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Nature-based and other sustainable WASH solutions to Climate Change















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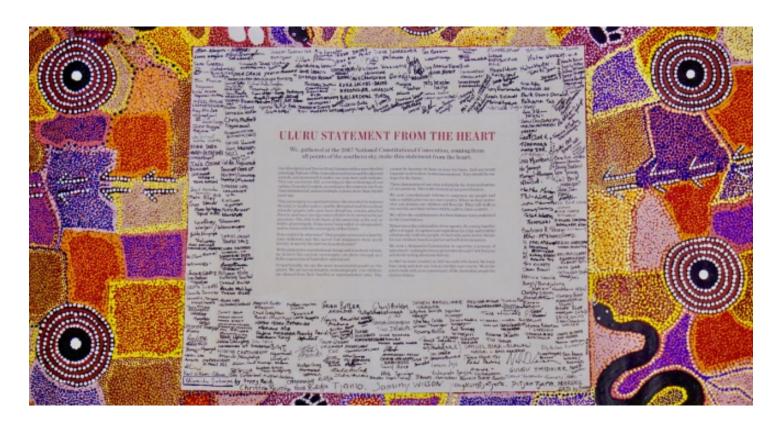




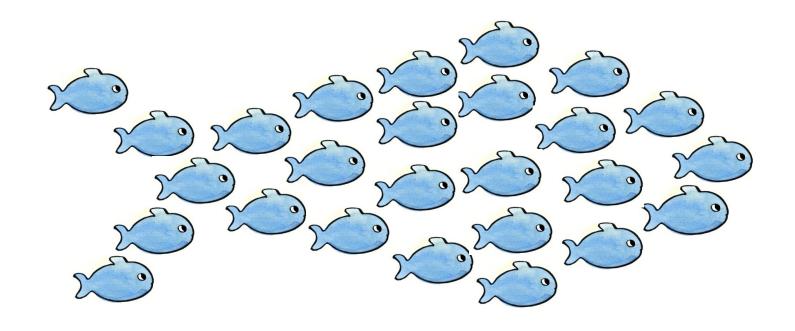




Uluru Statement from the Heart



The sum is more than the parts....



The Australian Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH)

Reference Group

Background: WASH Reference Group (WRG)

- The Australian WASH Reference Group is 15 years old was formed in 2007 as an informal network of organisations working on water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) in developing countries.
- As of 2022 the WRG has 38 members from 27 organisations, including non-government organisations, academic institutions and private consultants
- The WRG is led by an Executive Committee with representatives from: ISF-UTS, Plan, EWB, WaterAid, IWC, Live and Learn, Essential Need, Habitat for Humanity and UWA.



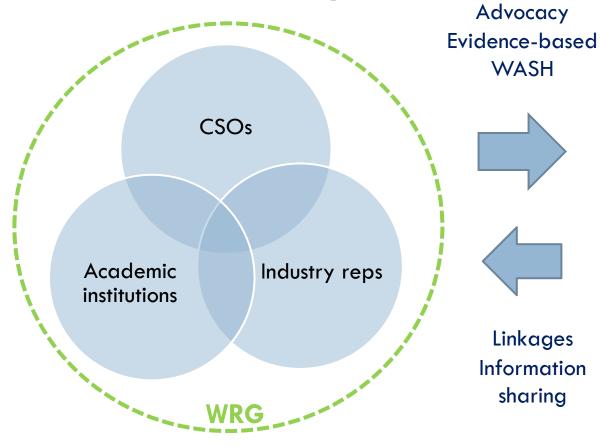
WRG Overall Aims

The long term aim of the group is to "improve Australia's response to the global sanitation, hygiene and water crisis" by seeking to:

- 1. Make water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) a **priority for Australian Government** and development agencies.
- 2. **Mainstream WASH** within the Australian Government's aid and development policy and program.
- 3. Improve the **quality and volume** of Australia's foreign aid for WASH.
- 4. Strengthen the efforts and improve the quality of WASH work of Australian NGOs, academic institutions and the private sector through a Community of Practice, and facilitate learning and sharing amongst this group.



Ways of working



Parliamentarians

DFAT

Broader WASH and International Development Sector

Importance of this partnership model

- Collective voices are a stronger
- Strengthening of WASH policy and practice
- Leveraging skills, strengths and resources across the membership
- Provide DFAT with a direct connection point to CSOs and knowledge and research organisations working in WASH



What are our plans for 2022?

 New Government WASH briefing – the importance of WASH in Australia's approach to foreign affairs, aid and diplomacy

Some key asks:

- Percentage of Australia's aid being spent on WASH is insufficient = need more investment
- Sanitation targets in particular will not be met with current models = need more coherent and evidence-based approaches
- Regional health security cannot be achieved without investment in WASH = WASH prioritised in health security programs
- WASH is a critical ingredient to climate resilience = WASH
 prioritised in climate adaptation policy and practice







What are our plans for 2022?

- 1. Climate Change Learning event (February 2022)
- 2. WASH Symposium (June 2022)
- 3. Resources and information sharing
- 4. Monthly meetings with WRG
- 5. Regular meetings with DFAT
- 6. Planning for longer-term **advocacy** and sector leadership
- 7. Interested in joining? Email Melita Grant or John Kelleher









