







DAY 1: Tuesday September 25, 2018

Meet the MPAs; and reef fish assemblages

**Location: Eugenius Johnson Centre** 

Time	Activity	Facilitator/Participants
8:30am	Welcome and opening of workshop	SCF, Dana Wusinich Mendez, NOAA, Emma Doyle, MPAConnect
9:30am	MPAs as a tool for sustainable fisheries	Jason Philibotte, NOAA
10:30am	COFFEE BREAK	
11:00am	Introduction to fisheries management at participating MPAs	MPA managers
12:30pm	LUNCH BREAK – Chez Bubba Bistro	
2:00pm	Reef fish assemblages and MPAs – the importance of reef fish to Caribbean coral reefs, management approaches and assessment methods	Alejandro Acosta, FWC
3:30- 5:00pm	MPA manager working group session – reef fish assemblages	Working groups
	OPTIONAL DINNER – Swinging Doors	























































DAY 2: Wednesday September 26, 2018

Herbivores and fish spawning aggregations

**Location: Eugenius Johnson Centre** 

Time	Activity	Facilitator/Participants
8:30am	Herbivorous reef fish and MPAs - the importance of herbivores to Caribbean coral reefs, management approaches, assessment methods	Alejandro Acosta, FWC
9:30am	COFFEE BREAK	
10:00am	Fish spawning aggregations - the importance of fish spawning aggregations to Caribbean coral reefs, management approaches, assessment methods	Alejandro Acosta, FWC
11:00pm	MPA manager working group session – herbivores/FSAs	Working groups
12:00pm	LUNCH BREAK – Saba Snack	
1:00pm	Optional field visit or dive in Saba National Marine Park	SCF and SeaSaba









OPTIONAL DINNER – Long Haul















































DAY 3: Thursday September 27, 2018

**Lobster and conch** 

**Location: Eugenius Johnson Centre** 

Time	Activity	Facilitator/Participants
8:30am	<b>Lobster fishery and MPAs</b> - the importance of lobster to Caribbean coral reefs, management approaches, assessment methods	Eloy Sosa, ECOSUR
	COFFEE BREAK – during session	
11:30am	Conch fishery and MPAs - the importance of conch to Caribbean coral reefs	Ron Hill, NOAA NMFS
12:30pm	LUNCH BREAK – Tropics Café @Juliana's Hotel	
2:00pm	Conch fishery and MPAs - management approaches, assessment methods	Ron Hill, NOAA NMFS
4:00- 5:00pm	MPA manager working group session – lobster/conch Identification of potential assessment and management approaches for each MPA, expert consultation time	Working groups
After 5:00pm	Informal gathering for visitors with Saban fishers – Tropics	Open to all
	OPTIONAL DINNER – The Hideaway	























































DAY 4: Friday September 27, 2018

**Location: Queen's Garden Hotel** 

#### **Planning next steps**

Time	Activity	Participants
8:30am	Transport from Juliana's to Queens Gardens	
9:00am	MPA manager individual planning session – data	Follow-up panel with MPA managers
	Defining monitoring and assessment needs at MPA level	
10:00am	COFFEE BREAK	
10:30am	MPA manager individual planning session – next steps	Follow-up panel with MPA managers
	Defining desired next steps, programmatic needs and follow-up support at MPA level	
12:30pm	LUNCH BREAK – @Queens Gardens	
2:00pm	MPA manager presentations	All participants



4:30pm



**OPTIONAL DINNER - TBD** 



Certificates and closing, participant evaluation





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All participants

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