmeier, Rare Tamara Greenstone, Micronesia Conservation Trust Rissa Edoo Karen McDonald, Caribbean Biodiversity Fund **GEF-SGP UNDP** E: rissa.edoo@undp.org Presentations by local implementers in islands globally (prerecorded and in person) Britta Garfield Smithsonian Institute E: GarfieldB@si.edu Tamara Greenstone Micronesia Conservation Trust E: conservation@ourmicronesia.org Ulrike Krauss Caribbean Biodiversity Fund ukrauss@caribbeanbiodiversityfund.org Secretariat of the Pacific Regional 6.00pm -**Weather Ready Pacific** 8.00pm **Environnment Programme (SPREP) About:** A High-Level side event on the Weather Ready Pacific (12 Nov) Contact: endorsed by Pacific Leaders in 2021. Salesa Nihmei Meteorology & Climate Adviser Panel: (tbc)

SUNDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2022 PAVILION CLOSED

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ALL DAY	CLOSED	CLOSED

MONDAY 14 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: WATER & GE		NDER
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT
9.00am – 9.55am	He Pou a Rangi Climate Change Commission, Aotearoa New Zealand	Hinemoana Halo Climate Investment Panel
(14 Nov)	Contacts: Mere Takoko Director of Maui Tech He Pou a Rangi Climate Change Commission, Aotearoa New Zealand & Vice President Conservation International E: mtakoko@conservation.org Karen Lavin Acting Manager - Adaptation Climate Change Commission Aotearoa, New Zealand E: karen.lavin@climatecommission.gov	About: This event will include the international launch of the NZ Climate Commission's Maui. Tech indigenous climate change initiative that explores opportunities to invest in high quality blue carbon and nature-based solutions to combat climate change in Aotearoa and the Pacific. The event will also introduce the Hinemoana Halo Blue Carbon Initiative to raise US\$100mn to support blue carbon investment opportunities between indigenous peoples with governments, financial institutions, philanthropic organisations and donors. Panel: Lisa Tumahai, Deputy Chair, He Pou a Rangi Climate Change Commission, Aotearoa New Zealand
10.00am - 10.55am	Government of Vanuatu and ICJ Project	Vanuatu Climate Change Initiatives
(14 Nov)	Contact: Leana William MEA Officer Ministry of Climate Change, E: lwilliam@vanuatu.gov.vu	About: Vanuatu has developed very innovative technologies, policies, finance modalities with regards to climate change (CC) and disaster risk reduction (DRR) initiatives. Panel: HE Nikenike Vurobaravu, President of Vanuatu
11.00am – 11.55am	Partnership: Fijian Government and Monash University	Blue Economy Financing Models for Pacific Island Countries
(14 Nov)	Contacts: Mr. Kushaal Raj Director Climate Change and International Cooperation Division	About: The ocean is increasingly threatened by climate change; risks for growth of the ocean economy led to be mitigated through securing combination of grant money,

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concessional loans and private investment. This session will address strategies to develop its blue ocean economy.

Panel: Prof. (Mrs) Seema Narayan, Advisor & Consultant, Asia-Pacific Applied Economics Association, Melbourne, Australia; Ms Reshmi Kumari, Director, Ministry of Sugar, Fiji; and Mr. Rex Horoi, Climate Change Envoy, Monash University, Melbourne Australia (based in Suva, Fiji) & former Ambassador of the Solomon Islands to the UN.

12.00pm -12.55pm

Pacific Islands Forum

(14 Nov)

Partnership: This side event is organised by the Pacific regional Gender Technical Working Group (PIFS, SPC, UN Women, UNFPA, CSO Partners – DIVA, Shifting the Power Coalition) in partnership with the One CROP Team.

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Women and Girls, in all their diversity, at the centre of any climate change action

About: The 2050 Strategy recognises the importance of securing the wellbeing of Pacific peoples by having peoplecentred development and in the Pacific, climate change is a daily reality and disproportionately impacts marginalised groups including women and girls, persons with disabilities, indigenous peoples, children, and older people.

Panel: There will be up to four panellists representing Pacific women and girls and sharing their perspectives on the importance of their participation and inclusion in the climate change actions.