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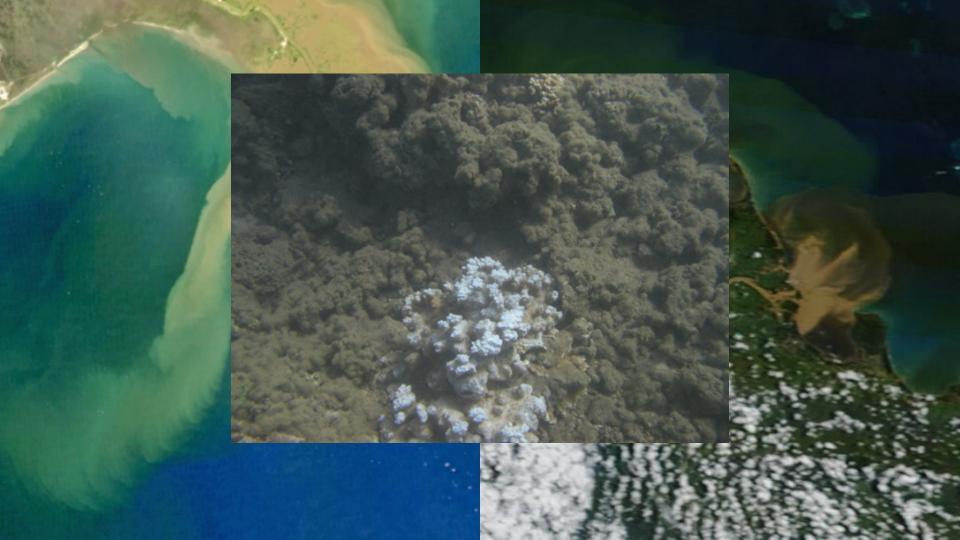


Managing Watersheds for Coral Reefs and Public Health

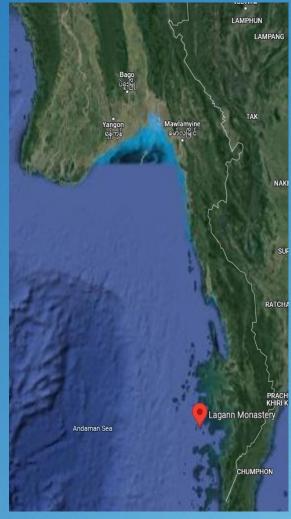
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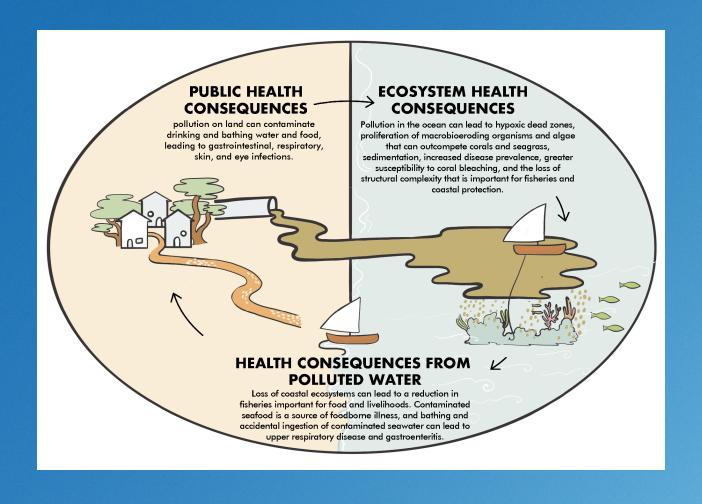




