

Value Chain Approach in Caribbean Fisheries

Objective of Workshop:

The objective of the workshop is to build capacity among key government and private sector representatives (small and medium sized enterprises) in the fisheries and aquaculture sector, to promote and use the value chain approach in unlocking the full potential of the sector.

Specifically, the workshop will build capacity of key actors to understand and use the value chain approach to assess key constraints along the value chains and to identify opportunities for investments and other interventions to generate greater returns and to improve overall profitability and sustainability of the industry, which, in turn, will lead to achieving improved management of the supporting natural resource base.

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Training Workshop on Value Chain Approach in Fisheries

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Torarica Hotel
Paramaribo, Suriname*



SURINAME NATIONAL ANTHEM

God zij met ons Suriname.
Hij verheff' ons heerlijk land.
Hoe wij hier ook samen kwamen,
aan zijn grond zijn wij verpand.
Werkend houden w'in gedachten
recht en waarheid maken vrij.
Al wat goed is te betrachten
dat geeft aan ons land waardij.

Opo kondre man oen opo
Sranan gron e kari oen.
Wans ope tata komopo
wi mu seti kondre boen.
Stre def' stre, wi no sa frede
Gado de wi fesi man.
Heri libi te na dede,
wi sa feti gi Sranan.

PROGRAMME

- Chairman:** Mr. Rene Lieveld
Deputy Director of Fisheries
Ministry of Agriculture, Animal
Husbandry and Fisheries
- 09.00 – 09.05 • **National Anthem**
• **Opening Prayer**
- 09.05 – 09.10 **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Mr. D. Kasanmoesdiran
Permanent Secretary
Ministry of Agriculture, Animal
Husbandry and Fisheries, Suriname
- 09.10 – 09.15 **Remarks on behalf of the UNU-FTP**
Mr. Thor Asgeirsson
Marine Research Institute
United Nations University – Fisheries
Training Programme, Iceland
- 09.15 – 09.20 **Remarks on behalf of the CRFM**
Mr. Milton Haughton
Executive Director, CRFM
- 09.20 – 09.30 **Feature Address**
Honourable S. Algoe
Minister of Agriculture, Animal
Husbandry and Fisheries, Suriname
- 09.30 – 09.35 **Vote of thanks**
Mr. Rene Lieveld
Director of Fisheries
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