1.00pm – 1.55pm

Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) and The Pacific Community (SPC)

(14 Nov)

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Data Based Reporting in the Pacific

About: The data gap has long been an identified problem in the Pacific across all sectors including environment and climate change. Gathering data through assessments. surveys and other field work is a costly but necessary exercise to ensure that data is up to date and correctly reflects the current state of the affairs. Several tools and applications have been developed within the Pacific to ensure that data gathered is properly catalogued, managed, shared and utilised. The SPREP Inform Project's Pacific Environment Portal (PEP) and network of national data portals together with the Pacific Community's (SPC) Pacific Data Hub (PDH) have allowed for increased data availability as evidence of environmental resources, trends and drivers of climate change. Furthermore, these platforms have improved data management - allowing for further interpretation into insightful products used within reports and to inform decision makers. This side event will explore the platforms developed to catalogue, manage and store data as well as the data products that have come out from processing this data to provide further insights.

Panel: Mr. Sefanaia Nawadra, Director General, SPREP and others (tbc)

2.00pm – 2.55pm	The Pacific Community (SPC)	Launch of the Framework for Energy Security and Resilience in the Pacific (FESRIP) as a Pacific response
2.00pm	Contactor	to the climate change emergency
(14 Nov)	Contacts: Akuila Tawake	
(111101)	Deputy Director	About: Climate change has emerged as the greatest threat
	Georesources and Energy Programme	to the health of the Blue Pacific, as highlighted by the present
	Energy and Maritime Division	global energy crisis. This side event will launch the Framework for Energy Security and Resilience in the Pacific
	SPC	(FESRIP) 2021-2030 as a commitment by Pacific Island
	E: atawake@spc.int	Countries and Territories to transform their energy sector
		from fossil fuel- based to clean, reliable and affordable renewable energy.
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3.00pm - 3.55pm		The Commonwealth Climate Finance Access Hub: Enhancing access to climate finance towards a more
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•	E: taleit@spc.int Commonwealth Secretariat	Enhancing access to climate finance towards a more resilient Pacific Region
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Panel:

- Ambassador Solo Mara, PIDF
- Government of Vanuatu
- Government of Micronesia
- Conservation International
- Blue Praxis

5.00pm – 5.55pm

Coalition of Atoll Nations on Climate Change (CANCC) & Asian Development Bank (ADB)

(14 Nov)

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Deborah Robertson Environmental Specialist Asian Development Bank E: drobertson@adb.org Coalition of Atoll Nations on Climate Change: Adaptation action in atoll nations in the era of loss and damage

About: A high-level side event engaging representatives of the Coalition for Atoll Nations on Climate Change (CANCC) and other stakeholders to share knowledge on adaptation interventions on atolls in the era of loss and damage with a view to enhancing action and support, and to explore the possibility of finalising the CANCC MOU.

Panel: HE. Tina Stege, Chair of CANCC and Special Climate Envoy as side event facilitator; Republic of Marshall Islands Minister (tbc); Ministers/ High-level representatives from CANCC members; and Ms. Noelle O'Brian, Chief of Climate Change and Disaster Risk Management, ADB.

6.00pm - 8.00pm

He Pou a Rangi Climate Change Commission, Aotearoa New Zealand

(14 Nov)

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Te Hononga a Maui Climate Commission Panel

About: This side event will show videos showcasing stories on the impacts of climate change from the perspectives of tangata whenua in Aotearoa New Zealand and across the Pacific.

In this session, we would introduce the background to and aspirations for Maui. Tech and showcase some of the regional case study vignettes that are available on the Maui. Tech website. Through these stories we hear about how these groups are identifying opportunities and considering solutions that provide valuable insights into the key drivers, values, and decision-making frameworks which are foundational to the way some lwi/Maori organisations are approaching climate resilience.

Panel: Lisa Tumahai, Deputy Chair, He Pou a Rangi Climate
Change Commission, Aotearoa New Zealand; and Mere Takoko, Director of Maui Tech, He Pou a Rangi Climate Change Commission, Aotearoa New Zealand.