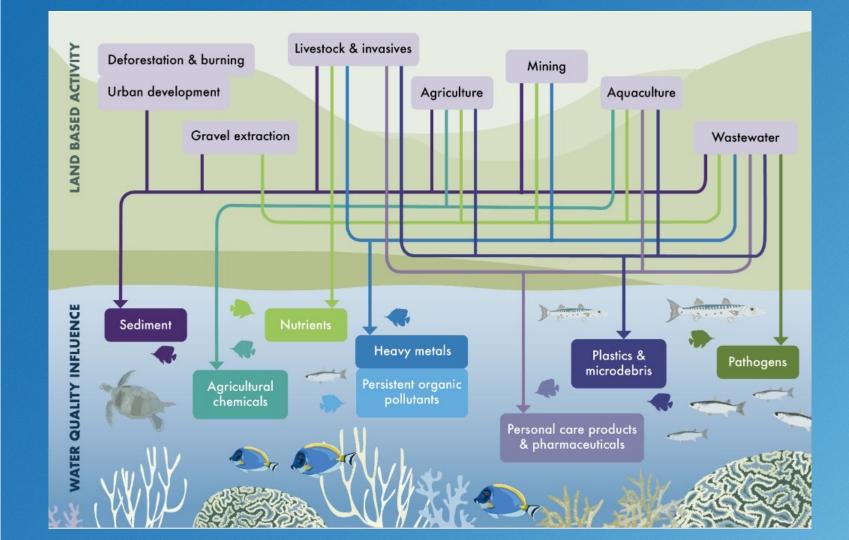




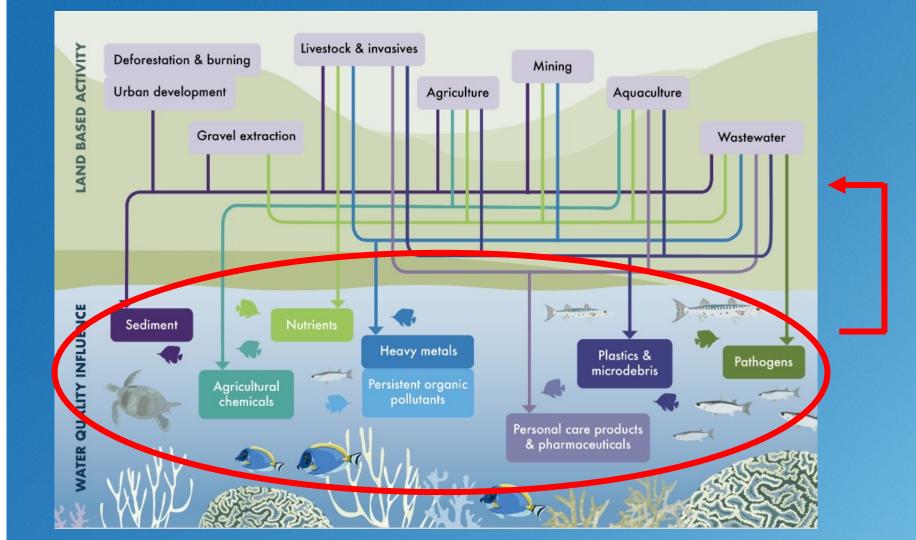
















ECOSYSTEM-BASED MANAGEMENT PLAN

Kubulau District, Bua Province, Fiji

4/30/2012 Wildlife Conservation Society





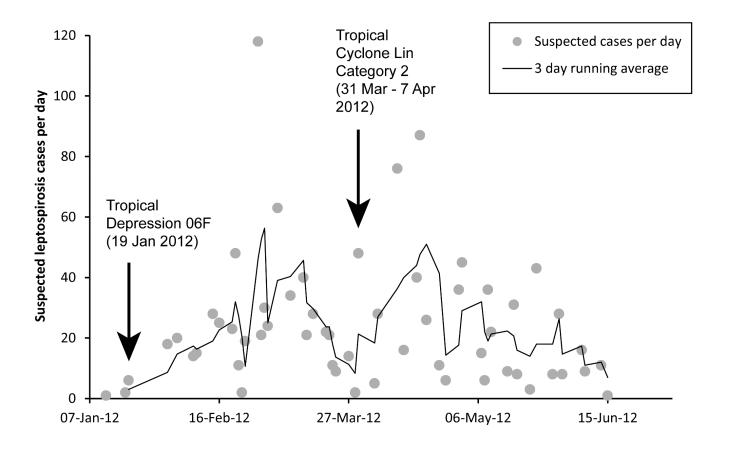






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OPE

Upstream watershed condition predicts rural children's health across 35 developing countries

Diego Herrera^{1,2,9}, Alicia Ellis³, Brendan Fisher^{1,2}, Christopher D. Golden⁴, Kiersten Johnson⁵, Mark Mulligan⁶, Alexander Pfaff⁷, Timothy Treuer⁸ & Taylor H. Ricketts 12







When land-clearing extent reached 40% in our models, drinking water standards exceeded nearly 40% of the time, even if best practices for logging were followed.





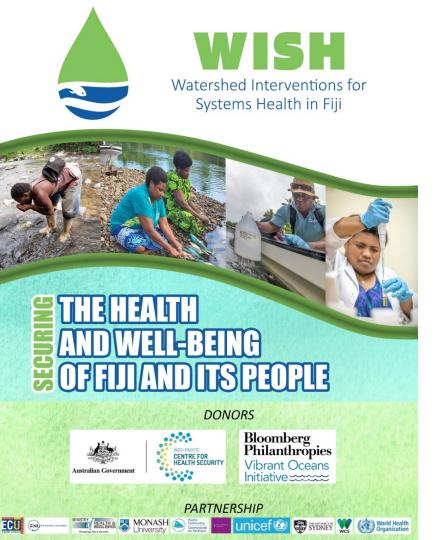






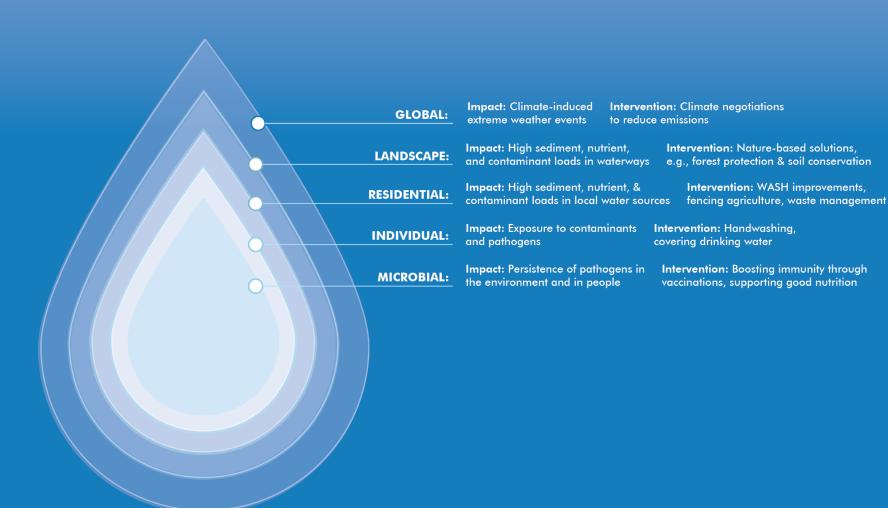
for Systems Health





GOALS:

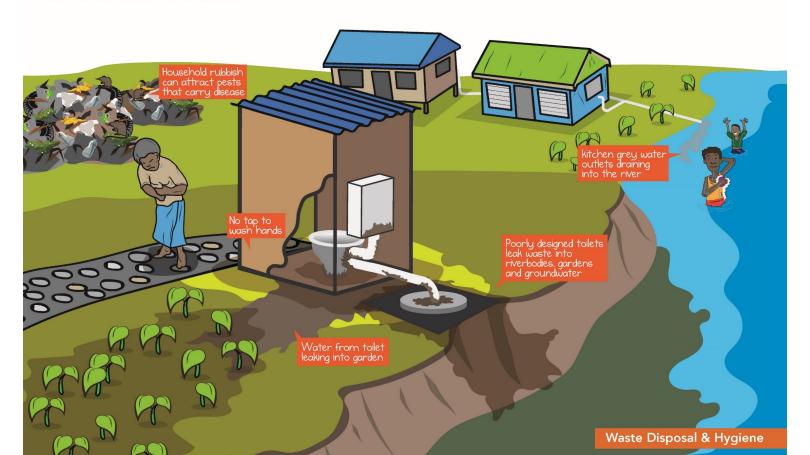
- Reduce the incidence of water-related diseases in people and coral reefs
- Empower communities to access fundamental right to clean water
- Strengthen connections to place
- Develop a coordinated mechanism for systems health governance
- Facilitate approaches to sustainably finance and scale interventions nationally



How we use the land is causing us problems



Poor hygiene and sanitation practices and habits can affect our health















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21 June 2023 Ed Rowe

Climate and Multihazard Disaster Risk Assessment for Tongatapu, Tonga

Pacific Disaster Resilience Program









Outline

Tongan context Overview of approach

- Hazard assessment
- Exposure database and assessment
- Vulnerability assessment
- Risk assessment

Key findings So what?

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Tonga overview

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Nuku'alofa – city mostly ~2m above current sea level.

