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| **Theme:****Regional Challenges, Regional Solutions, Global Outcomes:** **Using Mediation to Resolve Environment and Climate Change Disputes****CONFERENCE PROGRAMME** |  |
| **SUNDAY 18th AUGUST 2024**  |  |
| 09:30-12:00  | APMF Executive Committee Meeting (Attendance by invitation only)  | *Grand Papua 15th Floor* |
| 12:30-13:30  | Joint APMF Steering Committee and Local Organising Committee Members Lunch with the Chief Justice (attendance by invitation only)  | *Grand Papua 15th Floor*  |
| 14:00-16:00  | Pick up from Official Hotels to APEC Haus for registration  |  |
| 14:30-18:00  | Registration | *APEC Haus* |
| 18:30: 20:30  | Conference Welcome Reception- hosted by Papua New Guinea Judiciary at the APEC Haus  |  *APEC Haus*  |
| 20:30  | Pick up from APEC HAUS for Drop Off at Official Hotels  |  |
| **MONDAY 19th AUGUST 2024**  |  |
| 08:00  | Pick up from Official Hotels to APEC Haus  |  |
| 08:00  | Registration continues  | *APEC Haus*  |
| 08:30  | Delegates and Guests to be seated  | *APEC Haus*  |
| 09:00-10:30 | **Session 1: Opening Ceremony: Main Conference Hall****Master of Ceremonies: Michael Henao, In House Counsel, Digicel (PNG) Limited, Papua New Guinea*****Announces*** *Procession of the Flags by Students from Port Moresby Grammar School Cultural Performances****Outlines Conference Program*** 1. **Welcome** by Chief Sir Gibuma Gibbs Salika GCL KBE CSM OBE, Chief

Justice of Papua New Guinea 1. **Welcome** and brief history of APMF by Professor Dr. Dale Bagshaw, President of the APMF
2. **Welcome Opening of Conference** by theHon. James Marape, MP, Prime Minister of Papua New Guinea
 | *APEC Haus*  |
| 10:30 -11:00  | **CONFERENCE PHOTOGRAPH FOLLOWED BY TEA BREAK**  |   |
| 11:00-12:30  | **Session 2: Keynote Speech: Main Conference Hall** ***“******Climate Change Emergency an Existential Threat Challenges and Solutions”******1. Advancing Environmental Rule of Law through Courts and Tribunals: Global***  ***Trends and Opportunities****Speaker:* *Mr. Andrew Raine, Deputy Director, Law Division,* *UNEP, Kenya****2. Special Presentation on the State of the Rule of Law****Speaker: Dr. Srirak Plipat, Asia Pacific Regional Director, World Justice Project***Co-Chairs:**1. *Hon. Justice Ambeng Kandakasi CBE, Deputy Chief Justice, Papua New Guinea*
2. *Dr. Peter Maynard, President, Commonwealth Lawyers Association (CLA), Managing Partner, Peter D Maynard and Co, The Bahamas*
 | *APEC Haus*  |
| 12:30-13:30  | **LUNCH**  | *APEC Haus*  |
| 13:30-15:00  | **Session 3: Panel Session: Main Conference Hall**   |  |
| ***“******Role of Judges and Courts as Gate keepers in Climate Change and Environment Litigation and Mediation”***1. ***“Delivering environmental justice through the Judicial Process”****Speaker:*

*Judge Mugeni Siwale Mulenga, Judge of the Constitutional Court, Zambia*1. ***“Delivering environmental justice through other Adjudication Schemes”***

*Speaker:* *John McKendrick, KC, Outer Temple Chambers, Deputy English High Court Judge, part time Circuit Judge, International Arbitrator and Mediator, UK**Co-Chairs:* *1. Hon. Acting Chief Justice Petunia Tupo, Supreme Court, Tonga**2. Hon. Justice Berna Collier, Justice of the Federal Court of Australia, Justice of National and Supreme Court, Papua New Guinea*  | *APEC Haus* |
| 15:00-15:15 | **TEA BREAK**  | *APEC Haus*  |

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| 15:15-17:00  | **Session 4: Parallel Sessions**  | APEC Haus |
| **Session 4A**: **VIP Holding Room - Ground Floor**  | **Session 4B: APEC Conference Room -Ground Floor**  | **Session 4C: Leaders Working Lunchroom - Level 1**  |
| **The Role of Lawyers in Climate Change Litigation and Mediation:***Speakers:*1. *Mr. Mark Fenhalls KC, Barrister, 23 ES, UK*
2. *Ms. Shanta Martin, Barrister, Business and Human Rights specialist and Mediator, Victoria, Australia*
3. *Dr. Peter Maynard KC, President CLA, Managing Partner, Peter D Maynard and Co, The Bahamas*

