



BOBLME 2014 WORK PLAN DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

Novotel Hotel
Phuket THAILAND, 25 - 26 February 2013

One of the major activities each year for the Regional Coordination Unit of the BOBLME Project is to produce a Regional Work Plan that identifies the work to be funded and undertaken over the forthcoming calendar year.

Input from the Project's National Coordinators and National Technical Advisers in the development of the work plan is essential from a technical perspective, and with respect to its approval by each Project country. The work plan (and budget) will be submitted to the Project Steering Committee in April for its consideration.

The workshop will be chaired by the Regional Coordinator. The overall aims are:

1. To produce a draft Regional Work Plan for the BOBLME Project in 2014; and subsequently
2. to produce draft National Work Plans for each country for the same year.

DRAFT Agenda

1. Updates from National Coordinators on:
 - Project implementation - progress, success and challenges
2. Review work undertaken by the Project to-date (RCU).
3. Review the recommendations made by the BOBLME working groups in 2013 (RCU).
4. Provide input into draft work plan for 2014 (for consideration by the PSC in April), including:
 - proposals for new/continuing national projects in 2014
 - guidance on the nature and outputs of other activities (research, training, studies, reviews etc)
 - advice on which regional institutions might undertake particular activities
 - suggestions on the locations and timings of meetings.
5. Any other business.