Vulnerable to SLR, coastal inundation and tsunami, but also pluvial (surface) flooding due to flat topography / limestone.

Estimated 20,000 people regularly affected by flooding.

Vulnerability set to increase due to climate change for SLR, but also high confidence for pluvial flood (rainfall).

Tongatapu – island-wide generally has higher topographic elevation and lower population and infrastructure density toward the south. Why? Ports...

Vulnerable to cyclones and earthquakes.





Project overview

Under the Tonga Integrated Urban Resilience Sector Project (TIURSP), ADB will support the Government to manage current inundation risk and increase the resilience of the Nuku'alofa urban area.

A 'Climate and Disaster Resilient Urban Development Strategy and Investment Plan' will be developed, including a **long-term adaptation pathway for Nuku'alofa** which will enable continued development of the city in a manner **resilient to natural hazards**.

This Climate and Multi-Hazard Disaster Risk Assessment provides the basis for decision making by estimating the cost of damage and number of people and assets at risk to inundation, tsunami, wind, and seismic hazards, including the impact of climate change, at a range of return periods.

Methodology



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Hazard





Storm Surge Pluvial Flooding Tsunami Sea Level Rise Earthquake Wind



Buildings Roads Power Water Populations



Vulnerability Social Vulnerability





Outputs: Maps Loss Estimates Social Impacts Asset Database

To Inform: Planning Investment





Coastal inundation, pluvial flood, tsunami, wind and seismic hazards assessed.

Results include mapped outputs for 10-yr, 50-year, 100-year and 200-year return period probabilistic events.

Further events were determined to inform project outputs (risk).

Sea-level rise influence on coastal and pluvial flood hazards assessed.

Influence of future climate rainfall intensities on pluvial flood hazard assessed.

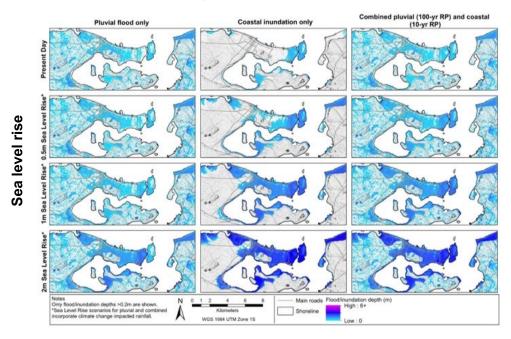
Total of ~220 island-wide mapped hazard scenarios.



Hazard

Comparing different hazards for the same Return Period events with sea level rise

100-year Return Period event

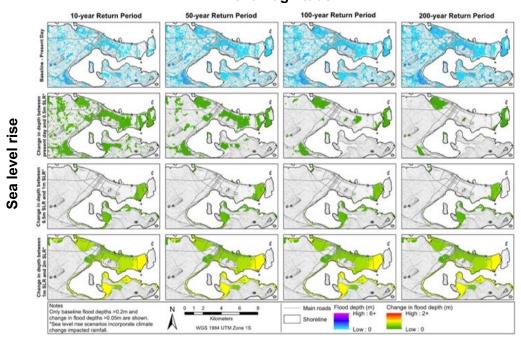




Hazard

Comparing pluvial hazard for different Return Period events and influence of sea level rise

Event magnitude



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Exposure





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Risk

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Buildings: 31,488 (13,856 > 100m2 area) | 2016

Census: 13,096 (households)

Roads: ~250km

Power: 20,000 poles, 373 transformers,

numerous other components

Water: 180 Tanks, 176 Pumps, numerous other

components

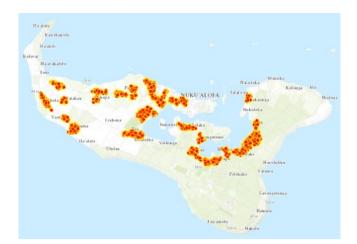
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Climate and Multi-hazard Disaster Risk Assessment for Tongatapu, Tonga Pacific Disaster Resilience Program

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Exposure

Data development mission





Metal sheet roof

Visible timber boards and timber frame

Foundation piers and ground floor height easily identifiable.



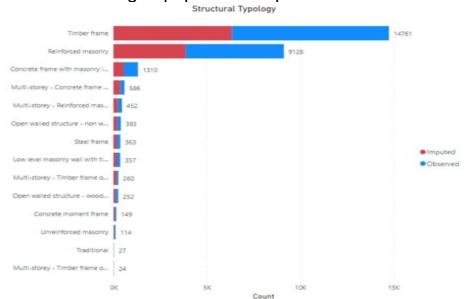
COVID impacted.

Trained local engineers through video workshops.

Digital mapping tools.

8,000 buildings mapped.

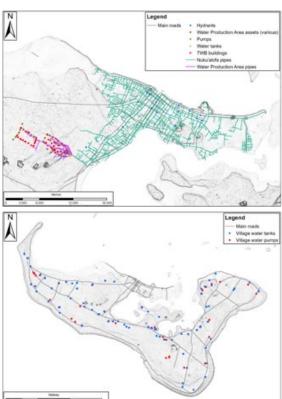
Machine learning to populate complete asset database.



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Exposure

Data development mission



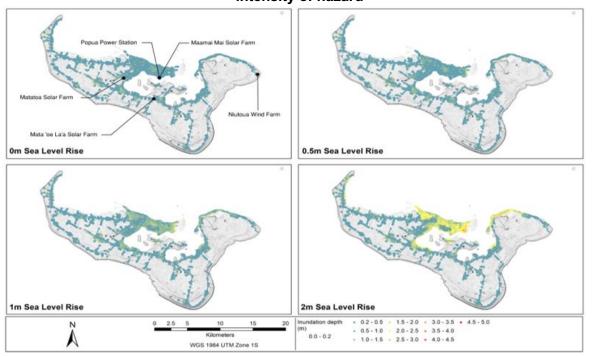
Water assets provided by responsible Ministry and utility with validation and data collection undertaken to compliment existing datasets.



