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One Planet, One Ocean

A SUSTAINABLY HARVESTED AND PRODUCTIVE OCEAN

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WTA WGV Participants Countries



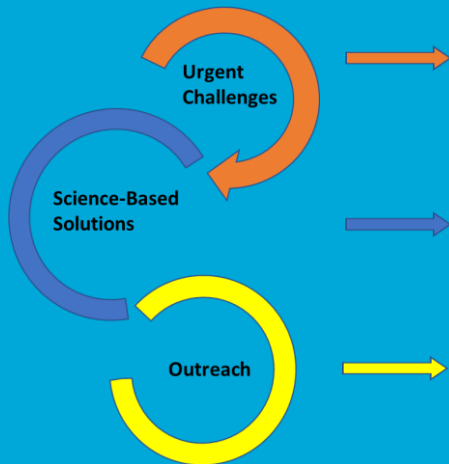
Working Group Gaps/Challenges

- Policies and strategies for food security of fisheries
- Integration of policy across government and non-government sectors
- Decision-making processes
- Stakeholder participation in the delivery of science
- Fisheries and the Blue Economy
- Investment in research and development
- Capacity for adaptation to climate change
- Partnerships

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An Approach for all

"the science we need for the ocean we want"



Challenges facing the oceans: climate change, ocean acidification, fishing, habitat loss, LBS pollution, marine debris, shipping practices, offshore fossil fuels and hydrocarbon industries etc.

Today: The UN Decade provides the opportunity to put the system back on track. It is time to make the serious changes to address and even reverse these challenges.

Overarching vision: We should be: participatory, inclusive, transparent, and adaptive, We should consider: gender, traditional knowledge, cultural, SIDs, sustainability, education, free trade, governance, spatial planning, connectivity.

We should engage: National and regional organizations, governments, industry, NGO's, businesses, academics, resource users, young professionals, students, fishers, indigenous people etc



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