

WORK PACKAGES AND TASKS

WP (Leader)	Task	Leader
1- Situation analysis (USP)	1.1 Profile of Pacific institutions involved in scientific research	USP
	1.2 Identify research partners of Pacific organizations	USP
	1.3 Profile significant research activities in the Pacific	UPNG
	1.4 Identify EU development programmes including S&T in the Pacific	USP
	1.5 Identify relevant plans, agreements etc in the Pacific	USP
2- Linking S&T to Pacific development goals and needs (SPC)	2.1 Identify existing linkages made between S&T and development goals in the Pacific region	SPC
	2.2 Identify science focal areas for Inco-NET	USP
	2.3 Identify research capability and funding sources dedicated to science focal area	USP
	2.4 Present science focal areas for Pacific stakeholder endorsement	SPC
	2.5 Identify congruence between EU research themes and Inco-NET science foci	USP
3- Pacific EU dialogue and supporting platform (IB of BMBF)	3.1 Establish and organise the 1 st Pacific EU S&T dialogue platform in Noumea	IRD
	3.2 Establish and organise the 2 nd Pacific EU S&T dialogue platform in Brussels	IB-BMBF
	3.3 Establish and organise the 3 rd Pacific EU S&T dialogue platforms in Suva	USP
	3.4 Inco-NET Pacific platform roadmap: establish, maintain and operate Pacific EU intra-regional dialogue mechanisms	IRD
	3.5 Planning and organising conferences and meetings	IB-BMBF
	3.6 Networking with other Inco-NETS	IB-BMBF
4- EU / Pacific S&T cooperation platforms: capacity building and partnership (IRD)	4.1 Focal science area meetings to identify and develop cooperation potential for SICA activities in FP7	IRD
	4.2 Research exchange and capture leading scientists	ANU
	4.3 Science and Society: challenges related to S&T knowledge dissemination and public-private relations	MCST
	4.4 Identifying barriers to participation to FP7 calls (mobility and collaborative research projects)	APRE
	4.5 Build capacity to develop and subsequently submit, competitive FP7 proposals	CGC
5- Dissemination, Knowledge management and Outreach (APRE)	5.1 Setting up PACE-Net Community Knowledge Management Platform	IRD
	5.2 Outreach to the 'Second Circle' key stakeholders: identifying observers, active partnering and networking	IRD
	5.3 Dissemination and outreach	APRE
6- Management (IRD)	6.1 Organisation of the kick off meeting	IRD
	6.2 Administrative and financial management	IRD



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ABOUT PACE-NET...

PACE-Net aims to coordinate bi-regional dialogue in Science and Technology (S&T) between Pacific countries and the European Union (EU), as well as to strengthen S&T cooperation between these regions. Based on the objectives and activities of International Cooperation (Inco-NET) under the Capacities Programme (FP7), the PACE-Net project will focus on the scientific context of the Pacific region.

The project will list existing activities of cooperation and will identify priorities for Pacific-related research that are of common interest for the EU. This state-of-the-art will allow us to find synergies between bilateral and multilateral European and Pacific programmes, to design the necessary tools to facilitate co-operation and to develop a European strategy of an collaboration policy in S&T with the Pacific, in particular through FP7 and other EU programmes.

