IUCN Protected Area Capacity Development Programme
Objectives

- Deliver Technical Support to National Governments to meet their PA Objectives

- Support SCBD with Technical Guidance to implement the Programme of Work on PAs, Aichi Target 11 and other Biodiversity targets of the Strategic Plan related to PAs
Components of Protected Area Capacity Development Programme

- Knowledge Products
- Education and Training
- Expertise
Knowledge Products

- Books
- Journals such as *Parks*
- Best Practice Guidelines
- Technical briefs
- Translations
- E-Book on Managing Protected Areas
Knowledge Products

Best Practice Protected Area Guidelines

- 17 BP PA Guidelines
- Series being updated
- In production – Restoration, Conservation Planning, Invasive Alien Species, Urban PA Management, Tourism
- More Planned – Climate, Private Protected Areas, others
E-Book on Managing Protected Areas

Objective:
To provide to the world’s protected area management students and professional managers the best training text book available as a free compendium E-Book by 2014 and to make it available in all three of IUCN’s official languages. Modeled after the 2006 publication, “Managing Protected Areas – A Global Guide. Graeme Worboys, lead.
Knowledge Products

Management Categories

- Guidelines for applying IUCN Protected Area Management Categories

- Guidelines for applying IUCN Protected Area Management Categories to Marine Protected Areas – due to come out in 2012 at the World Conservation Congress
Education and Training

Core Competencies at:
• Field Operations - Rangers
• Site Management - PA Managers
• Strategy, policy and planning - Directors and regional managers

Curriculum Development

Accreditation

Mentorship
Expertise

Objective: Countries will have access to a recognized experts for consulting or training

- Commission Experts WCPA, CEC, SSC, etc.
- Protected Area System Experts from Member Countries
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## IUCN Members in the Caribbean

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Key actors and partners (regionally and nationally)

- National agencies of protected areas
- CARICOM (http://www.caricom.org/)
- UNEP- CEP
- University of West Indies (http://www.uwi.edu/)
- OECS (http://www.oecs.org/)
- UNESCO – Havana office (http://www.unesco.org/new/es/havana/home/)
- Global Island Partnership (GLISPA) (http://www.cbd.int/island/glispa.shtml)
- CANARI (http://www.canari.org/)
- Caribbean Marine Protected Area Management Network and Forum (CaMPAM) (http://campam.gcfi.org/campam.php)
- Caribbean Research and Management of Biodiversity (CARMABI) (http://www.carmabi.org/)
- UNDP-Regional Office and Country Offices
Key existing and/or proposed regional and sub-regional training centers

- University of West Indies (http://www.uwi.edu/)
- CaMPAM (http://campam.gcfi.org/campam.php)
- University of the Netherlands Antilles (http://www.una.an/)
- CATIE (www.catie.ac.cr/)
- CARMABI (http://www.carmabi.org/)
- ELAP (http://www.uci.ac.cr/)
Existing projects, both from IUCN and IUCN members and partners

- **Regional** (Antigua And Barbuda, Dominica, Grenada, St. Kitts And Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and Grenadines): *OECS - Protected Areas and Associated Sustainable Livelihoods* (GEF-World Bank)
- **Regional** (Antigua and Barbuda, Grenada, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and Grenadines): *Sustainable Financing and Management of Eastern Caribbean Marine Ecosystems* (GEF-World Bank)
- **Bahamas** - *Building a Sustainable National Marine Protected Area Network* (GEF-UNEP)
- **Dominican Republic** - *Re-engineering the National Protected Area System in Order to Achieve Financial Sustainability* (GEF-UNDP)
- **Haiti** - *Establishing a Financially Sustainable National Protected Areas System* (GEF-UNDP)
- **Jamaica** - *Strengthening the Operational and Financial Sustainability of the National Protected Area System* (GEF-UNDP)
- **Cuba** - *Strengthening the National System of Protected Areas* (GEF-UNDP)
- **Cuba** - *Application of a Regional Approach to the Management of Marine and Coastal Protected Areas in Cuba’s Southern Archipelagos* (GEF-UNDP)
- **Cuba** – *Agricultural Biodiversity Conservation and Man and Biosphere Reserves in Cuba: Bridging Managed and Natural Landscapes* (GEF-UNEP)
Key countries where IUCN have strong working relationships and/or on-going activities

- Dominican Republic
- Saint Lucia
- Netherland Antilles
- Cuba
- Bahamas
- Jamaica
- Haiti
- Saint Kitts and Nevis
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Puerto Rico