***Co-Chairs***:1. *Hon. Justice Colin Makail, Supreme and National Courts, Papua New Guinea and Court of Appeal, Nauru*
2. *Ms. Ethel Heagi, Senior Associate, Lawyer, Ashurst Lawyers, Papua New Guinea*
 | ***Expanding the mediators tool kit for resolution of environment and climate change related disputes****:*1. ***Using Science for effective resolution of environment***

 ***and climate change related disputes****Speaker:* President Peta Stilgoe, President, Land Court, Queensland, Australia 1. ***Using Creative Arts for resolution of environment and climate change related disputes.***

*Speaker:* *Dr. Charalee Graydon, Eucid University, The Republic of Gambia.**3****. Women mediators in environment and climate change disputes – locally rooted Globally Connected – Why it Matters****”**Speaker:* *Ms. Visaka Dharmadasa, Chairperson,* *Association of War Affected Women, Sri Lanka.****Co-Chairs:*** 1. *Hon. Justice Oagile Bethuel Key Dingake, Supreme and National Courts, Papua New Guinea*
2. *Mr. Andrew Kwimberi, Lawyer/Mediator, Papua New Guinea*
 | ***Impact of Climate Change on the Elderly, Children Indigenous Peoples:******1. Elder Mediation: Addressing the impact of climate change on older people and their families****Speaker:* *Professor Dale Bagshaw, President APMF, University of South Australia, Australia**2.* ***Intergenerational Climate Justice and children's rights****Speaker:**Ms. Fiona Ey, Council Member CLA, Lawyer, PNG Consul-General, Samoa**3.* ***Pacific customary dispute resolution as a blueprint for mediation of environmental disputes****Speakers:**1. Ms. Nynette Nelson, Samoa**2. Ms. Fiona Ey, Council Member CLA, Lawyer, PNG Consul-General, Samoa****Co-Chairs****:*1. *Mr. Ronald Prakash, Registrar, Nauru*
2. *Mr. Nicholas Mirou, Deputy Executive Director, PNGCJE, Papua New Guinea*
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| 17:05  | Pick up from APEC Haus for Drop Off at Official Hotels |  |
| 18:00  | Pick up from Official Hotels to APEC Haus |  |
| 18:30: 21:30  | Welcome Reception Dinner hosted by Hon. Pila Niningi, Minister of Justice and Attorney General, Papua New Guinea | *APEC HAUS* |
| 21:30  | Pick up from APEC HAUS for Drop Off at Official Hotels  |  |

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| **TUESDAY 20th AUGUST 2024**  |  |
| 08:00  | Pick up from Official Hotels to APEC HAUS  |  |
| 09:00-10:30 | **Session 5: Panel Session - Main Conference Room** | APEC Haus |
|   | ***Appropriate Forums for Resolution of Environment and Climate Change related Disputes****1.* ***Appropriate resolution of environment related disputes: Framing the Forum to fit the fuss****Speakers:* *Hon. Chief Justice Brian Preston, New South Wales Land and Environment Court, Australia****2. The case for resolution of Environment and Climate Change Related Disputes by Mediation****Speakers:* *1. Judge Laurie Newhook, Retired Chief Judge, Environment Court, New Zealand, Chief Freshwater Commissioner, New Zealand, Alternate Environment Judge of New Zealand Environment Court, New Zealand* *2. Mr. Brian Speers, former President CLA, Managing partner of CMG Cunningham Dickey Solicitors, Northern Ireland, United Kingdom****Co- Chairs:*** *1. Hon. Justice Joseph Yagi, Supreme and National Courts, Papua New Guinea**2. Justice John McKendrick KC, Outer Temple Chambers, Deputy English High Court Judge, part time Circuit Judge, International Arbitrator and Mediator, UK* |  |
| 10:30-11:00 | **TEA BREAK** |  |

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|  | **Session 6: Parallel Sessions:** | *APEC Haus* |
| 11:00- 12:30 | **Session 6A: VIP Holding Room – Ground Floor** | **Session 6B: APEC Conference Room – Ground Floor** | **Session 6C: Leaders Working Lunchroom - Level 1** |
|  |  ***Policing and Enforcing Environment Rule of law through use of technology and mediation***1. ***Environmental governance indicators in Asia Pacific context***