Exposure

Exposure assessment

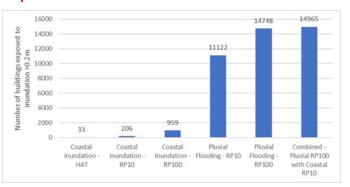
Asset exposure to hazard (pluvial flood and SLR) – intensity of hazard

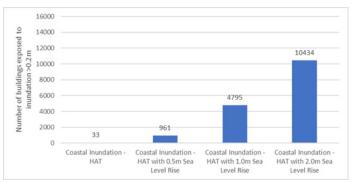


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Exposure

Exposure assessment





Sector	Combined pluvial flooding for a 100-year return period and coastal inundation for a 10-year return period	Combined pluvial flooding for a 100-year return period and coastal inundation for a 10-year return period with 0.5m sea level rise incorporating climate change impacted rainfall	Combined pluvial flooding for a 100-year return period and coastal inundation for a 10-year return period with 1m sea level rise incorporating climate change impacted rainfall	Combined pluvial flooding for a 100-year return period and coastal inundation for a 10-year return period with 2m sea level rise incorporating climate change impacted rainfall
Residential	\$5,012.33	\$5,585.12	\$5,945.44	\$6,201.53
Religion	617.45	688.24	739.58	780.92
Education	542.37	609.93	707.98	730.06
Public (other than education and health)	340.45	390.40	472.12	493.13
Commercial	317.19	355.12	381.52	397.02
Other	241.62	259.70	309.26	331.53
Industrial	109.67	118.64	120.54	123.91
Power	88.55	106.70	136.14	143.10
Health	76.73	82.64	83.13	90.55
Infrastructure	34.15	50.87	73.09	77.27
Transport	27.85	33.07	40.73	45.67
Agricultural	12.03	12.03	12.03	12.03
Water	7.71	8.28	8.43	8.58
Total	\$7,428.09	\$8,300.72	\$9,029.99	\$9,435.30

Top - number of assets exposed for different hazard magnitude.

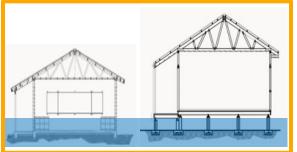
Bottom - value of exposed assets for different hazard magnitude.

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Vulnerability



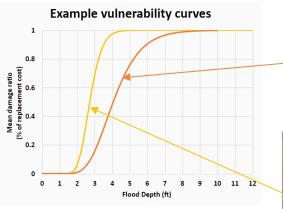


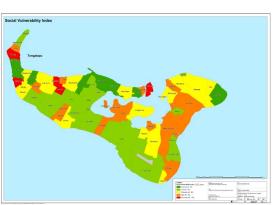
Relationship between damage for each asset type and hazard combination was established.

Indicators established to establish the social vulnerability of each village.



Vulnerability









Social vulnerability considered indicators under the following themes: (data sourced from Census data only)

- Ability to cope
- Access to resources
- Built environment

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Risk





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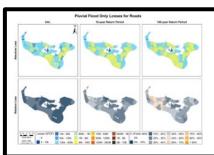
Asset
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Social
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Scenario	Pluvial flood		Coastal inundation		Seismic		Wind	
10-yr	\$541,834,000	4.0%	\$8,557,000	0.1%	\$109,525,000	0.8%	\$242,000	0.0%
50-yr	\$751,986,000	5.6%	\$31,617,000	0.2%	\$683,648,000	5.1%	\$69,519,000	0.5%
100-yr	\$851,097,000	6.3%	\$41,301,000	0.3%	\$1,354,739,000	10.1%	\$206,948,000	1.5%
200-yr	\$959,489,000	7.1%	\$54,206,000	0.4%	\$2,506,186,001	18.7%	\$459,307,000	3.4%
AAL	\$309,978,000	2.3%	\$6,393,000	<0.1 %	\$134,032,000	1.0%	\$10,055,000	0.1%



Risk

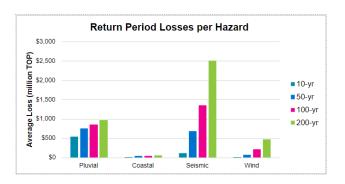
Pluvial flood is most impactful for the AAL and at shorter return periods/more frequent events.

Wind and seismic are more impactful at longer return periods/less frequent events.

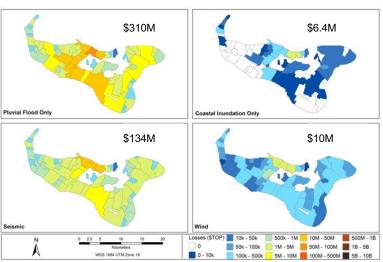
Sea level rise impacts are significant.

Buildings drive losses due to having the greatest volume of assets.

While losses due to damage to water and power are comparatively smaller, the **impacts of disruption** to service may be significant.







Sea level rise:

- Permanent losses under sea level rise are significant
- 0.5m SLR losses (\$756M) are approximately equal to 50-yr pluvial losses (\$752M)
- 1m SLR losses (\$3.3B) are greater than the 200-yr seismic losses (\$2.5B)
- 1m SLR losses are more than 10x the modelled losses for TC Gita (\$300M)



So what?

Informed **disaster risk recovery** after recent volcanic eruption and subsequent tsunami in Tonga.

Informed investment in a new bridge proposed for Tongatapu.

To inform (currently being procured) A 'Climate and Disaster Resilient Urban Development Strategy and Investment Plan' will be developed, including a **long-term adaptation pathway for Nuku'alofa** which will enable continued development of the city in a manner **resilient to natural hazards**.

