

# World Meteorological Centres Workshop

**Beijing, China, 26-29 March 2019**

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# PROVISIONAL AGENDA

*(as of 24 March 2019)*

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| **Day 1 – Tuesday 26 March 2019** | | |
| **Time** | **Agenda Item** | **Remarks** |
| 08:00 – 09:00 | Registration of Participants |  |
| 09:00 – 10:00 | **Opening Session**  **Welcome Remarks**   * Petteri TAALAS, Secretary-General of WMO (Video) * Yong YU, Representative of CMA Administrator, Deputy Administrator of CMA * Meiyan JIAO, Vice president of CBS * Sarah JONES, on behalf of P/CAS | Jianjie WANG  (Master of ceremony)  \* The order might be changed |
| 10:00 – 10:30 | Group Photograph  Coffee /Tea/ Health Break | |
| 10:30 – 12:00 | **Agenda 1: Implementation Plan of Seamless Global Data-processing and Forecasting System**  **Plenary Session**  **Introduction of workshop:**  Scope, layout, expected outcomes  *Note: Key questions to be addressed for each agenda will be provided in a separate file*  **Presentation:**   * GDPFS today – include Manual on GDPFS * Research today * Implementation Plan on S/GDPFS * WIS 2.0 implementation approach | Chair: Meiyan JIAO/Paul DAVIES  - Yuki HONDA  - Sarah JONES/Paolo RUTI  - Sarah JONES  - Enrico FUCILE |
| 12:00 – 13:30 | Lunch Break | |
| 13:30 – 15:00 | **Three breakout groups**  Subject: An integrated and customized S/GDPFS **System**  *Note: Three subjects to be discussed under Agenda 1: system, accessibility and research and innovation* | Facilitators:  Vijay TALLAPRAGADA, Sani Abubakar MASHI, Jianjie WANG  Rapporteurs: WMO staffs |
| 15:00 – 15:30 | Coffee /Tea/ Health Break | |
| 15:30 – 17:00 | **Three breakout groups**  Subject: **Accessibility** and web platform (leaning on WIS 2.0) | Facilitators: Juan Garces de Marcilla, Hans-Joachim KOPPERT,  Jim ABRAHAM  Rapporteurs: WMO staffs |
| 18:00 – 20:00 | **Welcome reception hosted by CMA** | |
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| **Day 2 – Wednesday 27 2019** | | |
| **Time** | **Agenda Item** | **Remarks** |
| 09:00 – 10:30 | **Three breakout groups**  Subject: **Innovation and Research** | Facilitators: Deon TERBLANCHE, Andrew BROWN, Qinghong ZHANG  Rapporteurs: WMO staffs |
| 10:30 – 11:15 | Coffee /Tea/ Health Break & time for preparing summary report | |
| 11:15 – 13:00 | **Plenary Session**  Report from each group and discussion | Chair: Sarah JONES |
| 13:00 – 14:30 | Lunch Break | |
| 14:30 – 15:30 | **Agenda 2: Capacity development for NMHCs in LDCs/SIDS**  **Plenary Session**  **Presentation:**   * An overview of significant gaps and way forward to enhance the capacity of NMHSs in Africa * Use of WMCs products for preparation of Regional and National weather and climate information: current status and perspectives with a pilot S/GDPFS project * Current status and priorities for tropical cyclone research and operations – insights and perspectives from IWTC-9 | Chair : Deon TERBLANCHE  - Sani Abubakar MASHI  - Andre KAMGA  - Vijay TALLAPRAGADA |
| 15:30 – 17:00 | **Three breakout groups**  Subject: Education strengthening/knowledge development in order to positioning NMCs in the future | Facilitators: Peter ODJUGO, Andre KAMGA, Dmitry KIKTEV  Rapporteurs: WMO staffs |
| 17:00 – 17:30 | Coffee /Tea/ Health Break | |
| 17:30 – 18:30 | **Plenary Session**  Report from each group and discussion | Chair: Sani Abubakar MASHI |
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| **Day 3 – Thursday 28 2019** | | |
| **Time** | **Agenda Item** | **Remarks** |
| 09:00 – 10:30 | **Three breakout groups**  Subject: Data (observation and model output) sharing mechanism | Facilitators: Elke LOUW, Xiaoye ZHANG, Michael LOGAN  Rapporteurs: WMO staffs |
| 10:30 – 11:15 | Coffee /Tea/ Health Break & time for preparing summary report | |
| 11:15 – 12:30 | **Plenary Session**  Report from each group and discussion | Chair, Xu TANG |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | Lunch Break | |
| 14:00 – 16:00 | **Agenda 3: Joint discussion on implementation plan and capacity development**  **Plenary Session**   * Addressing issues from agenda 1 and 2 | Chair : Sarah JONES/ Yuki HONDA |
| 16:00 – 16:30 | Coffee /Tea/ Health Break | |
| 16:30 – 18:00 | **Visit WMC Beijing** |  |
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| **Day 4 – Friday 29 2019** | | |
| **Time** | **Agenda Item** | **Remarks** |
| 09:00 – 10:30 | **Agenda 4: Overall coordination mechanism between WMCs and WMCs/RSMCs to support Members**  **Three breakout groups**   * Leverage pre-existing coordination mechanism, requirement for efficient coordination mechanism * Design of coordination mechanism and roles of each players in the context of WMO reform     *Note: Secretariat will collect the information on the current coordination mechanism from 9 WMCs before the Workshop and distribute it to participants in advance* | Facilitators: Jianjie WANG, Jiandong GONG,Munehiko YAMAGUCHI  Rapporteurs: WMO staffs |
| 10:30 – 11:15 | Coffee /Tea/ Health Break & time for preparing summary report | |
| 11:15 – 12:30 | **Plenary Session**  Report from each group and discussion | Chair: Yuki HONDA |
| 12:30 – 14:00 | Lunch Break | |
| 14:00 – 16:00 | **Any other business: WMCs mechanism to support Humanitarian Activities**  **Plenary Session**  **Presentation:**   * Needs from Humanitarian Agencies including outcome of WMO consultation workshop (Geneva, 3-5 DEC 2018) (TBD)   **Discussion**:   * Potential roles of WMCs to respond to requests for Humanitarian activities | Chair: Xu TANG  - Hans-Joachim KOPPERT |
| 16:00 – 17:00 | **Summary of the Workshop** | Chair: Jim ABRAHAM |
| 17:00 | **Close of the Workshop** |  |