AGENDA

Day 1: Monday, 4 th of July			
9h-17h	Consortium only	<u>Consortium Day:</u> 1 st PACE-Net Platform and Thematic workshops preparation Partner and WP updates; planned future work Project responsibilities: deliverables and cost reports Mid-project debrief and discussion	All partners
18h30		Consortium Dinner	
Day 2: Tuesday, 5 th of July			
8h30-9h	all	Participants registration and coffee	
9h- 10h	all	Welcome <u>Opening introduction:</u> Presentation of the PACE-Net project Purpose and organisation of the platform and thematic workshops <u>Results of WP1-2:</u> Presentation of the survey (objectives, deliverables) Priorities of the region Strengths of research in the Pacific region Results (rate and themes)	Beth Woods (Queensland Government) Claude Payri (IRD) Angeela Jokhan, Izzal Azid (USP) Olivier Auguin (SPC)
10h-10h30		Morning tea	
10h30-11h30	all	<u>Priorities of the EC in the Pacific:</u> Presentation of the EC's FP7 draft Work Programme 2012 of the capacities programme (activities of international cooperation) and actions under the Cooperation programme Presentation of preparation of new communications for a renewed EU-Pacific development partnership	Armand Beuf (EC - Project officer) Alfonso Pascual Perez (EC - EU External Action Service)
11h30-12h	all	<u>Mobility and research program opportunities:</u> Marie-Curie Program and other opportunities (visiting fellowships, co-tutelle etc.) Successful mobility example Cooperation Australia/EU	Rado Faletic (FEAST) Graeme Rankin (Australian Government)
12h-12h30	all	Q&A discussion session with EC panel	EAB chair
12h30-14h	all	Lunch	
14h-15h15	all	<u>Funding instruments:</u> research and development funding including EU FP7 programme <u>Support structures:</u> FEAST, FRENZ, OCTs policy and ACP policy <u>Pacific and European networks:</u> KS profiles and networks, INCO-Net (Eucarinet, SEA-Net) /Eranet/ Pacific networks	Rado Faletic (FEAST) Jean-Francois Desvignes-Hicks (ANU) Other networks (GOPS etc.) Catarina Buonocore (APRE) Hans Staehle (DLR)
15h15-15h45	all	Afternoon tea	
15h45-17h00	all	Guided discussions on facilitating EU-Pacific networking, dialogue and collaboration • <i>Evaluating tools for fostering bi-regional cooperation</i> • <i>Capacity building/multipliers/contacts points</i> • <i>Overcoming barriers to mobility and to accessing FP7</i> • <i>Ethical frameworks for research and collaboration</i> • <i>Bridging S&T and development funding instruments</i> • <i>International cooperation projects: potential synergies and challenges</i> • <i>Science and technology for development: opportunities and barriers in the Pacific (Benefit sharing, commercialization, capacity building)</i>	PACE-Net facilitators on a number of themed tables
18h30-22h		Pre-dinner drinks and Formal Dinner	Speaker: Ross Hynes (UPNG)

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Wednesday, 6 th of July			
9h-10h	all	<u>Introduction</u> <u>Thematic workshops: Introduction to the connected themes</u> 1) Health (emerging diseases, infectious diseases, “social” diseases, environmental health...) Example of call for Africa 2) Environment (climate change, biodiversity and natural resource management) Collaborative water management and climate change adaptation project examples in the Pacific Presentation of methodology including expected outcomes Introduction of experts	Claude Payri (IRD) Armand Beuf (European Commission) Ian White (EAB) Katherine Daniell (ANU)
10h-10h30	all	Morning tea	
10h30-12h30	experts	<u>Thematic workshops: Issues and priorities exploration</u> Break-out groups on the thematic areas	A facilitator will be provided for each group and a rapporteur is to be chosen by the participants
14h-17h	experts	<u>Thematic workshops: potential project development</u> Break-out groups the thematic areas	A facilitator will be provided for each group and a rapporteur is to be chosen by the participants
12h30-14h	all	Lunch	
10h30-12h30	all except experts	<u>Outcomes of the themed tables</u>	PACE-Net facilitators
14h-17h	all except experts	Projects in the Pacific region, key lessons and Pacific Strategic priorities Improving research practice and outcomes	UPNG, USP, SPC... Rado Faletic (FEAST)
	all	Casual dinner	
Thursday, 7 th of July			
9h-10h	all	<u>Results of the Thematic workshops:</u> presentation of key issues, discussions and priority/strategic projects	Rapporteurs
10h-10h30	all	Morning tea	
10h30-11h15	all	<u>Open Forum and break out discussions:</u> Room for discussion with Funding agencies, EC, networks, partners, NCP/multipliers, ...) dedicated to individual needs	Representatives
11h15-12h00	all	Outcomes of the Platform Perspectives for next platforms/thematic WS Conclusion of this event	KS: Fanny Pascual (UNC) Hans Staehle & Gerd Rücker (DLR) Claude Payri (IRD) Thierry Mennesson & Ian White (EABs)
12h00-13h	all	Lunch – Debriefing (for the Consortium and EABs)	
13.30h-16h	all	Visit to research organisations	