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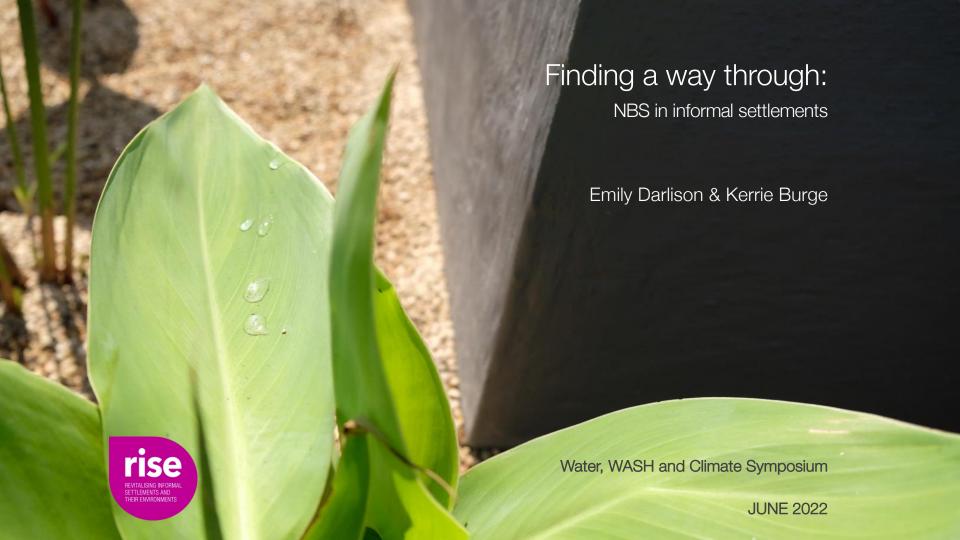


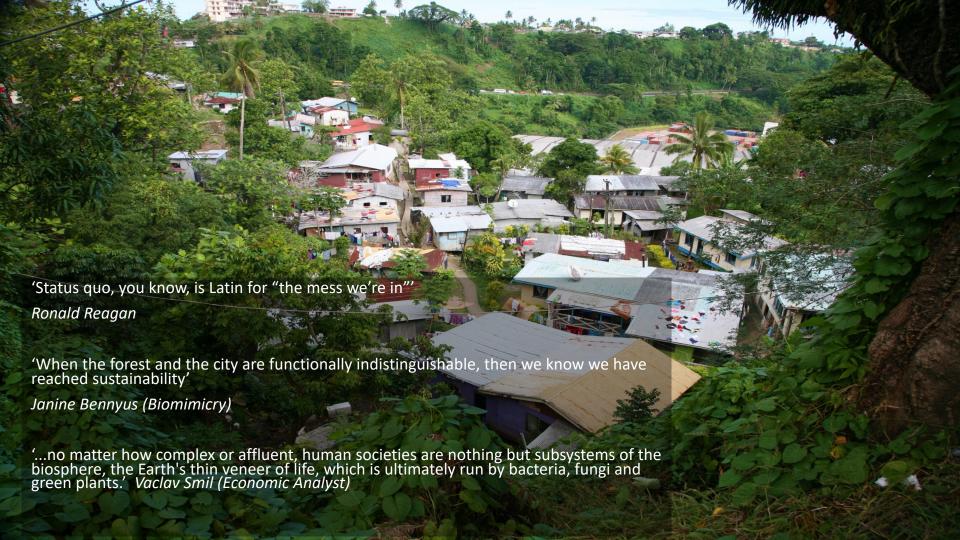
















Challenges

- The not development
- Tenureship
- Sewage in the backyard





Land Owners Build approval Discharge requirements Operational partners i'Taukei Central Municipal Department **Land Trust** Board of Councils Board Department Energy Fiji Ministry of Town Ministry of of Lands Health and Country Planning Department Ministry of Authority of Housing Environment

of Energy

Limited

(EFL)

Water

Fiji

Fiji Roads Authority







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RISE Demonstration Project: MAKASSAR, INDONESIA



Timeline

Participatory Design [2018]



Concept and Detailed Design [2018]



Construction [2019]





Final adjustments [2020]



Commissioning [2020]



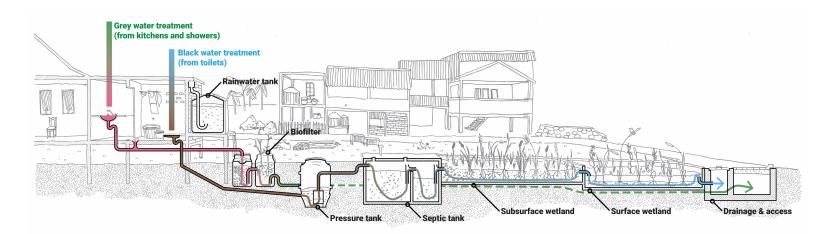
Troubleshooting and weekly WQ monitoring

Quick stats:

- 2 pressure sewer units & controllers
- 3 new toilets
- 13 HH connections
- 40 m2 wetland area
- 3 bioflters
- 9 rainwater tanks
- Servicing ~50 ppl (as of June 2022)
- Formal drainage
- Raised access way
- Designed for future growth

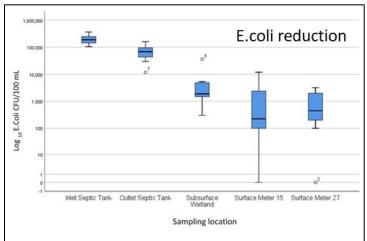














Small scale demonstrations

Demonstrating the performance



ADB President [March 2020]



ADB VPKM Opening ceremony [OCT 2019]



Mayor, Ir.H.Mhd Ramdhan Pomanto Ground breaking [NOV 2018]



BAPPANAS [JAN 2020]



Cipta Karya (Jakarta) [March 2019]



Citarum West Java delegation [FEB 2020]



Dept. Public Works Makassar City [DEC 2020]



KotaKu visit [FEB 2021]



Penny Wong, Foreign Minister [June 2022]

Small scale demonstrations
Building broader support for NBS





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Participatory Approach Residents are partners in design

and planning

Construction Cost Compared to city sewer network

CENTRALISED SANITATION

Proposed sewerage network in Indonesia

USD 4,700 per HH

- wastewater treatment
- household connections

RISE

Demonstration project

USD 5,200 per HH

- wastewater treatment
- household connections

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- rainwater harvesting
- raised access way
- drainage
- sanitation
 - new toilets
 - toilet renovations
 - HH connections
 - treatment
 - system flood resilience

RISE

Engineering estimates for future sites

USD 6,700 per HH (range 4,600 - 9,300)

- wastewater treatment
- household connections

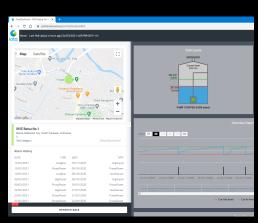
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- water supply
- roads and drainage
- private toilets
- toilet renovations
- flood protection



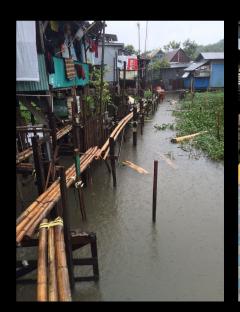






Together, they provide real opportunities to achieve success with NBS.

