RAMSAR CONVENTION ON WETLANDS

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**Provisional agenda**

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| 1. | Opening statements |  |  |
|  | 1.1 | Chair of the STRP |  |  |
|  | 1.2 | Secretary General of the Ramsar Convention |  |  |
| 2. | Approval of provisional agenda and working programme |  |  |
|  | 2.1 | Provisional agenda | STRP22 Doc.2.1 |  |
|  | 2.2 | Provisional working programme | STRP22 Doc.2.2 |  |
| 3. | Brief introduction of participants |  |  |
| 4. | Briefing on the Ramsar Convention and the STRP |  | [Resolution XIII.8](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii8-future-implementation-of-scientific-and-technical-aspects-of-the): *Future implementation of scientific and technical aspects of the Convention for 2019-2021*[Resolution XII.5](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xii5-new-framework-for-delivery-of-scientific-and-technical-advice-and-guidance): *New framework for delivery of scientific and technical advice and guidance on the Convention*[About the STRP](https://www.ramsar.org/about/the-scientific-and-technical-review-panel) |
|  | 4.1 | Overview of the Convention and its implementation |  | [COP13 Doc.11.1](https://www.ramsar.org/sites/default/files/documents/library/cop13doc.11.1_global_implementation_e.pdf): *Report of the Secretary General on the implementation of the Convention: Global implementation* |
|  | 4.2 | Overview of STRP processes and procedures |  | [Resolution XIII.8](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii8-future-implementation-of-scientific-and-technical-aspects-of-the): *Future implementation of scientific and technical aspects of the Convention for 2019-2021*[Resolution XII.5](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xii5-new-framework-for-delivery-of-scientific-and-technical-advice-and-guidance): *New framework for delivery of scientific and technical advice and guidance on the Convention* |
|  | 4.3 | Overview of other international processes and their relevance to the work of the STRP for 2019-21 |  |  |
|  | 4.4 | Communications and policy relevance of STRP outputs (CEPA) |  | [STRP outputs](https://www.ramsar.org/resources/publications) |
|  | 4.5 | Lessons learned from the 2016-2018 triennium |  |  |
| 5. | Thematic Work Areas (TWAs) and mandate from COP13 Resolutions |  |  |
|  | 5.1 | TWAs and literature survey | STRP22 Doc.5.1 |  |
|  | 5.2 | Correlation analysis of requests in COP13 Resolutions with TWAs | STRP22 Doc.5.2 |  |
|  | 5.3 | Advisory requests to STRP for the 57th meeting of the Standing Committee (SC57) |  | [Resolution XIII.15](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii15-cultural-values-and-practices-of-indigenous-peoples-and-local-communities)*: Cultural values and practices of indigenous peoples and local communities and their contribution to climate-change mitigation and adaptation in wetlands*[Resolution XIII.11](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii11-ramsar-advisory-missions): *Ramsar Advisory Missions*[Resolution XII.2](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xii2-the-ramsar-strategic-plan-2016-2024): *The Ramsar Strategic Plan 2016-2024*[Briefing Note 8](https://www.ramsar.org/document/briefing-note-8-ramsar-advisory-missions-technical-advice-on-ramsar-sites): *Ramsar Advisory Missions - Technical advice on Ramsar Sites*[Ramsar Policy Brief 3:](https://www.ramsar.org/document/ramsar-policy-brief-3-ramsar-advisory-missions-a-mechanism-to-respond-to-change-in) *Ramsar Advisory Missions - A mechanism to respond to change in ecological character of Ramsar Sites* |
| 6. | Process and expected outcomes for the week and establishment of TWA groups |  |  |
| 7. | Working groups |  |  |
|  | 7.1 | Methodologies and tools for monitoring and inventory (within TWA 1) |  | [Resolution XIII. 20](file:///%5C%5CChglna03%5Cdata%5CCC98%5CCOMMON%5CSTRP%5CSTRP%202019-2021%5CSTRP22%5CAgenda%5CPromoting%20the%20conservation%20and%20wise%20use%20of%20intertidal%20wetlands%20and%20ecologically-associated%20habitats): *Promoting the conservation and wise use of intertidal wetlands and ecologically-associated habitats*[Resolution XIII.21](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii21-conservation-and-management-of-small-wetlands): *Conservation and management of small wetlands*[Resolution XIII.19](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii19-sustainable-agriculture-in-wetlands-corrected-on-15-february-2019-by): *Sustainable agriculture in wetlands*[Resolution XIII.17](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii17-rapidly-assessing-wetland-ecosystem-services): *Rapidly assessing wetland ecosystem services*[Ramsar Technical Report 10](https://www.ramsar.org/document/ramsar-technical-report-10-the-use-of-earth-observation-for-wetland-inventory-assessment): *The use of Earth Observation for wetland inventory, assessment and monitoring*[Ramsar Policy Brief 2](https://www.ramsar.org/document/ramsar-policy-brief-2-integrating-multiple-wetland-values-into-decision-making): *Integrating multiple wetland values into decision-making* |