*Speaker:* *Dr. Srirak Plipat, Asia Pacific Regional Director, World Justice Project*1. ***Eco-Cop: Environmental Policing and Police Mediation (The European Experience)***

*Speaker:**Dr. Antonio Berlanga, Police Inspector, Valencia Police, Spain*1. ***Environmental protection through the mediation tool: Experience in Spain and European Union***

Speaker:Professor Virginia Pardo Iranzo, University of Valencia, Spain***Co- Chairs:*** *1. Hon. Justice Jacqueline N. Kamau, Presiding Judge, High Court, Kenya*2. *Hon. Justice Derek Wood, Supreme and National Court, Papua New Guinea* | ***Use of Mediation in large scale projects****1.* ***The craft of mediating environmental disputes****Speaker:* *Ms. Susan Dixon, Senior Commissioner of the Land and Environment Court of NSW**2.* ***Ensuring cultural input in ADR of mining disputes****Speaker:* *Dr. Judith Preston, Deputy Co-Chair, Environment Law Committee, LAWASIA, Chairperson John Mac Foundation* *3. “****The Role of Multi-Lateral Development Banks in supporting dispute resolution mechanisms to improved development and rule of law outcomes”*** *Speaker:* *Mr. Said Zaidansyah, Papua New Guinea Country Director, ADB, Papua New Guinea****Co-Chairs:*** *1. Hon. Justice Vergil Narakobi, Supreme and National Courts, Papua New Guinea**2. Mr. Nicodemus Mosoro, Secretary National Judicial Staff Service, Papua New Guinea* | ***“The Dynamics in Multi-Party Disputes and mediation in Environment and Climate Change Disputes***:1. **“The Asymmetry of power in co-governance processes**”

Speaker:Dr. Paul Gibson, Principal, Gibson ADR and Executive Director of the Centre for Conflict Management, Australia1. **“Federal Court native title mediation practice: First Nation – led Mediation Process Design”**

Speaker:Mr. Simon Grant, Judicial Registrar, Federal Court, Australia3. ***“Indigenous Australians titled claims and Papua New Guinean customary landowner mediations, similarities, differences and lessons”***Speaker:Mr. Craig Jones, Director, RREDD, Mediator and trainer, Papua New Guinea and Australia***Co-Chairs:****1. His Worship Mark Pupaka, Chief Magistrate, Papua New Guinea**2. Mr. Michael Wagambie, Lawyer, Lecturer,* University of Papua New Guinea |
| 12:30-13:30 | **LUNCH** | *APEC Haus*  |

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|  | **Session 7: Parallel Sessions:** |  |
| 11:00- 12:30 | **Session 7A: VIP Holding Room – Ground Floor** | **Session 7B: APEC Conference Room – Ground Floor** | **Session 7C: APEC Conference Room – Ground Floor** |
|  |  *“Use of technology saving on the environment and expediting dispute resolution”*1. ***The PNG Judiciary Project: reduction of carbon footprint and enabling prompt resolution of environment and clate change disputes***

*Speakers:* *1. Hon. Justice Ambeng Kandakasi, Deputy Chief Justice, Papua New Guinea**2. Mr. Khachatur Matevosyan, Vice President, Justice, Synergy International Systems, Inc., Armenia* *3. Dr. Levon Kirakosyan, Senior IT Project Manager, Synergy International Systems, Inc., Armenia*2***. Cross Border Disputes and Online Mediation: Challenges and solutions****Speaker:* *Mr. Antony Lo Surdo, SC, Barrister/Arbitrator/Mediator, Court of Arbitration for Sport, Australia****Co-Chairs:*** *1. Deputy Chief Magistrate Josephine Kilage, Magisterial Services, Papua New Guinea**2. Mr. Tony O’Gorman, Mediator, Papua New Guinea and Australia* | “Recent developments in climate change and environmental law”***1. “Kenya’s newest legislative landscape for carbon trading, making ecocide a crime and others”*** *Speaker:* *Hon. Justice Jacqueline N. Kamau, Presiding Judge, High Court, Kenya***2*. “Current Challenges and future opportunities in climate change litigation and dispute resolution”***Speaker: *Kaye A. Williams, President of Barbados Bar Association****Co-Chairs:****1. Ms. Shanta Martin, Barrister, Business and Human Rights specialist and Mediator, Victoria, Australia**2. Mr. David Denniston, Special Counsel, Leahy Lewin Lowing Sullivan Lawyers, Papua New Guinea* | “*Mediation from Asian and Pacific Island Perspective*”***1. “A collaborative conversation on different approaches to Mediation in Asia” -*** *Speakers:* *1. Mr. R Santhanakrishnan, Life President, CLA, Advocate, Supreme Court, India**2. Mr. Steven Thiru, former VP Australasia, CLA and Managing Partner, Steven Thiru and Sudhar Partnership, Malaysia**3.* Sr. Guilhermina Marcal, FdCC, *Daughters of Charity Canossians and Servants of the Poors*1. ***“Use of Hydrogen to Reduce Carbon: Communities Response, Regulatory Challenges, Potential Disputes and Possible Solutions”***

