

# ICRAN: Recent and ongoing activities



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# Support to ICRI

- ICRI *ad hoc* Committee for the 4<sup>th</sup> ITMEMS
- ICRI *ad hoc* Committee on Enforcement and Investigation



# Reefs at Risk Revisited

- ICRAN is a core partner of R@R+10
- Supporting coordination and communication
- Compilation of case studies and stories to illustrate reef condition in threatened and naturally resilient sites





# Regional Activities

- Support to SPREP and WorldFish to mobilise remaining funds under CRISP
- Coastal and Marine Management and Education in the South eastern Caribbean (CaMMESeC)

*To enhance capacity for effective management of marine and coastal resources through targeted training and mentoring activities*

- Regional UNEP Training of Trainers
- Small grants to Anguilla, St Lucia, St Maarten, St Vincent & the Grenadines for follow up activities
- Reef Check Eco Action Training of Trainers
- Design of a participatory & cost effective and replicable monitoring programme for Tobago





# Small Islands, shared challenges.. a united front!

**Conference on MPA Management for the insular Caribbean 1-5<sup>th</sup> March 2010 in Tobago**

Practical sessions will showcase:

- Techniques and strategies for effective communication;
- Tools to assess and address management effectiveness;
- GIS data management, manipulation and application;
- Networking for exchange of best practices, lessons, and mentoring between sites and agencies.



# Coral Reefs and Communities: Managing for Resilience

*to strengthen the adaptive capacities and reduce the vulnerability of ecosystems and communities that are increasingly stressed by climate change....*

- Build capacity to predict and cope with climate change and other exogenous factors.
- Inform and influence responsive policy and institutional frameworks
- Promote sustainable livelihoods
- Translate cutting edge science and research into village actions for climate adaptation
- Meaningful management action to reduce stress and increase resilience



# Scoping Workshop

- Interest from a diverse range of stakeholders
- Need to ensure added value to existing management activities, stakeholder networks and site based initiatives
- Scoping workshop, Apia, Samoa **26-27 January 2010**
- Explore key information needs of policy makers, managers and communities to build adaptive capacities within existing frameworks
- Guide the development of an applied collaborative project in 2010



# Celebrating Success

- Publication to celebrate ten years of ICRAN
- Pulling together stories from the network in collaboration with UN Foundation and ICRI
- Forward looking to build understanding and interest in future needs





# Thank you

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