

COURSE CURRICURUM

THE REGIONAL TRAINING COURSE ON CO-MANAGEMENT USING GROUP USER RIGHTS FOR ENHANCING SMALL-SCALE FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT

20TH - 28TH SEPTEMBER 2010



BACKGROUND

It is well recognized that coastal fisheries resources in many places of the world, particularly in our region where coastal fisheries resources are over-exploited and impact to local community and fisher livelihood. Then the co-management and rights-based fisheries for coastal fisheries management has been promoted to the Southeast Asian region in order to achieve coastal fisheries resources management by means of local fisher's participation.

In the end of the year 2005, Regional guideline on co-management using group user rights for small-scale were developed and distributed, but it's quite new for the region and might be difficult to understand among fishers even through the fisheries officer and policy makers. The course aims to transfer the knowledge and skill on co-management concept and participatory approach on the areas of defining and sharing responsibility and function between local user-based management either body or organization and government-based agency to carry forward coastal fisheries management. An introduction of right-based fisheries management is presented to provide supportive tool for strengthening small-scale fishers clearly enrolling in coastal fisheries management. Some case studies or projects of SEAFDEC/TD will be used as a study site for the course work and discussion and also including participatory research method.

Thus, the course is anticipated to strengthen capacity of fisheries official to comprehensively implement and promote co-management using group user rights to develop small-scale fisheries and its institution management.

OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the training course are:

1. To promote and strengthen participants to comprehend the concept and regional guidelines for co-management using group user rights for small-scale fisheries in Southeast Asia and apply the concept and guideline practicing in coastal fisheries management;
2. To clarify the importance, objectives and application of the regional guidelines promoting small-scale fisheries to customize and mobilize coastal fisheries management and
3. To facilitate participants sharing and exchanging experiences and views on enrollment of small-scale fisheries improving coastal fisheries management.



EXPECTED OUTPUT

1. Largely increase number of ASEAN fisheries officials comprehend and apply the concept and guideline practicing for coastal fisheries management in their respect countries;
2. Improve fisheries officials's capacity and development to make use of the concept and guideline to develop and institution for coastal fisheries management.

DURATION AND VENUE

Proposed date is on 20-28 September 2010 which is totally nine days training course excluded traveling days as seen in tentative schedule. The course will be divided in to two major parts in order to achieve the objectives of the training. Part one is six days for lecture and the other part is three days for research and field trip study. The main venue is at the SEAFDEC/Training department in Samutprakan Province, Thailand.

ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS

Participant must be a fisheries officer from SEAFDEC Member countries, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Japan, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Thailand and Vietnam who is senior rank and/or potential and responsible for small-scale fisheries development and/or coastal fisheries management or who has experiences with the current fisheries management system or co-management. The participant should have age between 24-40 years old.

NOTE: Participants have to submit the country report on co-management in the country which will be presented. Each country report will be given 15 minutes for presentation including question.

ALLOWANCES

The SEAFDEC Fellows shall be granted the following benefit;

a) Travel:

An economic round-trip air fare will be provided for the fellows from countries other than Thailand. Air travel will be by the shortest possible route between the fellow's nearest international airport and Bangkok. If transit is unavoidable the fellows will be asked to travel with the first available flight from the transit airport to Bangkok. Rerouting which incurs additional expenses and time is not permissible.

The fellows or their employers must be responsible for the domestic travel which includes all fees and other expenses whether by air, sea, or land, to and from their home town and the nearest international airport before leaving their country;

b) Accommodation:

During the training period, accommodation and breakfast will be provided by SEAFDEC/TD for the fellows;

c) Subsistence Allowance:

The fellows will receive 400 THB for a daily subsistence allowance (DSA);

d) Terminal Allowance:

The Bangkok air port tax for foreign fellows will be directly paid by SEAFDEC/TD

e) Books and training materials:

The Department will supply books and all training materials required for studying and



f) Accident and Health Insurance:

The Center will be responsible for the purchase of health and accident insurance for each fellow. In general such a policy covers accidental loss of limb or sight, or loss of life during the tenure of fellowship.

