Report from CBC-12

1 - Report on the UIC-CBC CFP

The CBC noted that for any such future calls, a better terminology would be “Call for Participation”.

The outcome of the CFP process should be recognised as a significant achievement in itself.

The process therefore needs to be continued / reinforced, including, supporting the proposer in engaging with donors, updating their proposals, etc.

However, the GEO Community also faces a challenge to find the resources to match the aspirations of the proposers, as this CFP has raised expectations.

A common theme emerging from the proposals is the need for access to data.
2 - 2012-2015 Work Plan

In order to come to a common view on the structure of the 2012-2015 GEO Work Plan, the CBC will continue to develop the CB Strategic Roadmap as input to the discussions on the development of the Work Plan.

- this roadmap seeks to ensure the necessary CB tasks and activities are in place to meet the Strategic Targets: GEOSS Implementation by 2015.

As a part of this exercise, the GEOSec mapped CB tasks to other OATs. This exercise could be useful for other parts of the Work Plan.
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2 - 2012-2015 Work Plan (continued)

The CBC recognises that it is critical to find the proper mechanism(s) to ensure the implementation of effective cross-cutting links between ALL OATs, sub-tasks and ALL Committee activities, (ADC, CBC, STC & UIC).

(I.e., better co-ordination and communication.) The CBC will also reflect on the possible benefits of a revised structure for 2012-2015 WP. Sub-tasks could for example, reflect concepts, e.g. summer schools, training networks, etc., rather than be listed under individual sub-tasks.
CB Tasks - Questions for Discussion

1 - Should the task go on?
2 - What is needed for the 2011 Work Plan?
   - More help required?
   - More awareness?
   - More support from GEO / GEOSec?
3 - Do we anticipate something from the task to showcase at Ministerial Exhibition?
4 - Actions needed from today - November?
5 - Other considerations?
CB-09-01: Resource Mobilisation

1 - Should the task go on: YES

2 - What is needed for the 2011 Work Plan?
   - More help required: Will mostly come through the GEONETCab project. Also extra Co-Lead (South Africa) volunteered.
   - More awareness: Will come through GEONETCab
   - More support from GEO: From GEO, identification of resources providers linked to UIC/CBC CFP outcome. Expectations have been raised!

3 - Do we anticipate something from the task to showcase at Ministerial Exhibition: UIC/CBC CFP

4 - Actions needed from today - November:
   Inventory of existing capacity Q3; Prototype Toolkit for awareness Q4; Report on Indicators.
CB-09-02: Individuals

1 - Should the task go on? YES

2 - What is needed for the 2011 Work Plan?

   Sub-task CB-09-02d, “CBERS/ GEO Capacity Building Network”, should be merged into CB-09-05e, “Data Democracy”.

4 - Actions needed from today – November:

   Updated task sheet is required for CB-09-05e.
CB-09-03: Institutions

1 – Should the task go on: YES.

2 – What is needed for the 2011 Work Plan?
   Possibly revise the OAT description to bring it in-line with the provisional CB Strategic Roadmap.
   Note, CB-09-03b, “Establishing Regional Capacity Building Networks”, has strong overlaps with some ADC tasks.

3 – Do we anticipate something from the task to showcase at Ministerial Exhibition: Op. oceanographic applications.

4 – Actions needed from today – November: Work Plan and Task Sheets to be updated
CB-09-04: Needs & Gap Assmt

1 – Should the task go on: YES.

2 – What is needed for the 2011 Work Plan?
   Possibly revise the OAT description to bring it in-line with the provisional CB Strategic Roadmap.
   - **More help required:** CB-09-04b - Austria, Brazil, Cameroon, USA and IEEE volunteered.

3 – Do we anticipate something from the task to showcase at Ministerial Exhibition: CB-09-04b performance indicators

4 – Actions needed from today - November: Work Plan and Task Sheets to be updated.
   Follow CB-09-04b timeline on performance indicators.
   All WP This needs TASK LEADS TO RESPOND TO REQUESTS from the Perf. Indicators sub-task leads.

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CB-09-05: Infrastructure

1 – Should the task go on: YES.

2 – What is needed for the 2011 Work Plan?
   Merge CB-09-05a into 09-05e, “Data Democracy”. INPE will Co-lead CB-09-05e together with CEOS.
   – More help required: Actually need better co-ordination within CB-09-05e.

3 – Do we anticipate something from the task to showcase at Ministerial Exhibition: Increased GCI registrations. SERVIR.

4 – Actions needed from today – November: Work Plan and Task Sheets to be updated.
CB-10-01: Outreach & Awareness

1 – Should the task go on: YES.

2 – What is needed for the 2011 Work Plan?
   
   More help required: Somebody to work with teenagers under CB-10-01a, “EO game for Youth”.
   
   More awareness: Always looking for articles for Earthzine

3 – Do we anticipate something from the task to showcase at Ministerial Exhibition: Possible game demos? Earthzine interviews with Ministers. Atlas of the changing ENV.
GEO Ministerial – CB Showcase

3-5 minute video on “food security” (and fisheries?). Features / focuses on PEOPLE.
Possible examples:
1 - Early Warning in Africa;
2 - Water Management in India;
3 - Locust Monitoring in the Sahel;
4 - Crop Yield Prediction in South America.
GEO Ministerial – CB Exhibition

Possible contributors:
1 - Type III (demo proposals) UIC/CBC CFP proposals
2 - Success stories
3 - GEONETCast, Data Democracy
4 - Countries and PO

Submissions requested over the upcoming 2 weeks.
CBC has initiated a Task Force to work on a possible CB stand in the GEO Exhibition.
Thank You