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DATE: 12 February 2026 **CC:** Climate Change Focal Points & IPCC Focal Points of Federated States of Micronesia, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Nauru and Palau

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SUBJECT: Call for Nominations: Pacific Climate Change Centre (PCCC) Dialogue on Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and Knowledge Brokerage (Micronesia) 7 – 9 April 2026 in Nadi, Fiji

Dear Focal Points,

I am pleased to inform you of the Pacific Climate Change Centre (PCCC) Dialogue on Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and Knowledge Brokerage for the Micronesia sub-region countries. The workshop will be held in Nadi, from 07 – 09 April 2026.

An invitation is hereby extended to your Climate Change and IPCC Focal Points to attend this important event.

The objectives of this event are to:

- Provide updates on the outcomes of the IPCC 64 session – 24-27 March, Thailand. Outline the priorities for the Pacific in engaging with the IPCC.
- Provide an overview and update on the IPCC's Seventh Assessment Report (AR7) cycle and key reports, timelines and processes.
- Present opportunities for the IPCC Scholarships and requirements for intake.
- Provide an update on the Pacific IPCC regional coordination mechanism and Pacific Climate Change Research Roadmap 2025 - 2030
- Discuss challenges and solutions for enhanced Pacific engagement with the IPCC including regional coordination of National IPCC Focal Points and pathways for Pacific climate change researchers to get involved in IPCC reports.
- Present on potential engagement in the 5th Pacific Oceans Pacific Climate Change Conference, September 2026, Solomon Islands.
- Build capacity of the participants in climate change knowledge brokerage
- Learn about country-level initiatives in climate change knowledge brokerage, applied research, innovation, and capacity building.
- Key knowledge brokerage priorities, tools and needs of the Pacific Island Countries and Territories (PICT such as the Pacific Innovation Forum on Climate and Environment in 1-3 July 2026 in Vanuatu)
- Identify future opportunities for improving knowledge exchange and collaboration among stakeholders in the Pacific Islands region

This event will be jointly delivered and implemented in collaboration with multiple partners. This sub-regional engagement is an opportunity to amplify the priority needs for Micronesia for effective regional coordination for ongoing and pipeline technical implementation of IPCC best-practices and knowledge brokerage.

In light of the above, I have the pleasure of inviting you to nominate up to four (4) participants per country to attend the workshop. The Secretariat requests nominations from those who are actively engaged in the work of the IPCC, including researchers and policymakers, as well as those involved in knowledge management, communication, and/or outreach.

Travel cost of maximum 4 participants per country will be supported by the Pacific Climate Change Centre. All travel arrangements will be made in strict accordance with the SPREP Travel Policy, including economy return airfare via the most direct and economical route. Please note that visa and travel insurance costs will be the responsibility of the traveller.

All nominations are to be submitted using the Nomination Form annexed hereto and send to pccc@sprep.org by **Monday 23 February 2026**, to allow sufficient time for travel arrangements and necessary logistical preparations.

Yours sincerely,



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