International Workshop on Area-Based Management of Blue Water Fisheries

June 15-17, 2020
Via Zoom Video Conferencing
Plenaries Begin at 9:00am HST/7:00pm GMT

Workshop document outline attached
Roadmap to Effective Area-Based Management of Blue Water Fisheries
Participants provide comments on outline by May 1

Preparatory Papers With Leads

1. Introduction: Area-Based Management and Pelagic Fisheries (Mark Fitchett, mark.fitchett@wpcouncil.org)
2. Objectives and Performance Metrics for Area-Based Management (Ray Hilborn, hilbornr@gmail.com)
3. Area-Based Management Measure Designs for Blue Water Fisheries (Eric Gilman, ericlgilman@gmail.com)
4. Empirical and Theoretical Evidence of Ecological Objectives Met by Area-Based Management Measures for Pelagic Fisheries (Eric Gilman)
5. Research Needs for Spatial Management in Pelagic Fisheries (David Itano, daveitano@gmail.com)
6. Review of Methods to Evaluate and/or Monitor Area-Based Management Measures (Milani Chaloupka, m.chaloupka@uq.edu.au)
7. Social Impact Assessment (Craig Severance, severancecc@gmail.com)

Preparatory Paper leads should have draft available by May 1
Revisions due to leads of Preparatory Paper on May 15
Comments on Preparatory Papers open to all Workshop participants by June 1
Redistribute Preparatory Papers to all Participants by June 12

Plenary 1: June 15, 2020 9:00am HST/7:00pm GMT

Plenary Session 1 Paper Outline (120 Minutes),
45 Minutes: Paper Outline General Discussion
45 Minutes: Breakout groups to prepare outlines of major paper sections
30 Minutes: Summary of breakout groups and responsibilities prior to Second Plenary

Expected Outcome: Outline for Roadmap Documentation agreed upon by participants and initial outline of individual sections from breakout groups.
Expected Tasks before Second Plenary: Participants draft text to add to sections for which they wish to collaborate. Leads develop detailed outlines between Plenary Session 1 and Plenary Session 2

Inter-Sessional Regional Meeting 1 60 Minutes  
Discussion Theme: Identify missing components from the preparatory papers and identify sections of interest

Plenary 2: June 16, 2020 9:00am HST/7:00pm GMT

Plenary Session 2 (120 Minutes)
- 20 Minutes: Summarize work since First Plenary
- 70 Minutes: Breakout Sessions on Individual Paper Sections
  - Objectives and Performance Metrics
  - Management Measure Designs
  - Empirical Evidence
  - Research Needs
- 30 minutes for the Conclusions

Expected Outcome: Lead authors incorporate comments into detailed outline addressing all key points for which participants share agreement.
Expected Tasks before Final Plenary: Preparatory Paper leads prepare detailed section outlines

Inter-Sessional Regional Meeting 2 60 Minutes  
Discussion Theme: Participants provide potential text to leads for each section for potential incorporation

Plenary 3: June 17, 2020 9:00am HST/7:00pm GMT

Plenary Session 3 (120 Minutes)
Lead authors provide (20 minutes each) summary on each section; recap of edits, comments, and final assignments; identify collaborators for each section to produce full draft.
Expected Outcome: Identification of Timeline for Documents

Follow-up Timeline

Deadline 1: July 15, 2020, Complete Section Drafts
Deadline 2: August 1, 2020, Complete Draft Paper
Deadline 3: August 20, 2020, Comments from Participants
Deadline 4: September 15, 2020, Final Manuscript submitted to participants for approval
Deadline 5: September 30, 2020 Manuscript Submission