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CTI-CFF WOMEN LEADERS FORUM

SESSION 12.1: WOMEN LEADERS' FORUM (WLF)

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Outline

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Progress since SOM-14

SOM-14 DECISIONS	PROGRESS
<p>Continue with the CTI-CFF Gender Policy development with support from partners and collaborators, and ensure the CTI-CFF Gender Policy is integrated in the development of the Regional Plan of Action 2.0 (RPOA 2.0), by July 2019;</p>	<p>WLF Roadmap was developed at the Workshop on Aligning Cross-Cutting Initiatives to the CTI-CFF Regional Plan of Action 2.0 in between 23-27 Sept. 2019 in Bali for short, medium to long term basis. (Annex 37)</p>
<p>Agree for the WLF to call for CT6 nominations for WLF Ambassador and Vice-Chair roles and make appointments of both roles by end of February 2019.</p>	<p>In July 2019, WLF welcomes Ms. Laura Whitford from The Nature Conservancy (TNC) as its Co-Chair.</p>
<p>Accept the financial support from the Regional Secretariat for capacity building programs, subject to budget approval.</p>	<p>IRC meeting post SOM-14 did not allocate funds for WLF activities</p>



Source: Coral Triangle Centre

2019 WLF Regional Activities

- a. Monthly calls / updates by members (March to Dec.)
- b. USAID RDMA, US DOI, CTC:
 - i. Intergenerational and Leadership Learning activities at CT6 countries;
 - ii. Workshop in Cross-Cutting Initiatives; and Workshop in WLF Competency Model; 23 – 27 September 2019

2019 WLF ACTIVITIES

TIMEFRAME	ACTIVITIES	PARTNERS
March - Dec	Monthly Calls	USAID Oceans and Fisheries Partnership
Jan - Sept	Inter-generational Leadership Learning Program (2018-2019) & CT6 country level	USAID – DOI – CTC
30 April – 2 May	WLF representation / intervention at RPW-3, Manado	USAID Oceans and Fisheries Partnership
28 June	1 st WLF Dinner, Dili, Timor-Leste (in conjunction with EAFM TWG Mtg)	USAID Oceans and Fisheries Partnership
July – September	In-country leadership trainings in Philippines, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands and Indonesia	USAID – DOI – CTC; TNC (for PNG)
July	Planning Meeting to develop concept notes for CCI Meeting and WLF Leadership Competency Training	USAID – DOI – CTC
July	WLF was presented at the International Conference on Conservation Biology in Kuala Lumpur	Coral Triangle Centre (CTC)
August	WLF was presented at the NOAA Learning Networks Conference in Washington DC	Coral Triangle Centre (CTC)
Sept	Submission of the Brief Note: Stocktake on Gender related policies and legal framework in the Coral Triangle; and a baseline matrix to help with the development of a CTI Gender Policy process.	The Nature Conservancy
24 – 26 Sept	Workshop on Aligning Cross-Cutting Initiatives to the CTI-CFF Regional Plan of Action 2.0 & The CTI-CFF Women Leaders' Forum Developing a Competency Model to Elevate Women Leadership in Marine and Coastal Management	USAID – DOI – CTC & USAID Oceans and Fisheries Partnership
19 – 21 Nov	Gender Training Workshop on Gender Concepts, Analysis and Tools in Sustainable Coastal and Marine Resources Management, UMT, Terengganu	USAID Oceans and Fisheries Partnership

