



**CLME+ Project**  
Caribbean & North Brazil Shelf Large Marine Ecosystems

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**Any Other Business (AOB)**

**Update on Status of Nominations  
for the collaborative development of  
the detailed PROCARIBE+ Proposal (Project Document)**



# PROCARIBE+ Project NOMINATIONS

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## Proposed approach towards development of the UNDP Project Document and the GEF CEO endorsement package

PPG Coordination Unit will seek Country and Partner/Stakeholder Inputs and Feedback through:

- **PPG Development Committee** (*general oversight, and ProDoc clearance*)
- **Thematic Working Groups** (*technical inputs by experts for specific project components/outputs*)



# List of Proposed Thematic Groupings for PROCARIBE+ PPG

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1. **National Inter-sectoral Coordination mechanisms; Ocean Coordination Mechanism; partnerships**
2. **State of the Marine Environment** and associated **Socio-Economics/Natural Capital Accounting**
3. **Marine Data/Knowledge Management; Marine Data Infrastructure**
4. **Blue Economy**
5. **Integrated Coastal Zone Management / Marine Spatial Planning**
6. **Ridge-to-reef/Source-to-Sea approach; Integrated Water Resources/River Basin Management; Land-Based Sources of Pollution**
7. **Marine Conservation** (Marine Protected Areas, Marine Managed Areas and Other Effective Conservation Measures)
8. Blue Carbon, Nationally Determined Contributions (**Oceans and Climate**)
9. **Adaptation/Resilience Building to Climate Change / Disaster Risk Response**
10. **Fisheries Traceability** (spiny lobster, queen conch, shrimp...)
11. Spiny lobster fisheries: **Sustainable Fishing Practices/Gear**



# Status of nominations for the PPG Phase (PPG Development Committee and Thematic Groupings)

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## COUNTRIES

17 nominations so far

Only 10 nominations for PPG Development Committee

Some countries who have not yet submitted their GEF OFP endorsement letter have already nominated PPG representatives 👍 (for these countries: please do consider submitting the OFP letter at your earliest convenience)

Aim is to engage your national representatives with relevant mandates/expertise for each thematic topic (different Ministries/Gov'tal Entities)

	GEF OFP letters	Nominations
1		
3	Barbados	Y
5	Brazil	Y
6	Colombia	Y
7	Costa Rica	Y
8	Cuba	Y
9	Dominican Republic	Y
10	Grenada	Y
11	Guatemala	Y
13	Haiti	Y
14	Honduras	Y
16	Mexico	Y
17	Panama	Y
18	Saint Kitts and Nevis	Y
19	Saint Lucia	Y
23	Trinidad and Tobago	Y
24	United States of America	Y
25	Venezuela	Y

**Aspiration is to engage the different Ministries/Entities working on marine matters in the development of the Project Document (holistic, cross-sectoral approach)**



# Status of nominations for the PPG Phase (PPG Development Committee and Thematic Groupings)

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## ORGANIZATIONS:

15 nominations received so far

OSPESCA	Y
UNEP CEP	Y
ESA	Y
WWF (Guianas)	Y
GCFI	Y
CARIGEO	Y
MAR Fund	Y
UNDP Climate Promise	Y
Association of Caribbean States	Y
GIZ	Y
UICN	Y
Blue Nature Alliance	Y
WCS	Y
The Ocean Foundation	Y
UNDP GEF Small Grants Programme	Y

# Proposed recommendations and decisions

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The PSC:

Invites countries to liaise with their GEF Operational Focal Points with the purpose of sending their nominations, as applicable, to the PROCARIBE+ PPG Coordination Unit, at their earliest convenience, but no later than 31 October 2021.

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More information regarding the PPG Development Committee and Thematic Groupings to be created, as well as instructions on how to nominate representatives is available by clicking the following links [countries](#) or [organizations](#), and in [this presentation](#).

Or

By visiting the PROCARIBE+ webpage on the CLME+ HUB :  
[www.procaribepius.org](http://www.procaribepius.org)

*See also final slides in this PPT (will not be presented at the PSCM)*

# PROCARIBE+ Project NOMINATIONS

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## **The role of the PPG Development Committee will be to:**

- Oversee, guide and advise on the project development process
- Review (as applicable) and validate/endorse the GEF PPG deliverables
- Ensure criteria and deadlines for successful submission to the GEF, and GEF/UNDP/UNOPS and country/relevant project partner requirements are met

## **The prospective PPG Development Committee members are:**

- A Governmental Representative from each participating State/Territory
- A representative from: the GEF Agency (UNDP), Executing Agency (UNOPS), the PPG Coordination Unit, the Members of the CLME+ Interim Coordination Mechanism
- Observers: UNDP Country Offices, other relevant Intergovernmental Organizations,...





# Thematic Groupings for PROCARIBE+ PPG

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The role of the Thematic Groupings will be to:

- **Support PPG CU** on specific elements of the **Project Proposal** (e.g. develop the baseline, identify possible intervention sites and specific activities, help with the identification synergies/complementarity among projects/initiatives, etc)
- Liaise with the PPG consultant working on **gender and social and environmental safeguards**
- **Review and issue advice on (thematic) GEF PPG deliverables**
- Help ensure that **UNDP and GEF requirements** for thematic project components are met
- **Prospective Working Group/Committee members are:**
  - UNDP RTA, PPG Regional Coordinator, IGO's\*/ICM, national experts/gov't representatives, representatives from existing regional Working Groups, international experts, co-executing/co-financing partners,....

\*with relevant mandate relative to the topic of the PPG Working Group

