

Updates since the last meeting of the Capacity Development Panel

8th Meeting of Capacity Development Panel

(EC-CDP-8)

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Composition of the Capacity Development Panel

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First Vice-President of WMO

Vice-Chair

(To be elected)

Mr John OGREN, US

Dr Winifred JORDAAN, South Africa

Dr Somenath DUTTA, India

Dr YU Yubin, China

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Prof Peter ODJUGO, Nigeria

Prof Roger STONE, Australia

Prof Christophe CUDENNEC, France

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Ms Jennifer MILTON, Canada

Dr Toky Nandrasana RAMANAKOTO, Madagascar

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Pending confirmation of availability:

Dr David FARRELL, British Caribbean Territories

Dr Albert A. E. MATHIS, Curaçao and Sint Maarten

Mr Volkan COŞKUN, Türkiye

Mr Omar CHAFKI, Morocco

Actions from CDP-7	Update
<p>Action 1: Excerpt of outcomes of the 7th Meeting of the Capacity Development Panel to be added to the INF report associated with relevant CDP document prepared for WMO Congress (Cg-19).</p>	<p>Complete. Information included in Cg-19/INF. 4.4(3).</p>
<p>Action 2: IOC Capacity Development Strategy to be shared with CDP members.</p>	<p>Complete. Document available at the CDP-7 meeting page (under Agenda item 3.6).</p>
<p>Action 3: Secretariat to prepare and maintain a list of “requests for advice” directed to CDP, including status of follow-up actions.</p>	<p>Complete. An “Action Tracker” was prepared.</p>
<p>Action 4: Add the case studies to the new Capacity Development Programme website</p>	<p>In Progress The case studies were added to the Capacity Development Panel website</p>
<p>Action 5: Small group to work on an information document containing suggestions for the Panel moving forward and proposal of amendments to the Terms of Reference.</p>	<p>Complete. Information contained in the Report of the Chair to EC-76 was considered sufficient as recommendations of the Panel moving forward. An initial review of the TORs was conducted and contains proposals for amendments.</p>

Resolutions of Cg-19

Update

[Resolution 4](#) United Nations Early Warnings for All initiative

Requests:

(2) The technical commissions, the Research Board, the **Capacity Development Panel**, and the Hydrological Coordination Panel, under the guidance of the Executive Council, to:

(a) Identify high priority activities to address the urgent needs of Members in building effective multi-hazard early warning systems falling within their terms of reference and to incorporate them into their respective work plans for the next financial period;

(b) Identify, catalogue, and integrate priority emerging hazards, such as those due to changes in the cryosphere, in support of the development of necessary monitoring and early warning systems for affected Members;

(c) Implement the priority activities in a collaborative, coordinated, and synergetic manner;

(d) To regularly report progress to the EC for its guidance.

- In the Agenda for discussions in EC-CDP-9

Resolutions of Cg-19

Update

[Resolution 35](#) Scientific Advisory Panel Recommendations with Research Board Appraisal

Decides:

(2) SAP Recommendation #2 on bridging the gap between global science capabilities and local impact to be further developed by the **Capacity Development Panel** in partnership with the RB, SERCOM, INFCOM, Regional Associations and other relevant bodies through: a rapid assessment of where existing plans can be leveraged and amplified through alignment with EW4All; a continuation of the Capacity Development Panel's (CDP) nuanced and pragmatic assessment of developing local capacity; and a concept note to convene programmes that focus attention to encourage regional innovations, the uptake and upscale of existing successful regional innovations, and additional implementation strategies;

(7) SAP Recommendation #7 on broadening expertise through education and training to be developed with the leadership of the Education and Training Office to develop partnerships for integrative educational best practices with support from the **Capacity Development Panel**.

- In the Agenda for discussions in EC-CDP-9

Resolutions of Cg-19	Update
<p>Resolution 36 WMO Capacity Development Strategy (WCDS)</p> <p>Requests the Capacity Development Panel to report to EC on the uptake and use of the WCDF.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the Agenda for discussions in EC-CDP-9
<p>Resolution 39 WMO Gender action plan for the nineteenth financial period</p> <p>Requests technical commissions, the Research Board and other relevant WMO bodies to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Continue implementing the Action Plan within their areas of responsibility; (2) Keep the strong efforts on building and nurturing networks of women scientists and technical experts as well as invest in their capacity; (3) To share the results of these efforts with members through presentations or case studies; (4) Ensure regional and gender balance and inclusiveness in all structures and work plans as provided in their terms of reference; (5) Report to the Executive Council and to Congress on progress; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the Agenda for discussions in EC-CDP-9. • To be discussed as part of ToRs for ETs of CDP.

Decisions and Resolutions of EC-77

Update

[Decision 2](#) Actions of the Executive Council on decisions adopted by the nineteenth World Meteorological Congress

Action referred to the **Capacity Development Panel**:

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).

- Relates to Resolution 36 (Cg-19). In the Agenda for discussions in EC-CDP-9

[Resolution 1](#) WMO Contribution to the Early Warnings for All initiative

Requests the **subsidiary bodies of the Executive Council (EC)** to also include EW4All as a standing agenda item in each session throughout the next financial period and to report back to EC.

- Relates to Resolution 4 (Cg-19). In the Agenda for discussions in EC-CDP-9

[Resolution 7](#) Subsidiary bodies of the Executive Council

Requests:

(1) The Chairs of the Technical Coordination Committee and **Capacity Development Panel** to consult their respective members as to the necessity to amend the terms of references of these bodies and submit recommendations, as needed, to the next session of the Council;

- In the Agenda for discussions in EC-CDP-8

Thank you.



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