Solomon Islands



Papua New guinea

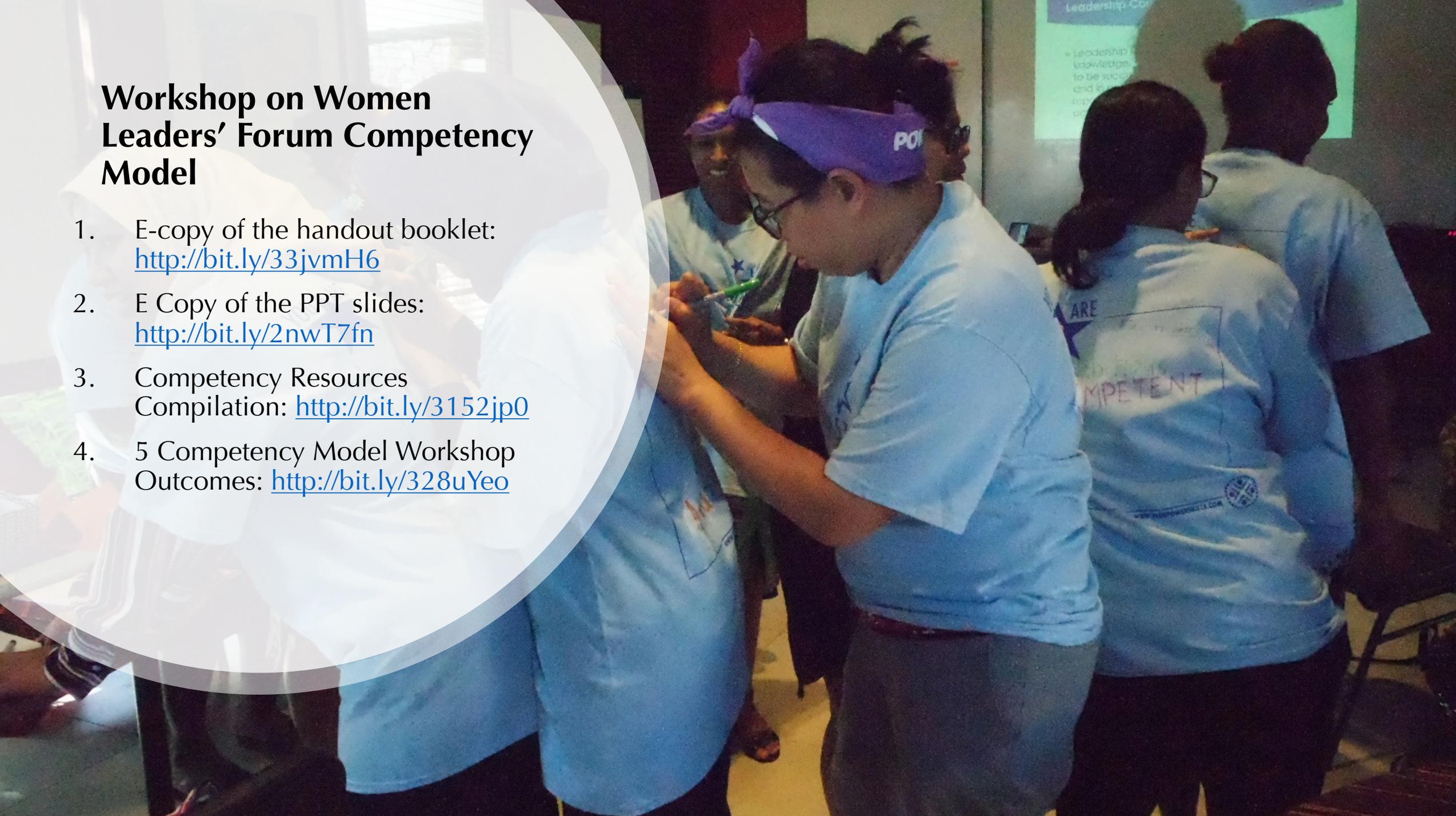
Philippines



Indonesia

Workshop on Women Leaders' Forum Competency Model

1. E-copy of the handout booklet: <http://bit.ly/33jvmH6>
2. E Copy of the PPT slides: <http://bit.ly/2nwT7fn>
3. Competency Resources Compilation: <http://bit.ly/3152jp0>
4. 5 Competency Model Workshop Outcomes: <http://bit.ly/328uYeo>



WLF representations by CTC

- WLF was presented at the International Conference on Conservation Biology in Kuala Lumpur in July 2019
- NOAA Learning Networks Conference in Washington DC also in August 2019



WLF Partners' summary activities in relation to WLF: The Nature Conservancy (TNC)



Assisted the WLF in the development of a **Brief Note: Stocktake on Gender related policies and legal framework in the Coral Triangle**; and a baseline matrix to help with the development of the CTI GESI Policy

- Submitted on 3 September 2019
- Refer to **Annex 38**



WLF Partners' summary activities in relation to WLF: USAID Oceans and Fisheries Partnership

1. Supported the monthly calls and WLF coordination activities (March to October 2019)
2. Supported CTI WLF Coordinator position
3. Representation at RPW-3 meeting in Manado, INDONESIA (30 April – 2nd May 2019)
4. Supported the 1st WLF Dinner in Dili, TIMOR-LESTE (23-28 June 2019)
5. Representation at Workshop on Aligning Cross-Cutting Initiatives to the CTI-CFF Regional Plan of Action 2.0; Bali, INDONESIA (24 – 26 September 2019)
6. Organize the Gender Training Workshop on Gender Concepts, Analysis and Tools in Sustainable Coastal and Marine Resources Management, Terengganu, MALAYSIA (19-21 November 2019)



Women Leaders' Forum re-branded

VISION:

Empowered women leaders driving positive change in protecting and managing marine and coastal ecosystems in the Coral Triangle Region

MISSION:

Be an inclusive platform that supports capacity and leadership development and recognizes the critical role, contribution and achievements of women in protecting and managing the marine/coastal ecosystems and resources in the CT Region.



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GOAL 1

(right now- short term)

Develop GESI Policy as a critical tool for ensuring CTI-CFF as an inclusive regional platform for achieving its marine conservation and resource management goals.

GOAL 2

(right now- short term)

Strengthen and expand strategic partnerships to support initiatives that are championed by women, including community, private-sector and youth leaders, in managing and protecting marine and coastal ecosystems in the CT region.