TRAINING PROGRAM AND COURSE CONTENTS

Lecture and Research proposal design (6 days)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction and background of co-management for small-scale fisheries management• Lesson learned and experiences on co-management from Japan and member countries• Scope and characteristic of co-management & role and function of parties concerned in co-management• Fisheries co-management mechanism and implementation of the co-management• Participatory method of co-management promoting for small-scale fisheries• Introduction of rights-based fisheries towards fishing rights and designated area practice• Institution building of the community fisheries cooperation• SEAFDEC projects related to coastal fisheries and co-management• Research proposal design for field trip and practice
Field trip and field trip Report (3 days)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Field trip study, visiting the site which related to co-management, small-scale fisheries or community fisheries institution• Research report and field trip report presentation

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Date & Time	Activities / Subjects	Resource Person
19 September 2010 (Sun.)		
Arrival at TD		
20 September 2010 (Mon.)		
0830-1030 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Registration and Course opening ▪ An introduction to SEAFDEC and TD's facilities ▪ Course orientation ▪ Group photography 	SG, DSG, Division Heads, Resource persons, Course staff and Staff concerned
1045-1200 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction and background of co-management for small-scale fisheries management ▪ Ice breaking and self-introduction by participants 	Dr. Yuttana T. Dr. Phattareeya S.
1330-1630 hrs.	Lesson learned and experiences on co-management from Japan and member countries <i>(Country profile presentation)</i>	Dr. Phattareeya S. and TD staff
21 September 2010 (Tue.)		
0900-1200 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Scope and characteristic of co-management & role and function of parties concerned in co-management ▪ Introduction of rights-based fisheries towards fishing rights and designated area practice 	Dr. Theo Ebbers
1330-1630 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fisheries co-management mechanism and implementation of the co-management 	Dr. Theo Ebbers
22 September 2010 (Wed.)		
0900-1200 hrs.	Institution building of the community fisheries cooperation	Dr. Theo Ebbers
1330-1630 hrs.	Participatory method of co-management promoting for small-scale fisheries	Dr. Theo Ebbers
23 September 2010 (Thu.)		
0900-1200 hrs.	SEAFDEC projects related to coastal fisheries management: Set-net project	Mr. Aussanee M.
1330-1630 hrs.	SEAFDEC projects related to coastal fisheries management experienced in Thailand, Malaysia and Cambodia project sites	Ms. Sumittra R. and Staff
24 September 2010 (Fri.)		
0900-1200 hrs.	Research proposal design for field trip and practice Field trip orientation	Dr. Phattareeya & Ms. Rattana
1230-1700 hrs.	Field trip to Lam Phakbia community, Phetburi Province	Dr. Phattareeya & Ms. Rattana



Date & Time	Activities / Subjects	Resource Person
25 September 2010 (Sat.)		
0800-1200 hrs.	Leave TD for Chantaburi Province	Dr. Phattareeya & Ms. Rattana
1330-1700 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Visit Ban Ao Moo village, microcredit management, Bangkachi, Chantaburi Province ▪ Leave for Trat province 	Dr. Phattareeya & Ms. Rattana
26 September 2010 (Sun.)		
0800-1700 hrs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Site visit at Ban Pred Nai village mangrove reforestation and management (Trat Province) ▪ Leave Trat Province for SEAFDEC/ TD 	Dr. Phattareeya & Ms. Rattana
27 September 2010 (Mon.)		
0900-1630 hrs.	Field trip report preparation	Dr. Phattareeya & Ms. Rattana
28 September 2010 (Tue.)		
0900-1200 hrs.	Field trip report presentation and Course evaluation	TD resource persons
1400-1500 hrs.	Closing ceremony	SG, DSG, Division Heads, Resource persons, course staff and staff concerns