Speaker: *Associate Prof: Dr. Rajesh Sharma, Director IDRRMI-RMIT Dispute Resolution Centre, RMIT University, Melbourne, Australia****Co-Chair:***1. *Mr. Tomasi Bainivalu, Chief Registrar, Fijian Judiciary, Fiji*
2. *Mr. Baka Bina, Deputy Assistant Registrar, National Courts*
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| 12:30-13:30 | **LUNCH** |  |

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| 13:30-14:30  | **Session 8: PARALLEL MEETINGS**  |  |
| **Session 8A: APMF GENERAL MEETING:** ***APEC Conference Room Ground Floor***  | **Session 8B: CHIEF JUSTICES AND JUDGES MEETING****(By Invitation Only):** ***Leaders Working Lunchroom - Lev****el 1* | *APEC Haus* |
| *All Conference attendees who have paid fully their registration fees have qualified to be members of the APMF and are entitled to attend the meeting.* | *“****Regional Judicial and Legal Capacity Building and Mechanisms for Management and Resolution of Environment and Climate Change Related Disputes”****Speakers:* *1. Hon. Chief Justice, Chief Sir Gibuma Gibbs Salika, GCL, KBE, CSM, OBE, Papua New Guinea**2. Mr. Briony Eales, Team Leader for Judicial Capacity Building for Environmental and Climate Change Law (Consultant), ADB, Philip**3. Ms. Pole Kale, Technical Lead and Policy, Planning and Governance Advisor, USAID, Sustainable Landscapes Program, Palladium Internation, Papua New Guinea****Co-Chairs****1. Justice Vui Clarence Nelson, Supreme Court,* *2. Dr. Georgina Lloyd, Regional Coordinator Environmental Law and Governance* *UNEP Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific, Bangkok, Thailand.* |

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|  | **Session 9: Parallel Sessions** **(Tea and coffee available at stations during sessions for self-help)** |  |
| 14:30-16:00 | ***Session 9A:*** ***APEC Conference Room -Ground Floor*** | **Session 9B:** **APEC Conference Room - Ground Floor** | *APEC Haus* |
|  | ***“Cross border environment and climate change disputes: The case for a multidoor specialist regional or international environment and climate change dispute resolution mechanism”****Speaker:**1. Hon. Justice Vui Clarence Nelson, Supreme Court, Samoa**2. Judge Laurie Newhook, Retired Chief Judge, Environment Court, New Zealand, Chief Freshwater Commissioner, New Zealand, Alternate Environment Judge of New Zealand Environment Court, New Zealand* *3. Mr. Briony Eales, Team Leader for Judicial Capacity Building for Environmental and Climate Change Law (Consultant), ADB, Philip* ***Co-Chairs:*** *1. Hon. Justice Jacinta Murray, Supreme and National Courts of PNG**2. Dr. Georgina Lloyd, UNEP, Bangkok Office, Thailand.* |  **“Enforcing Mediated Agreements and the Singapore Convention on Mediation: Regional Experiences”** *Speakers:* *1. Hon. Justice Leiataualesa Daryl Clarke, Supreme Court, Samoa**2. Prof. Kariuki Muigua, Ph.D; OGW; FClArb; Ch.Arb. Kariuki & Co Advocates, Kenya**3. Ms. Miriam Gotsiridze, Principal Research Fellow, Singapore International Dispute Resolution Academy, Singapore****Co-Chairs:*** *1. Hon. Justice Nerrie Eliakim, Supreme and National Courts of Papua New Guinea**2. Ms. Maria Muavesi, Head Environmental Legal Officer, International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN), Regional Office, Fiji* |  |
| 16:00 | **Pick up from APEC Haus for Drop Off at Official Hotels** |  |
| 18:00 | **Pick up from Official Hotels to APEC Haus**  |  |
| 19:00-21:00 | **GALA DINNER** | ***APEC Haus*** |
| 21:30 | **Pick up from APEC Haus for Drop Off at Official Hotels** |  |

