

**Target Countries** : Small-island states in the Pacific, Carribean and other regions**Course No.** : J1704443**No.** : 1784759**Sector** : Fisheries/Rural Development in Fisheries**Sub-Sector** : Fisheries/Fisheries Resource Management**Language** : English**Outline**

With special attention on the context of small-island states, this course offers practical training on various measures/approaches for sustainable use of fisheries resources and diversification of fisheries-based livelihood. The course encompasses such topics as reef resource management, FAD fisheries, fishers cooperatives, aquaculture, value-addition to fishery products and marketing.

<b>Objective/Outcome</b>		<b>Target Organization / Group</b>	
<p><b>【Objective】</b> Participants enhance their technical capabilities to promote sustainable use of fisheries resource and diversification of fisheries-based livelihoods with due considerations of constraints/difficulties of small island states.</p> <p><b>【Outcome】</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants acquire skills and knowledge on various analytical tools including sector analysis and stakeholder analysis</li> <li>Participants have better understanding on roles and functions of key stakeholders of fishery sector development and resource management (administration/research/producer organizations) as well as effective coordination/cooperation mechanisms among stakeholders</li> <li>Participants have better understanding on the issues of tropical fisheries resource management and measures to address these issues</li> <li>Participants acquire skills and knowledge on diversification of fisheries-based livelihoods including FAD making/deployment, small-scale aquaculture, fish processing/value-addition, marketing, handy craft making etc.</li> <li>Participants improve their skills and knowledge on project planning (application of Project Cycle Management method)</li> </ol>		<p><b>【Target Organization】</b> National/local fisheries line agency Fisheries research institute Fisheries development authority/corporation Producer organizations</p> <p><b>【Target Group】</b> Fisheries extension officers, Fisherman's organizations staffs, etc. More than 3 years of experience with related work. Have a good command of English.</p>	
<b>Contents</b>		<b>Course Period</b>	2017/06/28~2017/10/28
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compilation of a country report that summaries 1) current status and issues of fisheries sector and resource management in the country, 2) measures taken by the governments to address said issues</li> <li>Lectures and practices on the use of analytical tools</li> <li>Visits to fisheries administration, research institutions, fishers' cooperative association and others, and lectures on their organization/activities</li> <li>Case studies of various initiatives on tropical fisheries resource management</li> <li>Field observations and practices on relevant topics</li> <li>Group discussion on adaptive application of measures/approaches for sustainable use of fisheries resources and diversification of fisheries-based livelihoods in the context of small-island states</li> <li>Formulation of an action plan</li> </ol>		<b>Department in Charge</b>	Rural Development Department
		<b>JICA Center</b>	JICA Okinawa
		<b>Cooperation Period</b>	2015~2017
<b>Implementing Partner</b>	Under Planning		
<b>Remarks and Website</b>			