

2. Progress on actions and activities since EC-CDP-12

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1. Coordination meetings of Chair & Secretariat

- Regular coordination meetings are held between the Panel Chairs and the Secretariat, complemented by ongoing coordination by email as needed.
- Since EC-CDP-12, coordination meetings with the Division of Capacity Development were held on 23 March, 22 April, 7 August and 22 September 2026.

2. Activities of the Expert Teams

- The Panel's Expert Teams continued implementing their activity plans and coordinating their respective activities.
- Following the start of Ms Karen McCourt's sabbatical leave in May 2026, Ms Jennifer Milton kindly agreed to serve as Co-Chair of ET-GO alongside Dr Albert Martis.
- Further details on the activities and progress of ET-EPC and ET-GO will be presented later in the meeting by their respective Co-Chairs, under Agenda Items 5.1 and 5.2.

3. Requests received by the Panel

Since EC-CDP-12 (February 2026), the Panel has received the following requests for review and input:

- Initial feedback and subsequent final reviews of three new competency frameworks, one new enabling skills framework, and five updated competency frameworks.
- Initial feedback and subsequent final review of the updated Basic Instructional Package for Hydrologists (BIP-H) and Basic Instructional Package for Hydrological Technicians (BIP-HT).
- Review of selected sections of the draft updated SWFP Guidebook, at the request of the WMO Severe Weather Forecasting Programme (SWFP) Secretariat.
- Input to the draft WMO Strategic Plan 2028–2031, at the request of the Technical Coordination Committee (TCC) in March 2026.
- Review of the Consolidated Competency Framework for Tropical Cyclone Forecasters, already endorsed by SERCOM, for consistency with the Guide to Competency (WMO-No. 1205).

4. Participation in the AG-SEB and JAG-AI

AG-SEB

- The Advisory Group on Socioeconomic Benefits (AG-SEB) reports to the SERCOM Management Group.
- The Acting Chair of EC-CDP participates in AG-SEB as the Panel's focal point.
- An update on the activities of AG-SEB will be provided under Agenda Item 4.4.

JAG-AI

- The Joint Advisory Group on Artificial Intelligence (JAG-AI) provides a joint coordination mechanism involving SERCOM, INFCOM, the Research Board and other relevant WMO bodies.
- The Acting Chair of EC-CDP participates in JAG-AI as an observer.
- The following slides highlight key areas currently receiving attention within JAG-AI, including those related to capacity development.

JAG-AI: current issues and actions under review and guidance

1 Private-sector engagement

The Task Team on Legal Agreements is developing guidance for NMHS procedures and key considerations when working with private providers.

2 Global AI governance

WMO contributes to consultations under the United Nations General Assembly Global Dialogue on AI Governance, including the online event on 28 May 2026.

3 Verification and benchmarking

JAG-AI is exploring how WIPPS pilots and scientific workshops can support a coordinated approach to AI model verification and benchmarking.

Ongoing pilot projects include AINPP, WP-MIP, ECMWF's AI Weather Quest and the UNESCAP/WMO Typhoon Committee project.

4 Capacity development

JAG-AI is updated on and guides the Secretariat's Action Plan and practical delivery of AI training support for Members.

JAG-AI: capacity development Action Plan and delivery

SECRETARIAT ACTION PLAN AND IMPLEMENTATION THROUGH END-2026

Action Plan

PURPOSE

A Secretariat roadmap for coherent WMO training support on AI, tailored to different NMHS needs.

MAIN COMPONENTS

Guiding principles

Operational relevance, progressive readiness, existing resources, verification and trust, governance alignment, and sustainability

Four-stage training journey

Understanding AI, using AI, verifying AI, and tailoring AI to operational needs

Six implementation pillars

Competency framework, learning portal, pilot-linked training, verification and ethics, governance coordination, and AI-enabled delivery and access

Delivery through end-2026

DELIVERED

Weather-AI Bootcamp

Two-week course on AI basics and nowcasting with KMA and WIPPS engagement.

UNDERWAY

African Summer School

AI modelling training planned with ACMAD and the WIPPS Office.

PREPARING

SYMmet-15 AI sessions

Workforce skills, changing training needs and AI-enabled delivery.

BUILDING

Moodle resource space

Curated learning resources, starting with reviewed Bootcamp materials.

Direction: use delivery to test the Action Plan, capture lessons and recalibrate the pathway.

5. Updates on open actions

Resolutions of EC-78	Update
Resolution 11 Business Continuity Management Guidelines <u>Requests</u> the technical commissions, in coordination with the Executive Council Capacity Development Panel, to support Members' implementation of Business Continuity Management through the development of practical training materials that cover their critical service areas and the full value chain of warning services in their countries, including private entities such as ICT companies and mass media in order to maintain the Disaster Risk Reduction function at national level in the face of significant events ; <u>Requests</u> Regional Associations to include Business Continuity Management training, including through Regional Centres, encouraging cooperation among them , in their workplans, and explore possibilities for peer-to-peer assistance between Members ; <u>Requests</u> the Secretary-General to provide the necessary human, financial and technical resources within the approved budgetary provisions: (a) To develop the requested training materials; (b) To publish the guidelines and subsequently developed training materials available in all WMO official languages; (c) To support Regional Associations in need to organise trainings in Business Continuity Management;	In progress • 2026 - Training materials are in preparation. The development is coordinated by Secretariat (under a collaboration between Severe Weather Services Section and Division of Capacity Development) with support of subject matter experts and an instructional designer.

5. Updates on open actions

Decisions and Resolutions of EC-77	Update
<u>Decision 2</u> Actions of the Executive Council on decisions adopted by the nineteenth World Meteorological Congress <u>Action referred to the Capacity Development Panel:</u> To keep the WMO Capacity Development Framework and related implementation actions under review in view of the rapidly changing capacity development landscape, and propose updates and adjustments as necessary (RES 36, Cg-19).	In progress • 2025 - Presentation of 2 new case studies in EC-CDP-10, for feedback and inclusion in the online collection. • Progress reported in EC-79 on the Report by the Chair of CDP. • Relates to open Action 7 EC-CDP-10 established.

Actions from EC-CDP-12	Update
Action 1: ET-EPC to prepare a template for documenting lessons learned from the development and implementation of national competency frameworks. The template is intended to be used in ET-EPC activities to share case studies and increase visibility among Members. Actionee(s): ET-EPC	Requires attention from ET-EPC
Actions from EC-CDP-11	Update
Action 4: EC-CDP to contribute to the planning of the WMO Survey on the Status of Human Resources in NMHSs. Actionee(s): EC-CDP Chairs and members, and Secretariat	In progress • Secretariat met for coordination on the best approach to the 2026 campaign to collect the data required while also avoiding consulting Members in the case appropriate information was already recently collected.
Actions from EC-CDP-10	Update
Action 7: Establish a task team to strengthen the promotion and visibility of the WCDF and its associated case studies, including through outreach activities, webinars, and the use of public platforms. Actionee(s): EC-CDP and Secretariat	In progress • Discussions were held with Dr Carla Gulizia regarding the possible establishment of a task team composed of ad hoc members. The Secretariat will support the organization of the 2026 webinars.

Thank You



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