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| **WEDNESDAY 21st August 2024** |  |
| 08:00  | Pick up from Official Hotels to APEC Haus  |  |
| 08:45-10:15 | **Session 10: Keynote Speeches: Main Conference Hall*****Concepts and Finance for Valuing Nature***1. ***“Valuing Nature: Natural Capital and Empowered Communities”****(a)* ***“Natural Capital and the Rule of Law”****Speaker:**Mr. Henry A. Cornwell, Counsel, ADB, Philippines**(b)* ***“The Economics of Natural Capital”****Speaker:**Dr Martino Pelli, Senior Economist, Economic Research and Development Impact Department, ADB; Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada**(c)* ***“Natural Capital in the Hands of Communities ”****Speaker:**Ms. Evelyn Wohuinangu, Principal Lawyer, Center for Environmental Law and Community Rights Inc., Papua New Guinea*2*.* ***“Accessing Green Climate Funds, regulatory frameworks: Challenges and opportunities and possible use of mediation”****Speaker****:*** *Professor Paul Dargusch, Pacific Action for Climate Transitions, Monash University, Australia****Co-Chairs:*** 1. *Hon. Justice Gavara-Nanu, Supreme and National Courts, Papua New Guinea and Court of Appeal, Solomon Islands*
2. *Mr. Ruel Yamuna, Special Envoy for Climate and Environment, Papua New Guinea*
 | APEC Haus  |
| 10:15 -10:45  | **TEA BREAK**  |  *APEC Haus* |

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|  | **Session 11: Panel Discussion: Main Conference Hall** |  |
| 10:45-12:15 | ***“Environmental Mediation beyond climate change”*** *Speakers:* *1. “****Air Pollution”****Speaker:**Associate Professor Helena Varkkey, University of Malaysia, Malaysia**2. “****Biodiversity/Marine”****Speaker:**Ms. Grizelda (Gerthie) Mayo-Anda Golly Ramos, Executive Director. Environmental Legal Assistance Center, Inc, Philippines**3. “****Major Projects and EIA and FPIC”****Speaker:* *Mr. Matthew Baird, Director, Asian Research Institute for Environmental Law****Co-Chairs:*** *1. Hon. Justice Karen Carmody, Supreme and National Courts, Papua New Guinea**2. Hon. Justice Rangajeeva Wimalasena, President, Court of Appeal, Nauru* | APEC Haus  |
| 12:15-13:15 | **LUNCH**  |  *APEC Haus* |

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| 13.15-14:45  | **Session 12: Parallel Panel Sessions** |  |
| **Session 12A***:* **VIP Holding Room – Ground Floor** | **Session 12B: APEC Conference Room – Ground Floor** |  |
| ***“Judicial Education and Training on Environmental law, Climate Change and Mediation (for Judges and Magistrates”****Speakers:* *1. Chief Justice, Brian Preston, New South Wales Land and Environment Court**2. Bambang Hery Mulyono,* *Head of The Research, Development, Education and Training Agency for Law and Judiciary, Supreme Court of Indonesia**3. Justice John Carey, Judge Administrator PCJE and PNGCJE****Co-Chairs:***1. *Hon. Justice Iova Geita, Supreme and National Courts of Justice, Papua New Guinea*
2. *Deputy Chief Magistrate Clivson Philip, Magisterial Services, Papua New Guinea*
 | **1. “Legal Education and Training on Environmental law, Climate Change and Mediation (for lawyers)”***Speakers**1. Prof. Kariuki Muigua, Ph.D; OGW; FClArb; Ch.Arb. Kariuki & Co Advocates, Kenya**2. Justice John McKendrick, KC, Outer Temple Chambers, Deputy English High Court Judge, part time Circuit judge, International Arbitrator and Mediator, UK****2. “Capacity Building for Online Mediators and lawyers”****Speaker* *Justice Rangajeeva Wimalasena, President, Court of Appeal, Nauru****Co-Chairs***: *1. Hon. Justice Teresa Berrigan, Supreme and National Courts, Papua New Guinea**2. Mr. Hubert Namani, President Papua New Guinea Law Society, Principal Namani and Associates, Papua New Guinea* | *APEC Haus*  |
| 14:45-15:00 | **TEA BREAK**  |  |
| 15:00-16:00  | **Session 13: Conference Summary****Speakers (Rapporteurs)**  **1. Mr.** Martin Cosier, **2. Mr.** Mathew Baird, ARIEL, Australia | *APEC Haus*  |
| 16:00 –17:30  | **Session 14: Conference Closing Ceremony: Main Conference Hall****Master of Ceremonies: Michael Henao, In House Counsel, Digicel (PNG) Limited, Papua New Guinea*****Announces*** *Cultural Performance* ***Introduces Closing Speakers*** 1. **Closing Remarks** by Deputy Chief Justice Ambeng Kandakasi CBE, Deputy Chief Justice of Papua New Guinea and Vice President of APMF
2. **Closing Remarks** by Grand Chief Sir Bob Dadae GCL GCMG KStJ, Governor General of Papua New Guinea
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| EVENING | **FREE** |  |