GOAL 3

To build the capacity of RS, CT6 and the WLF network members to understand GESI principles, tools and strategies and to implement effective marine conservation and resource management programs across the CT region.

GOAL 4

(right now- short term)

Develop and/or strengthen communication and key messages for increased awareness, understanding and promotion of WLF initiatives in various media and platforms

GOAL 5

To demonstrate and advance WLF vision and goals, through transformative, innovative and inclusive conservation and resource management actions on the ground (at all levels)

GOAL 6

Upscale and Expand the WLF Network across the CT Region and beyond

Proposed WLF 2020 Activities & Budget

Based on output from workshops in Cross-Cutting Initiatives; and WLF Competency Model



PROPOSED 2020 ACTIVITIES

GOALS	OBJECTIVE	PARTNERSHIPS, STAKEHOLDERS	RESOURCES
<p>GOAL 1: Develop Gender Equality and Social Inclusion (GESI) Policy as a critical tool for ensuring CTI-CFF as an inclusive regional platform for achieving its marine conservation and resource management goals.</p>	<p>1a. By Jan 2021, a GESI Policy for CTI-CFF is developed for implementation</p>	<p>RS (Program Services) WLF</p>	<p>RS Allocation for approval at SOM15</p>
	<p>1b. By mid 2020, GESI principles are incorporated into the CTI-CFF M&E framework and into the CT Atlas</p>	<p>Development Partners NCCs TWGs IRC</p>	<p>TA – 50,000 USD</p> <p>Meetings – 50,000 USD</p>
<p>GOAL 2: Strengthen and expand strategic partnerships to support initiatives that are championed by women, including community, private-sector and youth leaders, in managing and protecting marine and coastal ecosystems in the CT region.</p>	<p>2a. By 2025, at least three new partnerships are forged to support capacity building, learning exchanges, on-ground marine conservation and resource management programs.</p>	<p>WLF RS NCCs Development partners TWGs CCIs</p>	<p>Access to information on funding opportunities and activities</p> <p>Communication products</p>

PROPOSED 2020 ACTIVITIES

GOAL	OBJECTIVE	PARTNERSHIP S, STAKEHOLDE RS	RESOURCES
<p>GOAL 4: Develop and/or strengthen communication and key messages for increased awareness, understanding and promotion of WLF initiatives in various media and platforms.</p>	<p>4a. By end of 2020, GESI principles are integrated into the CTI-CFF Communication Strategic Plan and operationalized</p>	<p>WLF, RS, DVPs</p>	<p>10,000 USD (external funds)</p>
	<p>4b. By 2021, WLF network and RS are equipped with tools and strategies to enable effectively conduct and delivery the awareness and promotional programs guided by the CTI-CFF Communication Strategic Plan</p>		<p>Training – 25,000 USD (external funds) TA – 2,500 USD (external funds)</p>
	<p>4c. By end of 2020, develop and/or tailor communication tools and knowledge products to further promote WLF networks vision, goals and initiatives.</p>		<p>25,000 USD (external funds)</p>

WLF National Champions



WLF National Focal Points



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WLF National Focal Points



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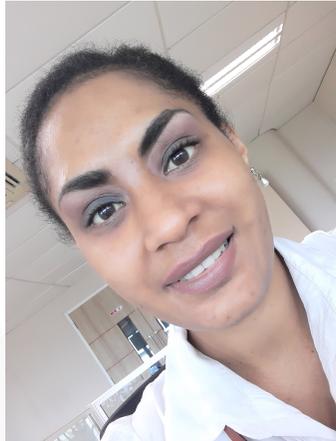
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WLF National Focal Points



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WLF National Focal Points



PHILIPPINES



SOM-15 Decisions

1. Acknowledged and appreciated the contribution and support by USAID RDMA; US DOI; Coral Triangle Centre (CTC) for the launch and development of the WLF in the last five (5) years and the development of the WLF Leadership Training and Competency Framework;
2. Acknowledged the contribution by The Nature Conservancy towards the completion of the Stock-take Assessment for CT6 Gender Policy towards the development process towards a CTI-CFF Gender Equality and Social Inclusion (GESI) Policy;
3. Welcomed and appreciated contribution of Ms. Laura Whitford from The Nature Conservancy (TNC) as WLF Co-chair;



SOM-15 Decisions

4. Tasked the Regional Secretariat to support WLF in the distribution and pilot of the WLF Competency Model as training activity early in 2020 for all CT6 Member Countries;
5. Encouraged NCCs to complete all nominations for WLF country Focal Points/Champion by February 2020;
6. Agreed and accepted that WLF will be a crucial component in RPOA 2.0, and shall be included in CTI CFF TWG activities;
7. Endorsed the WLF's roadmap developed at the Cross Cutting Initiative workshop in September 2019 to support RPOA2.0; and
8. Tasked the Regional Secretariat to work with the WLF to ensure the completion of the GESI Policy through provision of funds and other resources.





Thank you | Terima kasih | Maraming salamat
Tagio tumas | Tank iu | Obrigado