|  | 7.2 | Peatlands (within TWA 2) | STRP22 Doc.7.2 | [Resolution XIII.13](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii13-restoration-of-degraded-peatlands-to-mitigate-and-adapt-to-climate-change): *Restoration of degraded peatlands to mitigate and adapt to climate change and enhance biodiversity and disaster risk reduction* |
|  | 7.3 | Blue carbon (within TWA 5) |  | [Resolution XIII.14](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii14-promoting-conservation-restoration-and-sustainable-management-of-coastal): *Promoting conservation, restoration and sustainable management of coastal blue-carbon ecosystems* |
|  | 7.4 | Culture (within TWA 2), gender issues (within TWA 4), and tasks for SC57 |  | [Resolution XIII.18](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii18-gender-and-wetlands): *Gender and wetlands*[Resolution XIII.15](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii15-cultural-values-and-practices-of-indigenous-peoples-and-local-communities): *Cultural values and practices of indigenous peoples and local communities and their contribution to climate-change mitigation and adaptation in wetlands*[Resolution XIII.11](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii11-ramsar-advisory-missions): *Ramsar Advisory Missions*[Resolution XIII.10](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii10-status-of-sites-in-the-ramsar-list-of-wetlands-of-international): *Status of Sites in the Ramsar List of Wetlands of International Importance*[Resolution XII.2](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xii2-the-ramsar-strategic-plan-2016-2024): *The Ramsar Strategic Plan 2016-2024*[Guidance](https://www.ramsar.org/document/guidance-rapid-cultural-inventories-for-wetlands): *Rapid Cultural Inventories for Wetlands* |
|  | 7.5 | Urban and peri-urban wetlands (within TWA 2) and economic valuation of wetlands (within TWA 3) |  | [Resolution XIII. 20](file:///%5C%5CChglna03%5Cdata%5CCC98%5CCOMMON%5CSTRP%5CSTRP%202019-2021%5CSTRP22%5CAgenda%5CPromoting%20the%20conservation%20and%20wise%20use%20of%20intertidal%20wetlands%20and%20ecologically-associated%20habitats): *Promoting the conservation and wise use of intertidal wetlands and ecologically-associated habitats*[Resolution XIII.16](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii16-sustainable-urbanization-climate-change-and-wetlands): *Sustainable urbanization, climate change and wetlands*[Ramsar Policy Brief 2](https://www.ramsar.org/document/ramsar-policy-brief-2-integrating-multiple-wetland-values-into-decision-making): *Integrating multiple wetland values into decision-making* |
| 8. | Global Wetland Outlook |  | [Resolution XIII.8](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii8-future-implementation-of-scientific-and-technical-aspects-of-the): *Future implementation of scientific and technical aspects of the Convention for 2019-2021*[Resolution XIII.14](https://www.ramsar.org/document/resolution-xiii14-promoting-conservation-restoration-and-sustainable-management-of-coastal): *Promoting conservation, restoration and sustainable management of coastal blue-carbon ecosystems*[Resolution XIII. 20](file:///%5C%5CChglna03%5Cdata%5CCC98%5CCOMMON%5CSTRP%5CSTRP%202019-2021%5CSTRP22%5CAgenda%5CPromoting%20the%20conservation%20and%20wise%20use%20of%20intertidal%20wetlands%20and%20ecologically-associated%20habitats): *Promoting the conservation and wise use of intertidal wetlands and ecologically-associated habitats*[*Global Wetland Outlook: State of the World’s Wetlands and their Services to People*](https://www.global-wetland-outlook.ramsar.org/outlook) |
| 9. | Enhancing the utility and use of STRP outputs |  |  |
| 10. | Finalization of draft work plan |  |  |
|  | 10.1 | Consolidation of working group inputs, agreement of priorities and identification of costs |  |  |
|  | 10.2 | Adoption of draft work plan | STRP22 Doc.10.3 |  |
| 11. | Date and venue of the next meeting (STRP23) |  |  |
| 12. | Any other business |  |  |
| 13. | Closing remarks |  |  |