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|  | **WEDNESDAY 21st August 2024** |
|  | **OPTIONAL – Meeting of all Pacific Island Judges (Boat Cruise with Dinner)**Proposal for formation of Pacific Island Judicial Officers Association (PIJOA). Agenda to be distributed at the meeting. |  |
| 17:00 | Pick up from Hotels for Yacht Club |  |
| 17:30 | Meet at Royal Papua Yacht Club |  |
| 17:45 | Depart for Cruise  |  |
| 21:00 | Return to Yacht Club |  |
| 21:00 | Depart for Hotels |  |

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| **THURSDAY 22nd August 2024** |
|   |  **OPTIONAL DAY OUTS:**  |
|  | **Tour One (1) – Sogeri Tour – James Enage** |
| 7:00 – 7:30 | Pick up from Hotels |
| 7:31-7:35 | Pre-Tour Brief |
| 7:45 – 8:30 | Drive up to Rouna WaterFall Lookout |
| 8:30 – 9:30 | Reassemble and Drive to Owens Corner |
| 9:31 – 10:30 | Tour of Koitaki Farm & Staff Residential Area |
| 10:31 – 11:00 | Visit Koitaki Farm Main Homestay Area |
| 11:01 – 11:30 | Travel Koitaki Country Club |
| 11:31 – 12:30 | Have Lunch at Koitaki Country Club |
| 12:31 – 13:00 | Tour Sogeri National High School |
| 13:01 – 13:30 | Visit Sirinumu Dam Area |
| 13:31 – 14:30 | Water Break at Crystal Rapids |
| 14:31 – 15:00 | Brief of Iarowari Secondary School |
| 15:00 – 16:30 | Visit Varirata National Park |
| 16:31 – 18:00 | Tour Participants dropped off |

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|  | **Tour Two (2) – Around Port Moresby – EJM Tour Operators** |
| 07:30 | Pick up from Official Hotels to Ela Beach Hotel |
| 08:00  | Gather in the Ela Beach reception  |
| 08:00-08:30  | Fairfax Hour and Panoramic view tour from Touaguba Hill |
| 08:30-8:45  | Drive to Parliament House |
| 08:45-9:15  | Tour of Parliament House |
| 09:15-9:20 | Drive to National Museum  |
| 9:20-10:00  | Tour of Arts and craft at the museum |
| 10:00:11:00  | Visit to Nature Park |
| 11:00-11:30  | Gather at Nature park café lunch break and entertainment |
| 12:00-13:00  | **Lunch Break and entertainment by traditional Hiri cultural group** |
| 13:00-13:15  | Drive to the National and Supreme Court House |
| 13:15-14:15  | Tour of the Old and New Court Complex |
| 14:15-15:30  | Reassemble at the Court house car park for departure to various hotels  |
| Evening  | Free  |
|  | **Tour Three (3) – Boat Cruise – PNG Sport Fishing** |
| 08:00-08:15 | Pick up from Hotels for Yacht Club |
| 08:15-08:25 | Meet at Royal Papua Yacht Club |
| 09:00 | Depart on Cruise |
| 09:00-09:30 | Cruise Around APEC Haus & Waterfront |
| 09:30-10:30 | Proceed to Loloata Island  |
| 10:30-11:30 | Island Tour & Entertainment |
| 11:30-12:30 | Lunch on board MV Bulolo |
| 12:30-1:30 | Harbour Cruise to Motukea & Waterfront |
| 01:30-02:30 | Return to Yacht Club |
| 2:30-03:00 | Depart for Hotel |

