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**DRAFT: AGENDA FOR THE 2<sup>nd</sup> WORKING PARTY ON SOCIO-ECONOMICS****UPDATED: 24 APRIL 2025**

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**Date:** 24–25 April 2025**Location:** Virtual**Time:** 12:00 – 16:00 daily

- 1. OPENING OF THE MEETING** (Chairperson)
- 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION** (Chairperson)
  - IOTC-2025- WPSE02-01a: Draft: Agenda of 2nd Working Party on Socio-Economics
  - IOTC-2025- WPSE02-01b: Draft: Annotated agenda of 2nd Working Party on Socio-Economics
  - IOTC-2025- WPSE02-02: Draft: List of documents of the 2nd Working Party on Socio-Economics
- 3. THE IOTC PROCESS: OUTCOMES, UPDATES AND PROGRESS** (IOTC Secretariat)
  - 3.1. Outcomes of the 28th Session of the Commission
    - IOTC-2025- WPSE02-03: Outcomes of the 28th Session of the Commission
  - 3.2. Outcomes of the 27th Session of the Scientific Committee
    - IOTC-2025- WPSE02-04: Outcomes of the 27th Session of the Scientific Committee
- 4. INFORMATION ON SOCIO-ECONOMIC DATA FOR IOTC CPCS AND FISHERIES**
  - 4.1. Review of socio-economic data available at the Secretariat
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-INF07: Review of socio-economic data available at FAO(FAO)
  - 4.2. Socio-economic data assessment relevant to tuna fishing nations and fisheries
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-INF06: Review of Socio-Economic indicators from Coastal countries in Indian Ocean (IOTC Secretariat)
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-06: Socio-economic aspects of offshore tuna fishery of Pakistan with special reference to its role on the livelihood conditions of hinterland communities (Muhammad Moazzam-WWF)
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-INF02: Overcapacity and dynamics of a tuna fleet facing catch limits and high efficiency: the case of the Indian Ocean tuna fishery (Alex Tidd, Laurent Dagorn, Manuela Capello, Patrice Guillotreau)
  - 4.3. Selection of Key Indicators
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-09: A rapid review of socioeconomic indicators for the IOTC (Dr. Sarah Martin)
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-07: Scoping socio-economic indicators across Coastal States in the Indian Ocean: Summary and next steps (Dr. Megan Bailey and Mr. Scott Schrempf), joined presentation with FFA
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-INF04: Monitoring social and economic impacts of tuna industries (data and indicators): examples from Indonesia and Pacific Islands Countries (Prof Kate Barclay – University of Technology Sydney)
  - 4.4. Mapping value chains and market organisation in Indian Ocean coastal countries
- 5. INCORPORATING FISHERIES SOCIO-ECONOMICS INTO IOTC SCIENCE AND MANAGEMENT**
  - 5.1. Assessment of the social and economic significance of IOTC fisheries
    - IOTC-2025-WPSE02-08: An assessment of the potential social and economic impacts of banning the use of wire leader on Taiwanese longline fishery in the Indian Ocean (Ken Chien-Nan LIN)

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- IOTC-2025-WPSE02-INF03: Survey-based approach to generate regional multipliers for the Indonesian tropical tuna fisheries (Eriko Hoshino, Sean Pascoe, Ingrid van Putten, Budy P. Resosudarmo, Fayakun Satria, and Lilis Sadiyah)

5.2. Analysis of socio-economic impacts of the IOTC processes (e.g., catch limits)

- IOTC-2025-WPSE02-INF01: Equitable pathways for sustainable tuna fisheries management in the Indian Ocean (Alex Tidd, Patrice Guillotreau, Dan Fu, Iago Mosqueira, Laurent Dagorn, Manuela Capello)
- IOTC-2025- WPSE02-INF05: Evaluating social and economic significance and impacts of tuna industries (analysis): examples from Indonesia and Pacific Islands Countries (Prof Kate Barclay, University of Technology Sydney)

5.3. Applied fisheries economic and social science research relevant to IOTC fisheries (e.g., climate change)

**6. WPSE PROGRAM OF WORK** (Chairperson and IOTC Secretariat)

6.1. WPSE Program of Work (2026–2030) and research priorities

- IOTC-2025- WPSE02-04: Revision of the WPSE program of work (2026–2030)

6.2. Regional cooperation and capacity building

**7. OTHER BUSINESS**

- 7.1. Date and place of the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sessions of the WPSE (Chairperson and IOTC Secretariat)
- 7.2. Development of priorities for Invited Expert(s) or consultant(s) at the next WPSE meeting (Chairperson)
- 7.3. Review of the draft, and adoption of the Report of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the WPSE (Chairperson)