

Provisional Program of Activities for Ready, COTS ExtrACTION Forum

Hybrid (via Zoom and Face to face)

May 2, 2022

| Time | Topic | Resource Speaker |
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| 8:30 - 9:00 AM | Registration | CMD/RXII Secretariat |
| 9:00 - 9:15 AM | Opening Preliminaries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prayer • National Anthem | Host |
| 9:15 - 9:30 AM | Opening Remarks | Ms. Natividad Y. Bernardino OIC Director, BMB |
| 9:30 - 9:45 AM | Presentation 1: Overview and status of the Philippines' Coastal and Marine Ecosystems | Ms. Armida P. Andres Chief, CMD |
| 9:45 - 10:10 AM | Presentation 2: Biology and Ecology of Crown-of-Thorns Starfish (COTS), including proper handling of COTS | Dr. Ciemon Caballes James Cook University |
| 10:10 - 10:30 AM | Presentation 3: Sharing of Experiences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning from Crown of Thorns Outbreak in the Philippines | Dr. Victor S. Ticzon University of the Philippines Los Banos |
| 10:30 - 10:40 AM | Break | |
| 10:40 - 11:00 AM | Presentation 4: Sharing of Experiences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Management interventions of Sarangani Bay Protected Seascape Protected Area Management Office (PAMO) | PASu Joy Ologuin Sarangani Bay Protected Seascape, Protected Area Management Office (PAMO) |
| 11:00 - 11:20 AM | Presentation 5: Sharing of Experiences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local communities' perspective in addressing the proliferation of COTS | Mr. Jose Mazo Siete Pecados, Palawan |
| 11:20 - 11:40 AM | Open Forum | |
| 11:40 - 11:55 AM | Call to ACTION! <i>Citizen Science</i> : A tool in engaging the public in addressing the COTS infestation | Ms. Desiree Eve Maano Chief, CMEMS |
| 11:55 - 12:00 NN | Closing | Ms. Maria Elvira V. Lumayag PENRO Sarangani |