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|  | **ACCOMPANYING PERSONS PROGRAMME** **(*Subject to Change)*** ***(see Delegates Programme for details of evening events and Day Out)***  |
|  | **BUNA Tracks & Tours** |
|  | **MONDAY 19 AUGUST 2024**  |
| 10:00am - 10:30am | Accompanying persons gather at Hotel foyer for briefing in preparation for tour  |
| 10:30  | Depart for Nature Park |
| 11:00 – 12:00 | Arrival and Tour of Nature Park- Take a tour through the Port Moresby Nature Park. Home to Endemic birds and plant species of PNG, we take an easy stroll through a combined botanical and Zoological and Cultural Park |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | Return to Hotel for lunch and Refreshments |
| 13:30-14:00 | Depart Hotel for National Museum- The PNG National Museum and Art Gallery [NMAG] is divided into four different settings.Built in 1975 and opened to the public 1977. It houses artefacts from 22 provinces of the country. The earliest collection dates back to 1800’s by early administration of Papua Sir William MacGregor. |
| 14:00 – 15:00 | Tour of National Museum and Art Gallery |
| 15:00 – 15:05 | Depart to Parliament House |
| 15:05 – 15:40 | Tour of Parliament House Gardens, and Chambers- We cross over from the Museum over to the National Parliament.Take a walk through the gardens, and the magnificent front of the parliament house. If there are no parliament sitting we take a tour of the inside chambers, an opportunity only a few get to tour inside. |
| 15:40 – 16:10 | Return back to Hotel (End of day 1) |
|  | **TUESDAY 20 AUGUST 2024**  |
| 08:00  | Pick up from the Hotels to Ela Beach Hotel |
| 08:30  | Gather in the Foyer of Ela Beach Hotel  |
| 09:30-14:30  | * Visit to Boera Village
* Experience the local activities such as weaving, pottery making, tattooing
* Traditional singing & dancing
* Peroveta singing (Prophet Songs)
* Admire the arts and crafts display by locals
* Lunch – at the Konebada Resort
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| 15:00-15:45  | Return to Port Moresby  |
| 6:00pm–9:00pm  | Gala Dinner at Stanley Hotel  |
|  | **WEDNESDAY 21 AUGUST 2024**  |
| 08:00  | Pick up from Official Hotels to Ela Beach Hotel |
| 08:15  | Gather in the Foyer of the Ela Beach Hotel |
| 09:00-10:00  | Boroko Craft Market- Boroko Craft Market, a walk through the vast collections of different arts and crafts from all over PNG, an opportunity to shop local |
| 10:10  |  |
| 10:15-10:45  | Koki Fish Market, see the houses built on mangroves posts over the sea. |
| 11:00  | Depart Koki Fish Market for a walk and photograph taking at the Amazing Port Moresby Sign at Ela beach, a beautiful background of the sea and APEC house Departing Ela Beach you enjoy the ride around the Paga Hill Ring Road back to the hotel. |
| 12:00-13:00  | Lunch at the Hotel |
| 13:00-15:00  | A drive through the Holiday Inn wall of paintings on display by local artists. We stop here for anyone wishing to purchase paintings or take a closer look at them. Our final stop is at the Unity Mall SME crafts Stalls. If you missed out anything at the Boroka Open markets, here is your chance to shop.  |
| 15:00-15:45  | Guests get dropped off back at the hotel-TOUR Ends  |
| 16:00-17:00  |  |
|  | **THURSDAY 22 AUGUST 2024**  |
|  | See Delegates’ Programme for Information on Optional Day Out  |

# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**Registration and Hospitality Desk** at the APEC Haus, will be open daily as follows:

14.00-17.00: Sunday 18 August 2024

08.00-16.00: Monday 19 August 2024

08.45- 16.00: Tuesday 20 – Wednesday 21 August 2024

## Conference Badges

For security reasons, please wear your badge at all times during the Conference and evening functions

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|  APMF: APMF Red Lanyards Delegates: Green Lanyards, green badges Council/Steering Committee: Council Lanyards and Red Badges  | Accompanying Guest: White Lanyards, white badges Local Organising Committee: Yellow Lanyards Press: Blue lanyards, blue badges  |

## Attendance at Panel Discussions/Sessions

All sessions and panel discussions are open to all delegates.

Participants will be divided into different breakout rooms for the breakout sessions.

