

**Workshop for Staff of Regional Civil Society Organizations  
Tokatoka Resort, Nadi, Fiji, 18-21 December 2007  
PIANGO / ADB RETA 6319**

Theme: Assisting Regional CSOs in developing capacity to make policy interventions in relation to the Pacific Plan

Facilitators: Dr Steven Ratuva, USP  
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**Workshop Program**

**Tuesday 18 December 2007**

6.00 pm Registration

7.00 pm Welcome Dinner and Opening of the Workshop by PIANGO  
(including presentation by Dr Steven Ratuva on the purpose and context of the workshop, and introductory discussion with participants)

9.00 pm End – Day 1

**Wednesday 19 December 2007**

9.00 am “What works” in development  
- presentation by David Hamilton  
- group discussion

10.30 am Morning tea

11.00 am Engagement between Civil Society and PIFS  
- presentation by Panel, and group discussion

12.30 pm Lunch

2.00 pm Policy formulation and analysis  
- presentation by David Hamilton  
- group discussion

3.30 pm Afternoon tea

4.00 pm Pulling together conclusions reached in today’s sessions  
- “What works” in development  
- Engagement between Civil Society and PIFS  
- Policy formulation and analysis

5.00 pm End – Day 2

### **Thursday 20 December 2007**

- 9.00 am Participatory processes in developing CSO positions  
- presentation by Dr Steven Ratuva  
- group discussion
- 10.30 am Morning tea
- 11.00 am Advocacy  
- presentation by Dr Steven Ratuva  
- group discussion
- 12.30 pm Lunch
- 2.00 pm Case studies in the context of the Pacific Plan  
- presentation by David Hamilton and Dr Steven Ratuva  
- group discussion
- 3.30 pm Afternoon tea
- 4.00pm Pulling together conclusions reached in today's sessions  
- Participatory processes in developing CSO positions  
- Advocacy  
- Case studies in the context of the Pacific Plan
- 5.00 pm End – Day 3

### **Friday 21 December 2007**

- 9.00 am Monitoring of regional activity  
- presentation by Dr Steven Ratuva  
- group discussion
- 10.15 am Morning tea
- 10.45 am ADB and Civil Society Organizations  
- presentation by David Hamilton  
- group discussion
- 11.30 am Wrap-up session  
- finalising conclusions reached at the workshop
- 12.00 noon Closing of the workshop by PIANGO