









**Field-based Case Study in Fiji: Marine Protected Area and Biodiversity  
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**Part 1. Outline**

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**1. Theme:**

Field-based Case Study in Fiji: Marine Protected Area

**2. Main Topics, Keywords:**

Marine Protected Area, MPA, FLMMA, Fiji Locally Managed Marine Area, qoliqoli, Integrated Coastal Management, community based management, marine resources, subsistence fisheries, coastal resources, coastal fisheries, coastal ecosystem, reefs, fishing rights, Kaikoso, Verata, Ucunivanua, Sasa, Kiuva, Cuvu, Nabukelevu, Mamanuca, gill-net, bech-de-mer, fish aggregating devices, Fisheries Act, Customary Fisheries Bill, Native Land Trust Board, NLTB

**3. Target Learner Audience**

The module is intended to give a first-hand visual introduction to locally-based management of coastal fisheries through creation of Marine Protected Area or MPA in Fiji.

The module is suitable for those interested in fishing activities in the subtropics where subsistence fishing is prevalent alongside large scale commercial fishing. Due to the number of species that are fished around coral reefs that are close to local communities, the effectiveness of coastal resource management needs to depend on co-management by local system together with the government regulations.

Fiji's experience in MPA is abundant and is worth close scrutiny by fishing experts as well as those interested in sustainable fisheries.

**4. Purpose of Training / Expected Outcomes:**

## **List of Contents:**

LEAD Japan Steering Committee Member List

LEAD Japan Financial Statement

### **Part 1. LEAD International**

- 1·1 Annual Review 2005/2006
- 1·2 LEAD Network Five-Year Plan 2007-2011
- 1·3 Framework for LEAD's Work in the Coming Years
- 1·4 Minutes of Board Meeting
- 1·5 LEAD International Special Opportunities & Investment Fund (SOIF)
- 1·6 HSBC GIF Sustainability Leaders Fund

### **Part 2. LEAD Japan**

- 2·1 LEAD Japan Annual Report for 2005
- 2·2 LEAD Asia Pacific Activity Plan, 2006-2010 (Draft)
- 2·3 LEAD Japan WSSD Type II Commitment, Asia Pacific Initiative
- 2·4 Asia-Pacific Initiative Concept Paper (in Japanese)
- 2·5 Asia-Pacific Initiative Draft Concept Paper

### **Part 3. Asia Pacific Initiative**

- 3·1 Management
  - 1. LEAD International Statement of Income and Expenditure
  - 2. LEAD Japan WSSD Type II Commitment, Asia Pacific Initiative
  - 3. Memorandum
  - 4. Collaboration with the UNU
  - 5. Collaboration with the IGES
  - 6. Collaboration with an NPO (to be) Earth Charter Asia Pacific · Japan
- 3·2 Fellows
  - 1. LEAD: Current Status and Prospects (in Japanese)
  - 2. List of LEAD Japan Fellows
  - 3. All Cohort Gathering
  - 4. Evaluation: Toyota
  - 5. Evaluation: Sasakawa Peace Foundation
  - 6. Evaluation: Keidanren Nature Conservancy Fund

### **3-3 API Activities**

1. LEAD Japan Activities: Chronological Listing  
Site Specific Activities
2. Symposium: Joint Curriculum and Next Generation Broadcasting for Sustainable Development in Asia Pacific
3. Development of a Field Survey Training Module on Conservation of Nature in Subtropics for Asian NGOs
4. Asia Pacific Initiative: Advanced Seminar in International Environmental Studies
5. Interim Report for 2006 submitted to the UNU/IAS
6. Development of e-Learning Modules incorporating Field Survey

### **3-4 Fieldwork Proposals**

List: Fieldwork Proposals

Tuvalu: Climate change adaptation; traditional community

Fiji: Mangrove reforestation; marine protected area; CDM

Okinawa: Coastal clean-up; drifting waste; eco-tourism

Indonesia: Preservation of forest; micro financing

Mongolia: Desertification

Bangladesh: Flood control; water

Nepal: Tree planting; primary healthcare

Japan: New energy technology, new energy policy

Greater Mekong Sub-region (not discussed)

### **3-5 Curriculum Module Proposals**

1. Mekong: 6 countries along the Mekong, particularly Golden Triangle; trans-border resource flow
2. Pacific SIDS: 12 countries supporting USP; adaptation to climate change; community-based marine resources management
3. MEAs: Global environmental governance, with focus on the Kyoto Protocol
4. Economy-Energy-Environment: 60 countries, 36 industrial sectors; simulation and policy scenarios up to 2020
5. Lifestyle and environment: Environmental indicators, social/cultural indicators

Fiji Fieldwork Schedule					
Date	Day	Fields	Groups		Hotels (persons)
Prior Inputs:		Uno + 4 from Chubu Univ. Media Center Mangrove; Video Production; MPA; Site Information; USP Interviews; Multimedia Browser  <i>Production Meeting (at Chubu Univ.) (incl. Kädo)</i>	Kakuma, formerly RIS Ph.D. Thesis on MPA; Fieldwork in Fiji & Okinawa Joint Research with USP	Natori, UNU/IAS Decade of Education for Sustainable Dev.; Regional Center of Expertise for SD	
August 21, 22, 2007					
September 2007					
1 Sat (0)		<Leave Narita>			
2 Sun (1)	Sigatoka Day	<Arrive Nadi> (All places closed for Sunday) <Move to Sigatoka> Drive from Nadi to Sigatoka			(Night Flight)
3 Mon (2)		1 Coral Reefs Mangrove (Tari's site)			<i>Tabua Sands</i> (5)
4 Tue (3)		2 Sand Dunes, Beach Traditional Village			ditto (5)
5 Wed (4)		3 Bus Ride, Train Ride			ditto (5)
6 Thu (5)	Suva Day	4 <Move to Suva> Drive along Coral Coast USP (Media Centre)	<Leave Narita>		ditto (5)
7 Fri (6)		5 Market USP (Interviews of key persons)	<Arrive Nadi, Suva>		<i>Holiday Inn Suva</i> (5)
8 Sat (7)		6 Kakuma Interview Fiji Museum (closes at 16:00)			ditto (6)
9 Sun (8)		7 (All places closed for Sunday) Production Meeting			ditto (6)
10 Mon (9)		8 Site Visit			ditto (6)
11 Tue (10)		9 Site Visit	<Leave Narita>		ditto (6)
12 Wed (11)		10 <i>Official Presentation at Faculty Seminar at USP</i> (Interview of key persons continue)	<Arrive Nadi, Suva>		ditto (7)
13 Thu (12)		11 <Leave Suva> <Leave Nadi> <Arrive Narita>	<Leave Suva> <Leave Nadi> <Arrive Narita>		<Leave Suva> <Leave Nadi> <Arrive Narita>

Note: MPA stands for Marine Protected Area.  
Outputs

Intermedia output by mid-October (synopsis, video clips) (by Chubu Univ. Media Center Group)  
Final output by mid-December (synopsis, video product) (by Chubu Univ. Media Center Group)  
Upload to Multimedia Brower by the end of December (PPT, photo, video clips) (by Uno & Kado)