

Working Group 40
Oro Verde Hotel in Guayaquil, Ecuador
November 3-5th, 2015

OBJECTIVES:

1. Review and advance the first report for UNEP, due November 15th.
2. Finish a draft with all of the parts for the main chapters from each group.
3. Develop the section about recommendations for most urgent action and future research.
4. Discuss risk assessment and determine if we can incorporate some into the report.
5. Discuss techniques for communication outside academia.

Provisional Agenda

Tuesday, November 3rd

- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 Welcome and Introduction
Government representative/CPPS (5-10 minutes)
Key note speaker: Marine Litter in the South East Pacific Region (Expert from hosting institution about local marine litter; 20 minutes)
- 9:30-40 Introductions (intro activity)
- 9.50 Group leaders give focused presentations on the key points from each chapter (10 min each)
- Sources (Chris Wilcox?)
 - Distribution, Fate and Hotspots (Chris?, Laurent?)
 - Ecological Impacts (Chelsea?, Dick?)
 - Commercial Fish and Shellfish (Sarah)
 - Socio-economic aspects (Patrick)
 - Method Development and Harmonization (Francois?)
- 10:50 Coffee break (network)
- 11:20 Brainstorm Activity (1-2-3-4 all model): use this activity to develop the key priority actions and research gaps (i.e., begin writing the last section).
- 12:30 Lunch
- 14:00 Communicating beyond academia
- 14:45 Status report update from each group leader to inform priorities for the week and what still needs to be done (use this to determine who needs to meet with who in breakout groups throughout the meeting)
- 15:30 Breakout group #1
- 17:00 Meeting adjourned
- 18:30 Dinner as a group

Wednesday, November 4th

- 9:00 Welcome, go over day, etc... (some sort of activity)
- 9.30 Grid Arendal presentation (Joan Fabres)
- 10:00 Each group get together to think about visuals for chapters (Joan circulate)
- 11:00 Coffee Break
- 11:15 Breakout group #2 (or continue visuals activity)
- 12:30 Lunch
- 14:00 Risk Assessment Framework workshop (someone comes and teaches us HOW to do it or how risk assessments are used by managers)
- 14:40 Breakout group to work on risk assessments
- 17:00 Meeting adjourned

Thursday, November 5th

9:00 Welcome

9:15 Breakout group #3

12:30 Lunch

14:00 Breakout group #4

16:30 Go over timeline moving forward, next steps

17:00 Meeting adjourned

**Working Group 40 – Drafting workshop
Oro Verde Hotel in Guayaquil, Ecuador
November 6th, 2015**

OBJECTIVES:

1. Finish draft and determine last steps for completion if necessary
2. Complete final section on recommendations for priority actions/areas for future research
3. Decide on what needs to be done next

Provisional Agenda

Friday, November 6th

- 9:00 De-brief large meeting
9:30 Go over timeline for WG40 and next steps
10:15 Finalize conclusions and recommendations section
12:30 Lunch
14:00 Continue working toward polished drafts
17:00 Meeting Adjourned