



12th session of the Pacific Islands Climate Outlook Forum (PICO-12)
Virtual Meeting 20 April 2023

Agenda

11:30-16:30 WST (22:30-03:30 UTC)

[Lead agency for the session presented in bold] Chair: PICS panel co-chairs		
11:30-12:00 (Samoa local time)	Registration and communications testing Meeting procedures	SPREP to coordinate and provide all supporting details and documents prior.
12:00-12:30	Session 1: Opening and Setting the scene. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opening prayer (Mika Perez, Tokelau) • Opening remarks (Tagaloa Cooper, PMDP, SPREP) • Opening remarks (Henry Taiki, WMO) • Meeting objectives (Ben Noll, NIWA) • Group photo 	
12:30-12:55	Session 2: ENSO Update and Outlook. ENSO status and outlook, and introduction to ENSO tracker: NIWA , BoM, Meteo-France, NOAA, University of Hawaii, APCC, SPREP and SPC (15 minutes) Including highlights from Global Seasonal Climate Update (GSCU) Session 2 discussion (10 minutes)	All PICO-12 are joint presentations. A representative from the agency in bold will deliver the presentation with support/input from the remaining agencies referenced.
12:55-14:15	Session 3: Looking Back - Review and Evaluation of November to April Climate outlook. i. Atmosphere	



	<p>Overview of November to April state of the climate, plus evaluation of the last PICO F outlook: NOAA, University of Hawaii, BoM, SPC, SPREP, and NIWA (15 minutes).</p> <p>ii. Ocean Overview of November to April state of the ocean, plus evaluation of the last PICO F outlook: NOAA, University of Hawaii, BoM, SPC, SPREP, NIWA (15 minutes).</p> <p>iii. Tropical cyclones Overview of the TCs over November to April: NOAA, University of Hawaii, BoM, SPC, SPREP, and NIWA (15 minutes).</p> <p>iv. Impacts Overview of impacts over November to April: NOAA, University of Hawaii, BoM, SPC, SPREP, and NIWA (15 minutes).</p> <p>Session 3 discussion (20 minutes)</p>	
14:15-14:45	<p>Session 4: Looking Back Long-Term: Status of key variables</p> <p>A brief examination of long-term trends for variables of interest to Pacific communities: In April 2023, these will be air temperature and ocean acidification: NOAA, University of Hawaii, BoM (Air Temperature), SPC (Ocean Acidification), SPREP, and NIWA (20 minutes).</p> <p>Session 4 discussion (10 minutes)</p>	<p>Tropical cyclones and sea level at PICO F-10</p> <p>Rainfall and SST at PICO F-11</p>
14:45-14:55	10-min break	
14:55:15:55	<p>Session 5: Looking Forward - Seasonal and Intra-seasonal Pacific guidance for May to October 2023.</p> <p>i. Atmosphere PICO F outlook and RCC Node for LRF individual model/MME guidance and skill comparison: NIWA, BoM, Meteo-France,</p>	



	<p>NOAA, University of Hawaii, APCC, SPREP, and SPC (15 minutes).</p> <p>ii. Ocean PICOF outlook and RCC Node for LRF individual model/MME guidance and skill comparison: NIWA, BoM, Meteo-France, NOAA, University of Hawaii, APCC, SPREP, and SPC (15 minutes).</p> <p>iii. Tropical cyclones PICOF outlook and RCC Node for LRF individual model/MME guidance and skill comparison: NIWA, BoM, Meteo-France, NOAA, University of Hawaii, APCC, SPREP, and SPC (15 minutes)</p> <p>Session 5 discussion (15 minutes)</p>	
15:55-16:25	<p>Session 6: Looking Forward Long-Term</p> <p>A brief review of long-term climate change projections for variables of interest to Pacific communities: In April 2023, these will be air temperature and ocean acidification: CSIRO, UGCRP, BoM and SPREP (20 minutes).</p> <p>Session 6 discussion (10 minutes)</p>	
16:25-16:30	<p>Session 7: Closing</p> <p>Chair: Summary of proceedings, feedback from participants Next steps: production of PICOF 12 Report and Statement.</p>	