The Water Sensitive upgrading approach builds climate resilience















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Mariny Chheang
TechDev Project Lead-EWB



















Rehabilitation of Rural Water Supply and Climate Change: Kratie Province, Cambodia



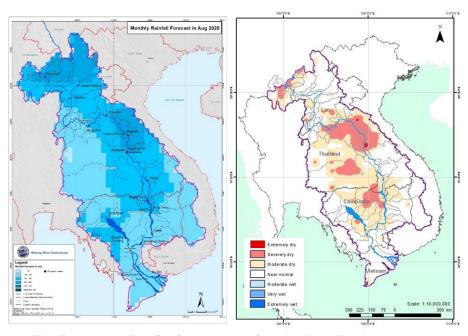


Presenter: Mariny Chheang, TechDev Project Lead-EWB



CLIMATE CONDITIONS

- Climate in Cambodia is hot all year round the temp from 21 to 35°C, with a rainy season from May to mid-Nov and a dry season from mid-Nov to April.
- Cambodia is considered Southeast Asia's most vulnerable country to the effects of climate change, alongside the Philippines.
- Nearly all provinces in Cambodia are affected by climate change.
- Shortages of clean water, extreme flooding, mudslides, higher sea levels and potentially destructive storms are of particular concern, according to the Cambodia Climate Change Alliance.
- Climate change has also had a major impact on water levels, water quality, ecology and productivity of the Tonlé Sap and Mekong River in recent years.



The Forecasted Rainfall from satellite in Aug-Sept 2020 in the LMB. Source: MRD, 2020

Standardised Precipitation Index (SPI) maps for six months from January-July 2020. Source:

MRC, 2020



PROJECT BACKGROUND



2016

Cambodia Rural Development Team installed three Rural Water Supply Systems. The system pumped water to water towers by a network of PVC pipes.

Only 66/839 households in the three RWS stations (Koh Thnoat, Koh Dambong, Ksach Leav) connected and used the water systems for household consumption and home gardening

2019

EWB Solutions for Sustainable Development Intensive (S4SDi) reviewed existing problems with the water system.

Technical issues included:

- supply capacity/weak pressure, storage,
- Damaged pipework both within the household and the distribution infrastructure
- Low capacity to maintain and repair broken pipework,
- Unreliable solar panel power supply,



PROJECT GRANT





- This project was funded by ANCP and;
- 2021-2022, EWB+CRDT were awarded a UNDP Solar-Water Pump grant to improve the clean water supply in Koh Thnot village, and in turn increase sustainable small-scale agricultural production for rural communities through the installation of solar water pumps.



PARTNERS



CRDT formed a partnership with EWB to work on the rehabilitation of rural water supply project. CRDT coordinated the mobilization and the community engagement of the project.



Aurecon Group volunteers to support EWB team on the design of solar water pump and water treatment system.

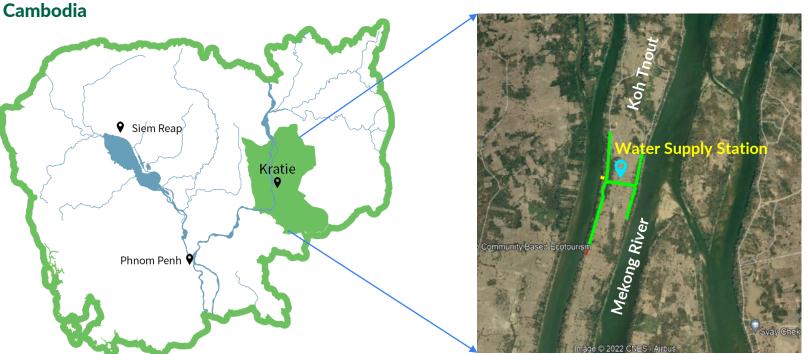


Sevea Consultant (hired by UNDP) provided EWB with training on how to identify customers for the solar water pump, how to create milestone documents and how to create business plans and financially manage the project.



PROJECT LOCATION

Koh Tnout Island in Sambo District, Kratie Province,













GEOGRAPHY OF TARGET AREA

- Koh Tnout is an island surrounded by tributaries of the Mekong River and several other islands.
- The island's total population as of 2020 is 172 families, 802 people and 128 households
- Villagers live alongside the Mekong River.

 Most residents are subsistence famers and fishers. Some are employed in home gardens and animal husbandry.











WATER AND SANITATION CHALLENGES

Environment

- The Mekong River has a steep slope, making it unsafe and difficult to access for the women tasked with water collection.
- Water shortages are common during the dry season
- Water quantity is unpredictable due to dams in Laos and China



Infrastructure

- Community uses unclean water for household consumption and drinking.
- Ceramic filters are being used for drinking water, but they require frequent maintenance to treat river water.
- Community needs water for households consumption, irrigation, home gardening and farming



Consequences

- Insufficient water for raising livestock (requires many trips)
- Water costs hinders farmers from making profit
- The community uses diesel pumps for water collection
- Villagers expend time, energy and money collecting water





EXISTING WATER SUPPLY CHALLENGES

There is no electricity in the village



The plastic tank and steel supports in the water towers are poor quality.



