

## Regional Workshop for the Pacific on the Clearing-House Mechanism (CHM)



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# Training Session on the Bioland Tool for National Clearing-House Mechanisms

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## **Background**

#### CHM Network

- Decision XII/2 B reiterated the importance of national CHMs
- Only 50% of Parties have a national CHM
- Many countries use the European Portal Tool Kit (PTK)

### Experiences from workshops

- Guidance is not sufficient
- Barriers to the establishment of a national CHM
- Lack of capacity to establish and maintain the CHM

## CHM expert meeting at EEA (December 2014)

- European Portal Tool Kit (PTK) based on obsolete platform (Zope)
- Should be based on popular open-source content management system
- Consideration of various options
- Proposal by Belgium to offer web-hosting if Drupal CMS

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## Two-Phase Approach

#### Phase 1 - New tool

- Targeted at Parties without a national CHM
- Ideally turn-key solution to overcome known barriers
- Development of new Drupal-based tool
- Offered to interested Parties

## Phase 2 - Migration of European Portal Tool Kit

- Targeted at Parties using the PTK
- Integration with Bioland tool
- Gradual migration of interested Parties

#### Maintenance and evolution

- Managed by CBD Secretariat
- Hosted by Belgium

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#### Technical Features

- Hosted turn-key solution for Parties
- Multilingual capabilities
- Multisite capabilities
- Modular & extensible
- Interoperability

#### Content features

- Basic generic national CHM
- Responsive web pages
- Content Management System
  - Pages & menus
  - Content types (common formats)
  - Metadata (controlled vocabularies)
  - ..

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## Simple Main Menu

#### Home

- → Attract users & promote key content
- Biodiversity
  - → Overview of national biodiversity
- Strategy
  - → National Biodiversity and Action Plans
- Implementation
  - → Projects
- Information
  - → Information centre to access all content types
- Participate
  - → To encourage participation (e.g. forums)
- About us
  - → About this site, the CHM and the CBD

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## **Content Types**



News



Events



**National Targets** 



**Facts** 



Ecosystems



**Protected Areas** 



Projects



Species



Best Practices



Needs



Organizations



**Network Directory** 



Library



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Images



Related websites

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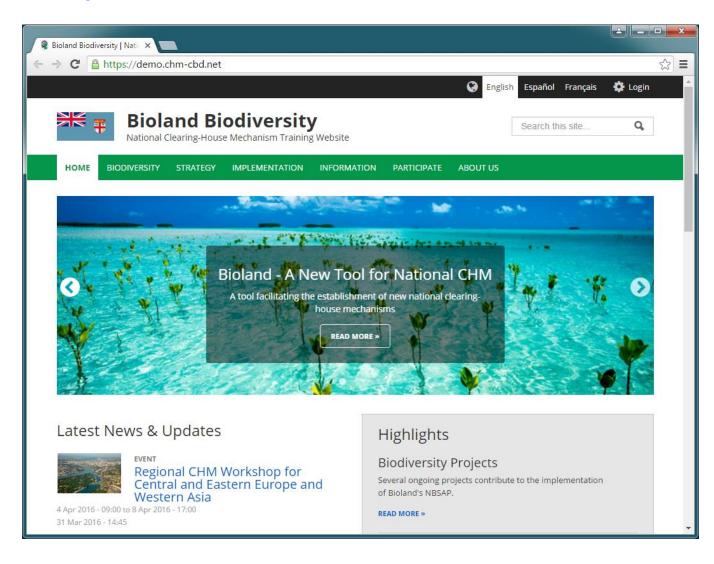
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## **Bioland Tour**

→ <a href="https://demo.chm-cbd.net">https://demo.chm-cbd.net</a>



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## 1. Visit your new country site: <a href="https://new-cc.chm-cbd.net">https://new-cc.chm-cbd.net</a>

## 2. Log in with your user account:

- User name: [your full name]
- Password: =[your email]

## 3. Update your profile

- Change your password
- Enter your name

#### 4. View content menu

Select content by type

#### 5. Enter content

#### 6. Translate content

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## User's feedback is important

- Are you interested in the Bioland Tool?
- What do you like?
- What do you dislike?
- What is missing?
- How can it be improved?

## Future developments based on feedback

- Adjustments
- New features

Thank you



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