All Conference sessions and breakout sessions throughout the event will begin promptly at the time published in the programme. Please ensure that you arrive at the venue in good time to take your seats before the start of each session. If you must enter or leave during the session, please ensure that you do so as quietly as possible so as not to disturb the speaker or audience.

## Mobile Phones

Please ensure that your mobile phone is switched off, or set to silent mode, during all Conference sessions. Apart from the opening ceremony, please do not make any video recording of any speaker without their consent.

## Conference Photograph

The APMF group photo of all delegates and their guests will be taken on **Monday 19 August 2024**. Please assemble promptly at the latest at 10:30 sharp. (Location will be advised on the bulletin board at the Registration Desk). The photo will be able to be purchased during the Conference.

## Conference Papers

The APMF’s Conference website: http://www.asiapacificmediationforum.org will contain the papers that have been received to date and the biographical details of speakers. By clicking on Delegates Area, delegates will be able to access the following pages: - Conference Speakers, Conference Papers/Conference Delegates List:

## APMF Stands

The APMF’s office will be next to the Registration Desk. The APMF will accept applications for Membership. Conference attendees who have paid up the registration fee fully qualifies them for full membership of the APMF.

## Sponsors Stands

The PNG Judiciary, UNEP and other sponsors are entitled to have their respective stands and handout or sell their respective information and publications and other products at the conference venue.

## Dress Code

During working sessions, dress code will be lounge suit as the Conference venue is air-conditioned. National dress/lounge suit is appropriate for the evening functions. Dress Code for the Accompanying Guest Programme and Day Out: casual with comfortable shoes. T-shirts suitable for the event will be sold at the Conference Venue for those interested.

 **Arts and Crafts of Papua New Guinea**

There will be Arts and Crafts of Papua New Guinea on display and for purchase on the Terrace, accessible at the APEC Haus.

## Internet Access

There are limited passes for wifi access during the Conference. Wireless Internet access is available on request on a first come, first served basis from the Registration Desk every day.

## Currency Exchange

The Papua New Guinea currency is the Kina. The exchange rate for the Kina is available on [www.xe.com.](http://www.xe.com/) The hotel will be able to change any cash and there are ATMs in the hotels.

***No Smoking***

Indoor places as well as public areas, such as transit, in are designated smoke-free.

## Transport

There will be transport arranged from the airports to the hotel upon arrival. Transport back to the airports for departures will also be arranged. Please ensure that you have provided your departure details to the Local Organising Committee. Transport will be arranged to/from official hotels to the Conference Centre each day. There will also be transport arranged for social evening events to and from official hotels.

## Health/Safety

Most visits to Papua New Guinea are trouble free, however crime rates have been increasing. It is advised to carry as little of your valuables on you as possible. Pickpocketing, purse snatching, and theft of other goods occur throughout Port Moresby and travellers should always remain alert and should not take any unnecessary risks. If you wish to travel anywhere, please contact the Local Organising Committee representatives who will be happy to help you.

If you are feeling unwell, please inform a member of the APMF staff or a Member of the Local Organising Committee. There will be a medical room available at the APEC Haus.

## Prayer Room

A Prayer Room will be available during the Conference. Please contact a member of the Local Organising Committee staff if you wish to use this.

## Optional Day Out

ALL DELEGATES WHO ARE ATTENDING THE OPTIONAL DAY OUT MUST **BRING THEIR DAY OUT TICKETS** with them for those who have decided to take the relevant options.

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| **The Asia Pacific Mediation Forum**  |

The Forum was formed in 2001 following an Asia Pacific Conference on Mediation Held at the University of South Australia. It is a not-for-profit regional association of individuals, organisations and institutions interested in promoting peace through mediation and other conflict transformation processes wherever conflicts threaten the well-being of individuals, organisations, communities, and local, state or national governments in the region.

The main objective of the APMF is to facilitate the exchange and development of knowledge, values and skills of mediation and other conflict transformation processes, in any form, including inter-cultural, interpersonal, inter-institutional and international, within and between the diverse countries and cultures in the Asia-Pacific region. To fulfil this objective, conferences/summits are held in the region every two years, with a different country taking responsibility for hosting each conference.

The APMF enhances the exchange of information related to mediation and conflict transformation on this website, at bi-annual regional conferences/summits, and in other on-line and face-to-face activities between members in between conferences. The Asia Pacific Mediation Forum website is dedicated to enhancing national, regional and international cooperation, collaboration and networking through the provision of a wide range of information, resources and opportunities in the areas of conflict transformation, dispute resolution and peace building.