There is insufficient solar power capacity to operate the water system





EXISTING WATER SUPPLY CHALLENGES

PVC pipes are often broken

Existing solar water pumps are not working well

There is a lack of water available for distribution

Water management committees are ineffective











Conceptual Design of Water Supply System Is Operated by Business Activator

Feedwater is pumped from the Mekong river by the submersible solar water pump



Untreated water will be pumped to the water treatment plant (WTP)

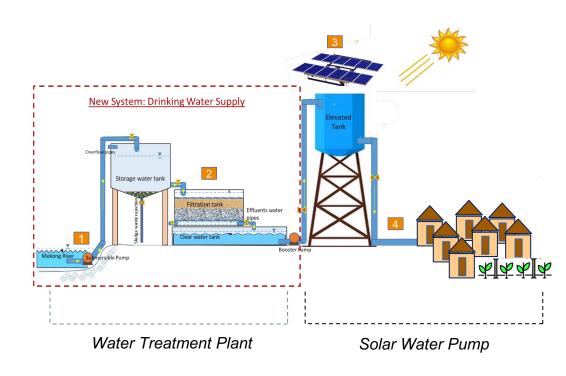


Clear water pump to pump water from treatment plant to elevated tank



Water is released from elevated tank through gravity distribution

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Solutions: Install Good Quality of Pipe Distribution Network

The HDPE pipe network stretches 3120m



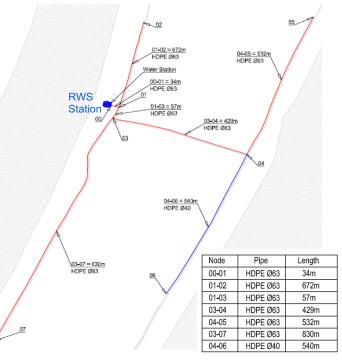
Pipe transportation and installation activities







Map of the pipe network





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Solutions: Increase Power Capacity of Solar Power System







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Table of Specification of solar tech materials and electrical load list

Item	Value	
Solar support structure	Fixed-tilt	
Minimum solar capacity	7.2kWp	
Minimum daily solar	18kWh at the	
generation	end of life	
Minimum battery and hybrid	4.5kW continuous	
inverter power rating		
Minimum battery capacity	8.8kWh usable	
	at the end of life	
Tech spec compliance	Required	
Solar panel minimum	20 years	
performance warranty		
Battery warranty	5 years	
Inverter warranty	5 years	
Installation warranty	5 years	
Remote/online monitoring	Optional	



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Solutions: Replace The Broken Plastic Tank and Raw Water Pump



Replaced one broken plastic tank of capacity 5000L to ensure water has sufficient quantity and pressure to supply in each households



Motor 1Hp Three Phase

Model: 4ST10-5

Voltage: 220V/50Hz,60Hz Power: 750W (1Hp)

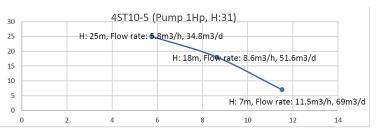
Max. Flow rate: 14.4m³/h Max. Head: 31m

Max. Head: 31m Outlet Size: 60mm Diameter: 4" (101.6mm)

Heat shrinkable tube for cable connection

1.5m cable with MC4 connector

Water level sensors





Improve Water Quality: Prototyping of Water Treatment System

Prototyping for water treatment system with concept of lamella clarifier and sand filter

- Measure flowrate
- Measure quality of inlet/outlet water
- Determine the infiltration rate of the media
- Determine the dosing rate of PaCl for flocculation



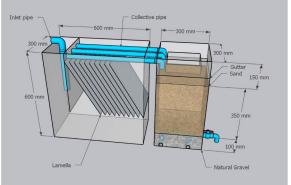
pH/EC/TDS/ Temperature Meter

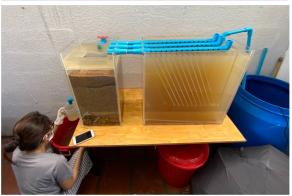


Turbidity test



Chemical dose rate test (PaCl)





Prototyping of water treatment system



Process Design Basic: Water Treatment Plant

On-going the process design of water treatment plant

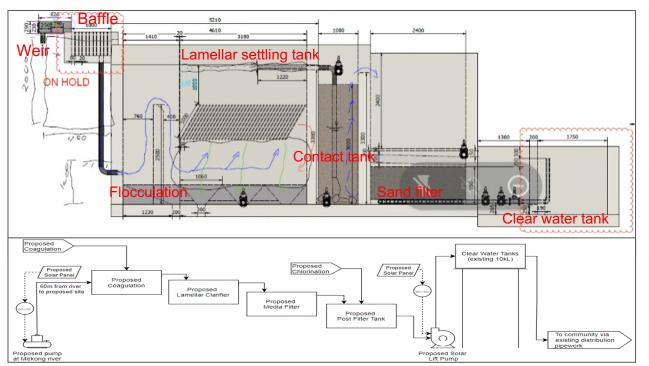


Table of WTP capacity summary

Parameter	Unit	Value
Operating Time	hr	8
Average Daily Demand	kL/d	79.2
Plant Recovery (Estimated)	%	90
Capacity		
Design Average	kL/h	10
Peak	kL/h	11
Minimum	kL/h	9



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Future Scaling Up

Feasibility Study

- Geographical area
- Economic cost benefit analysis
- Technical (Risk Assessment and Solutions)
- Operational (Control efficiency and services
- Schedule (timeline estimation and optimizing resources)

Marketing Plan

- Situation analysis
- ✓SWOT
- √ Product offering
- Marketing strategies
- ✓ Market segmentation
- √Targeting strategies
- √ Positioning strategies
- Marketing program
- √ Product decision
- √ Price decision
- √ Marketing communication decision
- ✓ Channel decisions

Technical Plan

- Identify raw water source
- Pumping
- Energy
- Infrastructure
- Pipe distribution network





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Coming up.....

Tuesday

Building equality into climate resilience – *starting in half an hour*

Registrations open until an hour before sessions start washfutures.com **Nednesday**

Water management to alleviate water-mediated disasters Stories from Practice Exhibition (Remo) Early Career Professional Session (for <35 year-olds!)

Thursday

Partnerships for scaling up private sector investment in WASH

Closing Panel: Collaborating across sectors for local water security











