



Australian Government
Australian Maritime Safety Authority



9TH PACIFIC REGIONAL MARITIME SEARCH AND RESCUE WORKSHOP

Cairns, Queensland, Australia

27 February – 03 March 2023

Agenda

Dress code for the workshop is the equivalent of trousers and a collared shirt.

Polo shirt and short sleeve shirts are acceptable attire.

Pacific nation equivalents (such as lavalava or sulu) are acceptable attire for the conference.

There is no requirement for a jacket and tie, nor suit.

The ice breaker/social function on Monday, and the closing function on Thursday are also working dress.

THEME: RECONNECTING SEARCH AND RESCUE ACROSS THE PACIFIC				
Day / Time	Item No.	Presentation	Presenter	Remarks
Monday 27 February 2023				
1600-1700	01	Registration		
1700-1900	02	Ice breaker/social function		
		Acknowledgement of Country		
		Administrative matters		
		Welcome remarks		

Tuesday 28 February 2023				
0800		Tea and coffee available		
0830-0840	03	Intro and housekeeping	Chris Gray	Facilitator
0840-0845	04	Official welcome	Kevin McEvoy	Chair PACSAR Steering Committee
0845-0900	05	Acknowledgement of Country		
0900-0915	06	Opening address	Mick Kinley	CEO AMSA
0915-0925	07	Keynote address	SPC	
0925-0935	08	Keynote address	IMO	Bekir Stiki Ustaoglu
0935-1000	09	Know your tablemates	Chris Gray	
Theme: GOVERNANCE				
1000-1030	10A	International Maritime Organisation and International Civil Aviation Organisation (IMO and ICAO): Pacific regional SAR	Dave Edwards, Scott Constable	Global challenges, trends, opportunities, implications, 30 mins presenter
1030-1100		MORNING TEA		
1100-1150	10B	IMO and ICAO cont'd		30 mins presenter 20mins Q&A (panel)
1150-1205	11	PACSAR	Chair SC	Business plan, strategic pillars
1205-1220	12	Pacific Maritime SAR Technical Arrangement for Cooperation (SAR TAfC)	SPC	
1220-1230	13	Group photo		
1230-1330		LUNCH		
1330-1400	14	Australia's National Search and Rescue Council	Mark Morrow (Chair)	Council role, environmental scan 20mins, 10mins Q&A
1400-1420	15	Country report France		
1420-1440	16	Country report USA		
1440-1500	17	Country report Kiribati		
1500-1530		AFTERNOON TEA		
1530-1550	18	Country report Cook Islands		
1550-1610	19	Country report Niue		
1610-1630	20	Country report Samoa		
1630-1645	21	Tuesday wrap up	Chris Gray	
1645-1715		Steering Committee		Steering Committee only
Evening		Networking opportunity in social setting		Details TBA, at own cost

Wednesday 01 March 2023				
Theme: COORDINATION				
0800		Tea and coffee available		
0830-0900	22	Reflections from Tuesday	Chris Gray	What were takeaways, and what is impact to your country
0900-0910	23	Wednesday: setting the scene	Chris Gray	
0910-0930	24	Country report Tokelau		
0930-0950	25	Country report Tonga		
0950-1010	26	Country report Tuvalu		
1010-1030	27	Country report Republic of Fiji		
1030-1100		MORNING TEA		
1100-1115	28	Case studies: setting the scene	Chris Gray	
1115-1230	29A	Case study analysis Case study 1: 15 mins presented Case study 2: 15 mins presented 30 mins group discussion 15 mins forum facilitated backbrief	TBC and Facilitator	What went well? What could be done more effectively? How is my nation placed? 'So what' for us?
1230-1330		LUNCH		
1330-1500	29B	Case study analysis continued Case study 3: 15 mins presented Case study 4: 15 mins presented 20 mins group discussion 15 mins forum facilitated backbrief 15 mins solo reflection	TBC and Facilitator	What went well? What could be done more effectively? How is my nation placed? 'So what' for us?
1500-1530		AFTERNOON TEA		
1530-1550	30	Country report Marshall Islands		
1550-1610	31	Country report Vanuatu		
1610-1630	32	Country report Nauru		
1630-1645	33	Wednesday wrap up	Chris Gray	
1645-1730		Steering Committee		Steering Committee only
Free time		Evening free time		

Thursday 02 March 2023				
Themes: RESPONSE AND PREVENTION				
0800		Tea and coffee available		
0830-0845	34	Thursday: setting the scene	Facilitator	Capability lens
0845-0905	35	Country report New Zealand		
0905-0925	36	Country report Solomon Islands		
0925-0945	37	Country report Papua New Guinea		
0945-1005	38	Country report Australia		
1005-1030	39	Introduction of panel		
1030-1100		MORNING TEA		
1100-1230	40A	Capability speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Aircraft Mission Commander - Ship captain - Volunteer Marine Rescue - Police - Telemedical Advice 	Various	Presenters to discuss practical aspects of SAR from their perspectives 15 mins each What they do/what they need
1230-1330		LUNCH		
1330-1415	40B	Capability panel	Various	Panel Q&A (capability speakers)
1415-1500	40C	Capability discussions	Chris Gray	What does this mean for me?
1500-1530		AFTERNOON TEA		
1530-1545	41	SAR Legal framework in Pacific	SPC	
1545-1615	42	Pacific Islands Countries and Territories progress	SPC	
1615-1630	43	Thursday wrap up	Facilitator	
1630-1700		Steering Committee		Steering Committee only
TBC		Closing function		Details TBC

Friday 03 March 2023				
0800		Tea and coffee available		
0830-0900		Steering Committee		Steering Committee only
0930-1030	44	Open forum – discussion on workshop outcome statement		All
1030-1130	45	Finalise SAR workshop outcome statement		All
1130-1200	46	Certificates of Participation		All
1200-1230	47	Closing remarks		All
1230-1330		LUNCH		
1330-1430		PACSAR Steering Committee meeting	PACSAR Steering Committee	Steering Committee only