TUESDAY 15 NOVEMBER 202

COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: ENERGY & ACE		
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT
9.00am – 9.55am	Oxfam Pacific, Vanuatu Climate Action Network (VCAN), and Solomon Islands Climate Action Network	Grassroots Collaboration for a Climate-Just Transformation: Stories of Impact from Oceania
(15 Nov)	Contacts: Kesaia Vasutoga Programme Manager - Climate Change Oxfam in the Pacific E: kvasutoga@oxfampacific.org Sanivalati Tubuna Climate Justice Lead Oxfam in the Pacific E: stubuna@oxfampacific.org	About: Stories of influencing for impact through Civil Society Organisations (CSO) collaboration, grassroots action and transformation. Panel: HE Nikenike Vurobaravu, President of Vanuatu, NZ Climate Change Department, Australia Ministry of Climate Change and Energy, Mary Tahu (Solomon Islands), Gabriela Bucher (Oxfam International), Government Representative from the Netherlands (tbc)
10.00am – 10.55am	Partnership: Government of Vanuatu and Organisation of Africa, Caribbean, Pacific States (OACPS)	Paris Agreement Ambition through the International Court of Justice
(15 Nov)	Contact: Christopher Bartlett Climate Diplomacy Manager Republic of Vanuatu E: cbartlett@vanuatu.gov.vu or pacificislandclimatechange@gmail.com	About: An exploration of the ways an Advisory Opinion from the International Court of Justice will raise ambition within Nationally Determined Contributions to meet the goals of the Paris Agreement Panel: HE Nikenike Vurobaravu, President (Vanuatu), Prime Minister Gaston Browne (Antiga and Barbuda), President Ruto (Kenya), and OACPS Secretary General
		Georges Rebelo Pinto Chikoti.
11.00am – 11.55am (15 Nov)	Partnership: Government of Papua New Guinea; Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI), Government of Australia Department of Foreign Affairs & Trade	Climate resilience and green growth in PNG: policy and investment changes at the sub-national Government level and banking sector - lessons on accessing finance

About: The objective of the session is to showcase best practices and lessons of the CRGG project and invite Contacts: bilateral partnership and support for an upscaling and John Auka second phase of CRGG across PNG and possibly the **PNG** Delegate PSIDS region. Climate Change & Development Authority Panel: William Lakain - Acting Managing Director Climate Change Development Authority; Frank Rijsberman Peniamina Leavai Director General GGGI; Peniamina Leavai - Project PNG delegate Manager CRGG, IGFP; Debra Sungi - General Manager E: peniamina.leavai@gggi.org MRV GoPNG. WhatsApp +67573188676 12.00pm -Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Partnering in Knowledge Brokerage: Pacific SIDS 12.55pm **Environment Programme (SPREP)** discourse on strengthening partnerships enhancing Resilience Building through Information Knowledge Management and Knowledge Contact: **Brokerage** Mr. Semi Qamese **Acting Manager** About: The agencies selected for this session have Intra ACP GCCA+ PACRES Project implemented actions and initiatives in response to the call **SPREP** for enhanced Pacific regionalism and resilience building through innovative approaches to the sharing and E: semiq@sprep.org exchange of information, Knowledge Brokerage, and the creation of partnerships. This event will highlight the respective initiatives and approaches developed by resilience practitioners in the Pacific region in their endeavours to achieve enhanced levels of efficiency and effectiveness in their planning through utilising knowledge processes brokerage platforms. Panel: Ms. Tagaloa Cooper-Halo, Director of Climate Change Resilience, SPREP Mr. Patrick Pringle, Climate Analytics (Facilitator) Mr. Semi Qamese, Acting Project Manager, Intra ACP GCCA+ PACRES Project, SPREP Ms. 'Ofa Kaisamy, Manager, Pacific Climate Change Centre Ms. Teea Tira, Pacific Resilience Partnership Support Representative from the Pacific Meteorological Council 1.00pm -Partnership: International Organization Promoting regional human security responses to for Migration (IOM), Economic and climate-related mobility in SIDS: Progress and 1.55pm Social Commission for Asia and the challenges Pacific (ESCAP), Pacific Islands Forum (15 Nov) Secretariat (PIFS) About: The event will share good practices from the Pacific to advance regional cooperation to address

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human mobility in the context of climate change, including the progress achieved in the development of a Pacific Regional Framework on Climate Mobility.

