Targeting the Adaptation Fund

Designated Authorities design climate change adaptation projects

Climate change is happening
Only Member States can drive their specific adaptation projects

Such projects are supported by the Adaptation Fund. IOC will partner leaders and communities to define and draft their own concrete Adaptation to Climate Change projects on oceans and coasts.

Lisemwalo lipo, ikiwa halipo laja: What is being talked about is here, if not it is coming

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PROVISIONAL AGENDA V.1 / Structure of the Workshop

OUTPUT: Drafted concept notes for projects in adaptation to climate change on coasts

DAY ONE

1. Welcome and Opening
   1.1. Opening Remarks
   1.2. IOC 50th Anniversary Fellowship Programme: Presentation of selected Young African Scientists

2. Agenda and Background Information
   2.1. Structure of the Workshop
   2.2. Background Information
      - What is special about Adaptation to Climate Change for Oceans and Coasts?
      - Targeting the Adaptation Fund
      - Example (national): The Kenyan Approach to Adaptation to Climate change
      - Example (regional): Adaptation to Coastal Climate Change: Potentialities for replication in East Africa
      - Example (UN agency): UNDP: Supporting Integrated and Comprehensive Approaches to Climate Change Adaptation in Africa
   2.3. Plenary

3. Window of opportunity: National Implementation of Adaptation in Oceans and Coasts
   3.1. Member State’s Perspectives
      - Sharing experiences in gaps, needs and obstacles in adapting to climate change
      - Sharing potential project concepts, pilot sites and other issues
      - Capacity-Development needs: Strengthen climate science (oceans & coasts) to support policy Fellowship Awardees’ Perspectives
   3.2. Plenary
   3.3. Practical Examples of Oceans and Coastal Adaptation to Climate Change
      - Example (local): Cape Town Municipality: Sea level rise risk assessment and Adaptation options
      - Example (others): [to be confirmed]
      - Recap of priorities of the Adaptation Fund
   3.4. Wrap-Up: Day-One and Assignments

DAY TWO

4. Drafting project concepts targeting the Adaptation Fund
   4.1. Recap of Outcomes of Day-one sessions
   4.2. Break-out groups drafting/refining concept notes for the Adaptation Fund; identifying pilot sites
   4.3. Plenary
      - Report on progress achieved by break out groups
      - Short References to sub-regional or regional linkages
      - Preparation for Project Dinner
   4.4. Wrap-Up of Day-Two and Assignments

DAY THREE

4. Drafting project concepts targeting the Adaptation Fund (continued)
   4.5. Break-out groups continued - preparations for presenting in Plenary
   4.6. Presentations and Discussion of project proposals

5. Window of opportunity: Regional Implementation of Adaptation in Oceans and Coasts
   5.1. Identifying common issues and players
   5.2. Identifying regional/sub-regional projects
   5.3. Mapping regional and sub-regional linkages

6. The potential role of IOC in Coastal and Oceans Adaptation to Climate Change
   6.1. Climate science (Oceans and Coasts), operational tools, capacity-development and institutional strengthening
   6.2. Targeting the Adaptation Fund
   6.3. Synergizing with other UN Institutions: Potential linkages with UNDP current projects

7. The Way Forward
   Follow-up:
   - Networking: National contact points, practitioners and methods of communication
   - Further project development and submission
   - Next workshop

8. Closure of the Workshop