



## Reporting template for the #ForCoral Pavilion

**Two-page Maximum**

**Deadline: No later than 2 weeks after your event**

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Event Title: SCALING 30X30 MARINE PLANNING THROUGH SUBREGIONAL COOPERATION

Date and Time of event: 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2024 – 9:00 local time

Lead organization(s):

- Govt. of the Dominican Republic
- Govt. of Cuba
- Govt. of Jamaica
- Caribbean Biodiversity Corridor (CBC)
- Eastern Tropical Pacific Marine Corridor (CMAR)

Co-organisation(s):

- Wildlife Conservation Society
- IUCN-WCPA
- Global Network of MPA Networks/The Ocean Foundation
- The Cartagena Convention/UNEP

# of participants:

- In person: 50
- Online: N/A

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Topics (please select as many as applicable):

- Finance
- **Conservation**
- Restoration
- Youth
- Monitoring and Evaluation
- **30x30**
- Other (please specify)
  - **Marine Planning & Regional Cooperation**

Background on the event (one paragraph):

The side event facilitated learning and technical exchange among governments, multilateral and intergovernmental organizations, networks of MPA managers, NGOs and donors regarding innovative approaches that accelerate delivery of Target 3 of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework in two biodiverse regions: the Greater Antilles of the Caribbean and the Eastern Tropical Pacific. Through regional platforms like CBC and CMAR, national governments are fostering greater South-South cooperation in biodiversity conservation in the implementation of Target 3 and leveraging regional planning to meet the ambitious 30x30 goals established by the Global Biodiversity Framework.

Key issues discussed (5-8 bullet points):

- The importance of 30x30 regional planning to accelerate achievement of Global Biodiversity Framework (GBF) goals and the expected positive outcomes for people and nature.
- Shared practical tools and approaches for 30x30 regional planning and lessons learned to deliver conservation impact on a regional scale.
- Highlighted how regional 30x30 approaches can increase resource mobilization for NBSAP implementation.
- Explored methods to enhance intergovernmental platforms' governance, management, monitoring, funding, and reporting processes (e.g., reporting to CBD).
- Showcased the opportunity provided by the Global Network of MPA Managers to the regional organizations, such as CMAR and CBC, to elevate their models globally and share their experiences with other regions.

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If available, key recommendations for action (5-6 bullet points):

- Leverage regional collaboration & regional planning to accelerate 30x30 goals.
- Leverage regional collaboration & regional planning to mobilize resources to implement NBSAPs.

Take home message(s) (5-6 bullet points):

- The urgent and ambitious nature of the 30x30 requires collaborative, regional approaches to area-based conservation.
- While physical borders and boundaries separate countries from one another, the ocean binds them together. These marine ecosystems face common threats that can only be addressed through regional marine planning and cooperation.

How will the outcomes of the event contribute to the vision and mission of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework:

By showcasing how regional collaboration accelerates the achievement of the goals set out by the Global Biodiversity Framework, this event sought to encourage attendees to leverage regional collaboration and regional planning to achieve the goals of the 30x30. Furthermore, this event provided attendees with tools, approaches, and lessons learned to best leverage regional planning and collaboration to accelerate their conservation goals. Finally, the presentations also shed light on how regional approaches to achieving the 30x30 can increase resource mobilization efforts to implement the National Biodiversity Strategies and Action Plans (NBSAPs).

Which Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework Targets did your event cover:

- Target 3

Links:

- Photos:
  - Link to photos taken during your event:
    - [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1VIEwO65kM09z9dRElvBnov\\_ia9dOHO/view?usp=drive\\_link](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1VIEwO65kM09z9dRElvBnov_ia9dOHO/view?usp=drive_link)
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  - Articles/Posts:
    - <https://cbcbio.org/scaling-30x30-marine-planning/>
    - [https://www.linkedin.com/posts/wildlife-conservation-society\\_cop16colombia-30x30-forcoral-activity-7257801920319307776-jBsN?utm\\_source=share&utm\\_medium=member\\_desktop](https://www.linkedin.com/posts/wildlife-conservation-society_cop16colombia-30x30-forcoral-activity-7257801920319307776-jBsN?utm_source=share&utm_medium=member_desktop)