Programme: Speakers (tbc)

Welcome remarks and moderation: Ms. Ugochi Daniels, Deputy Director General for Operations, International Organization for Migration

Panelists:

- H.E. Simon Kofe, Minister for Justice, Communication & Foreign Affairs, Tuvalu
- Government of Fiji (tbc)
- Mr. Henry Puna, Secretary General, Pacific Islands Forum
- Ms. Armida Salsiah Alisjahbana, ESCAP Executive Secretary
- Civil Society Representative
- Prof. Walter Kaelin, Envoy of the Chair, Platform on Disaster Displacement

2.00pm – 2.55pm

(15 Nov)

Partnership: Pacific Islands Forum, United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR) and United Nations Capital Development Fund (UNCDF)

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Climate Risk Informed Development

About: With the increasing disaster risks in terms of frequency and intensity, fuelled by the changing climatic conditions, normal development is no longer sustainable. A transformative approach requires integrating climate risk information into all aspects of development will be critical. This event aims to discuss tools and ways of enhancing climate-informed sustainable development.

Panel: Up to 4 speakers with gender equity a major consideration, including the Political Climate Champion on Adaptation

3.00pm - 3.55pm

(15 Nov)

Partnership: Pacific Islands Forum; People with Disability Forum (PDF); UN Women; and The Pacific Community (SPC)

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Disability inclusive climate action

About: Persons with disabilities are often disproportionally affected by disasters and climate change impact and have different and uneven levels of resilience and capacity to recover. The side event will focus on meaningful engagement on inclusive climate adaptation policies and programmes and disability and climate change in the Pacific. It will also advocate for the fulfilment of the promise of "leaving no one behind"

Panel: There will be up to four panellists representing persons with disabilities and sharing their perspectives on the importance of their participation and inclusion in the climate change actions.

4.00pm – 4.55pm	Partnership: Government of Tuvalu and United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)	Towards a climate secure future for Pacific Small Island Developing States
(15 Nov)	Contact: Mr. Saamu Tui Deputy Project Manager UNDP Climate Security in the Pacific Project Email:saamu.tui@undp.org	About: An opportunity to present the Climate Risk Profile for Tuvalu, Kiribati and the Republic of the Marshall Islands, as well of the Regional Risk Assessment Framework, conducted by the UNDP-IOM Climate Security in the Pacific project in close collaboration with the Government of the three countries and the Pacific Islands Forum. Panel: Ministers from Tuvalu, Republic of Marshall Islands, and Kiribati. Facilitator from UNDP.
		Islands, and Kindati. Facilitator from UNDP.
5.00pm - 5.55pm	Future Leaders Network & Climate Youth Negotiator Programme Contacts:	Intergenerational Talanoa Dialogue on Youth Leadership in Decision Making About: Through storytelling and deep listening, it will
(15 Nov)	Veena Balakrishnan Co-Founder Climate Youth Negotiator Programme E: veena.balakrishnan@youthnegotiators.org Heeta Lakhani Co-Founder Climate Youth Negotiator Programme E: heeta.lakhani@youthnegotiators.org Sophie Daud Co-Founder Climate Youth Negotiator Programme E: sophie.daud@youthnegotiators.org	connect the experiences of youth participating in decision making today, with: • the struggles of their ancestors; • the perspectives of industry and government peers; • a vision of a world in which youth participation is celebrated and recognised. Panel: Dialogue to be facilitated by Brianna Fruean, activist and environmental advocate from Samoa

WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: BIODIVERSITY		
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT
10.00am - 10.55am	United Nations Capital Development Fund (UNCDF)	Climate risk exposure and the need for disaster risk financing among households and SMEs New evidence from Fiji
(16 Nov)	Contacts: Mr. Krishnan Narasimhan	About: Presentation of key findings from a new study on the demand and need for Disaster Risk Financing solutions in Fiji

Programme Manager and Lead followed by the launch of the research report and a panel Insurance and Climate Adaptation discussion with researchers and industry practitioners. Specialist UNCDF Panel: Dr. Elisabeth Holland (USP); Mr. Krishnan Narasimhan (UNCDF); Ms. Sinja Buri (UNU-EHS); and Research students E: krishnan.narasimhan@uncdf.org from USP. Dr. Elisabeth Holland Professor of Ocean and Climate Change, Director of the Pacific Center for Environment and Sustainable Development, University of the South Pacific E: elisabeth.holland@usp.ac.fj Ms. Mariam Parekhelashvili **Project Associate** United Nations University Institute for Environment and Human Security E: parekhelashvili@ehs.unu.edu 11.00am -The Pacific Community (SPC) Our Food System and the climate crisis: promoting food 11.55am security to enhance climate adaptation in the Pacific Contacts: (16 Nov) About: This side event aims to highlight how Pacific Island Karen Mapusua Countries and Territories ensure food security in the region, Director making genetic diversity part of climate change adaptation. It Land Resources Division will present the Pacific Community's Centre for Pacific Crops SPC and Trees (CePACT), which houses over 2,000 accessions of the region's staple crops taro, yam, sweet potato, banana, E: KarenM@spc.int cassava, and breadfruit. James Kemsey Panel: Hybrid panel that showcases how climate change and Information, communications and food systems are intrinsically linked and how it is everyone's knowledge management advisor business to dialogue and find solutions E: jameske@spc.int Maeva Tesan Information, communications and knowledge management officer SPC E: maevat@spc.int 12.00pm -**SPREP** From Silos to Synergy: Inter-regional Climate Resilience Programming " Intra-ACP GCCA+ in Small Island 12.55pm **Developing States** Contact:

(16 Nov)	Mr. Semi Qamese	
	Acting Manager, Intra ACP GCCA+ PACRES Project4	About: This event will highlight the respective initiatives and approaches developed by resilience practitioners in the different
	Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme	SIDS regions.
	E: semiq@sprep.org	Panel:
		 Ms. Tagaloa Cooper-Halo: SPREP
		Mr. Semi Qamese: SPREPMs. Gina Bonne: Indian Ocean Commission
		Prof. Elizabeth Holland: University of the South Pacific
		Mr. Ansel Dubon: Caribbean Community Climate Change
		Centre
1.00pm –	Pacific Catastrophe Risk	The potential of pre-arranged and trigger based disaster
1.55pm (16 Nov)	Insurance (PCRAFI)	risk finance for early action, rapid crisis response, and debt resilience in the Pacific
(101101)	Contacts:	
		About: This event will discuss how people's and government's
	Akosita Drova	financial and social resilience can be supported and enhanced through current and future parametric risk transfer solutions
	Regional Co-ordinator	offered by the Pacific Catastrophe Risk Insurance Company,
	Pacific Catastrophe Risk Insurance	and discuss the importance of international responsibility,
	Company Dominude House Tutakimas Book	including for insurance premium financing and regional collaboration on preparedness and response.
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	Rarotonga, Cook Islands.	Panel:
	E: rc@pcric.org	Finance Ministry Tonga (Panelist)
		Finance Ministry Fiji (Panelist)
	Viktoria Seifert	Finance Ministry Marshall Islands (Panelist)
	Associate Director, Climate and Resilience Hub at WTW (formerly	Aholotu Palu (Keynote speaker)
	Willis Towers Watson)	Simon Young (WTW, Panelist/Moderator)
	E: Viktoria.Seifert@wtwco.com	Viktoria Seifert (WTW, Panelist Moderator) Solomon Thomas (Panelist)
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2.00pm – 2.55pm	Kiwa Initiative Secretariat	The Kiwa Initiative or how to address climate change adaptation and Nature-based Solutions funding in the
	Contacts:	Pacific
(16 Nov)	Mr. Mahe Charles	
	Technical Coordinator of the Kiwa	About: The Kiwa Initiative to strengthen the resilience of
	Secretariat	ecosystems, economies and communities in Pacific Island Countries and Territories (PICTs) through Nature-based
	E: charlesm.ext@afd.fr	Solutions. This event will feature presentation and experience
	Ma Assa Olein Osenat	sharing from PICTs beneficiaries and partners.
	Ms. Anne-Claire Goarant CCES Project Manager	
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	Ms Mathilde Kraft	

	Project Development Coordinator Kiwa Initiative Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) E: mathildek@sprep.org Mr. Etika Rupeni Etika Regional Coordinator IUCN ORO E: Etika.QICA@iucn.org	
3.00pm – 3.55pm (16 Nov)	Pacific Islands Development Forum (PIDF), University of the South Pacific (USP) & Blue Praxis Contacts: Arpana Pratap Director Blue Economy Pacific Islands Development Forum E: arpana.pratap@pidf.int Professor Elisabeth Holland Director PACE-SD USP E: holland_e@usp.ac.fj Dr Sebastian Thomas Director Blue Praxis E: sebastian@bluepraxis.com.au	Sustainable blue economy and climate change adaptation "Solutions for a more resilient blue economy" About: This side event is organised to exchange experiences and best practices to promote knowledge sharing of successful sustainable blue economy, climate change adaptation strategies and actions. Panel: Ambassador Solo Mara, PIDF and others to be confirmed.
6.30pm – 8.00pm (16 Nov)	New Zealand Contact: Sally Forrest Project Manager Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade New Zealand E: sally.forrest@mfat.govt.nz	New Zealand Networking Event About: Networking event. More information to be provided.

THURSDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2022

COP27 CLIM	COP27 CLIMATE ACTION THEME: SOLUTIONS		
TIME	ORGANISERS AND PARTNERS	EVENT	
10.00am – 10.55am (17 Nov)	Partnership: One Ocean Hub, Glasgow School of Art, Erromango Cultural Association, Ground and Justice Party, University of Strathclyde, Vanuatu Cultural Centre, National University of Vanuatu Contact: Dr Lisa McDonald Post-Doctoral Research Associate (One Ocean Hub) Glasgow School of Art E: I.mcdonald@gsa.ac.uk	Indigenous Knowledge and Inclusive Ocean Governance: A Case Study from Vanuatu About: This session focuses on the importance of traditional knowledge about the ocean to strategies of adaptation, resilience and youth empowerment in Vanuatu. Panel: Dr Lisa McDonald, Post-Doctoral Research Associate (One Ocean Hub), Glasgow School of Art Prof. Stuart Jeffrey, Professor of Digital Heritage, Glasgow School of Art Anna Naupa, Secretary, Erromango Cultural Association Hon. Ralph Regenvanu, Member of Parliament of Vanuatu In-person facilitator: John Ruben, PSO Research and Development, Vanuatu Meteorology and Geo-Hazards Department	
12.00pm – 12.55pm (17 Nov)	Partnership: Unitarian Universalist Service Committee (UUSC) & Climate Tok) Contacts: Salote Soqo Director of Advocacy Global Displacement UUSC E: ssoqo@uusc.org Makereta Waqavonovono Director Climate Tok Phone: (+679) 8671237	Sociocultural impacts of Loss and Damage in the Pacific About: This side event will discuss the sociocultural impacts of loss and damage on Indigenous Pacific Islanders, the complexity of addressing these issues through multilateral policies and the need for appropriate and culturally safe responses. Panel: Makereta Waqavonovono, Lavetanalagi Seru, Maina Talia, Joseph Sikulu and Salote Soqo	
2.00pm - 2.55pm (17 Nov)	Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Contacts: Xuechan Ma Climate Change Specialist Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) E: Xuechan.Ma@fao.org	Enhancing climate resilience of SIDS coasts, communities and ecosystems About: This event will launch new climate data and findings of a series of studies commissioned by FAO on climate change in relation to the Small Island Developing States (SIDS) and gather a wide range of stakeholders to discuss responses and opportunities to address climate vulnerabilities of fisheries, aquaculture and other ocean economies in SIDS. Panel: SIDS countries representatives (tbc)	

	Tarub Bahri Fishery Resources Officer Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) E: Tarub.Bahri@fao.org	
3.00pm - 3.55pm	The DeepSea Conservation Coalition	Deep-Sea Mining: A test case for the ocean, climate & biodiversity nexus
(17 Nov)	Contact: Phil McCabe Pacific Regional Lead on Deep Sea Mining The DeepSea Conservation Coalition WhatsApp & Signal +64 272943451 E: philmccabe101@gmail.com	About: A facilitated round-table discussion with ocean advocates, scientists and political voices urging action to prevent deep-sea mining from happening unless and until a series of key conditions around governance, scientific uncertainty, environmental protection, and social license are addressed, and explore instead the possibilities for a well resourced, coordinated and sustained deep ocean research agenda for the Pacific region, with generational capacity building at its core.
		Panel: (tbc)