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An aerial photograph of a tropical island village. The island is densely covered with lush green forest, including many palm trees. Several small, simple houses with thatched or corrugated metal roofs are scattered across the island. The island is surrounded by clear, turquoise water, and a small sandy beach is visible on the left side. The overall scene is peaceful and idyllic.

# Overcoming Barriers, Challenges and Reporting

Helping people and nature to thrive – WWF  
Pacific and CSOs Partnerships Blue Pacific

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## Background:

Addressing Barriers – Strategic Targeted Approaches

Reporting & Capacity Area Barriers - WWF Approaches & Solutions

Video Film Reporting Example



# Major Challenges & Barriers to accessing climate finance



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## Challenges & Barriers:-

- *Limited Capacity and Technical Expertise varied across the Region.*
- *High Transaction Costs*
- *Complex Application Processes*
- *Lack of Information*
- *Infrastructure Formal and Informal*
- *High Vulnerability to CC across Region*
- *Geopolitical Issues*
- *Institutional Capacity*
- *Social & Cultural Factors*
- *Data Gaps*

## *Addressing Barriers:–*

- *Provide capacity building that is tailored to needs and gaps of targeted priority communities*
  - *Strategic tailored support*
    - *Simplify Climate Finance application process*
- *Build Leaders, promote awareness, education & training on CC and build local capacity within Communities (bottom up)*
- *Enhance collaboration Knowledge Sharing with International Donors, Regional Organizations and Pacific Island Nations CSOs, CBOs and Incorporated Landowner Groups.*
- *Greater Emphasis on the Unique Needs, Vulnerabilities of the Pacific Region is essential to ensure equitable access to Climate Finance*
  - *Climate Finance needs to be Pacific Specific!*

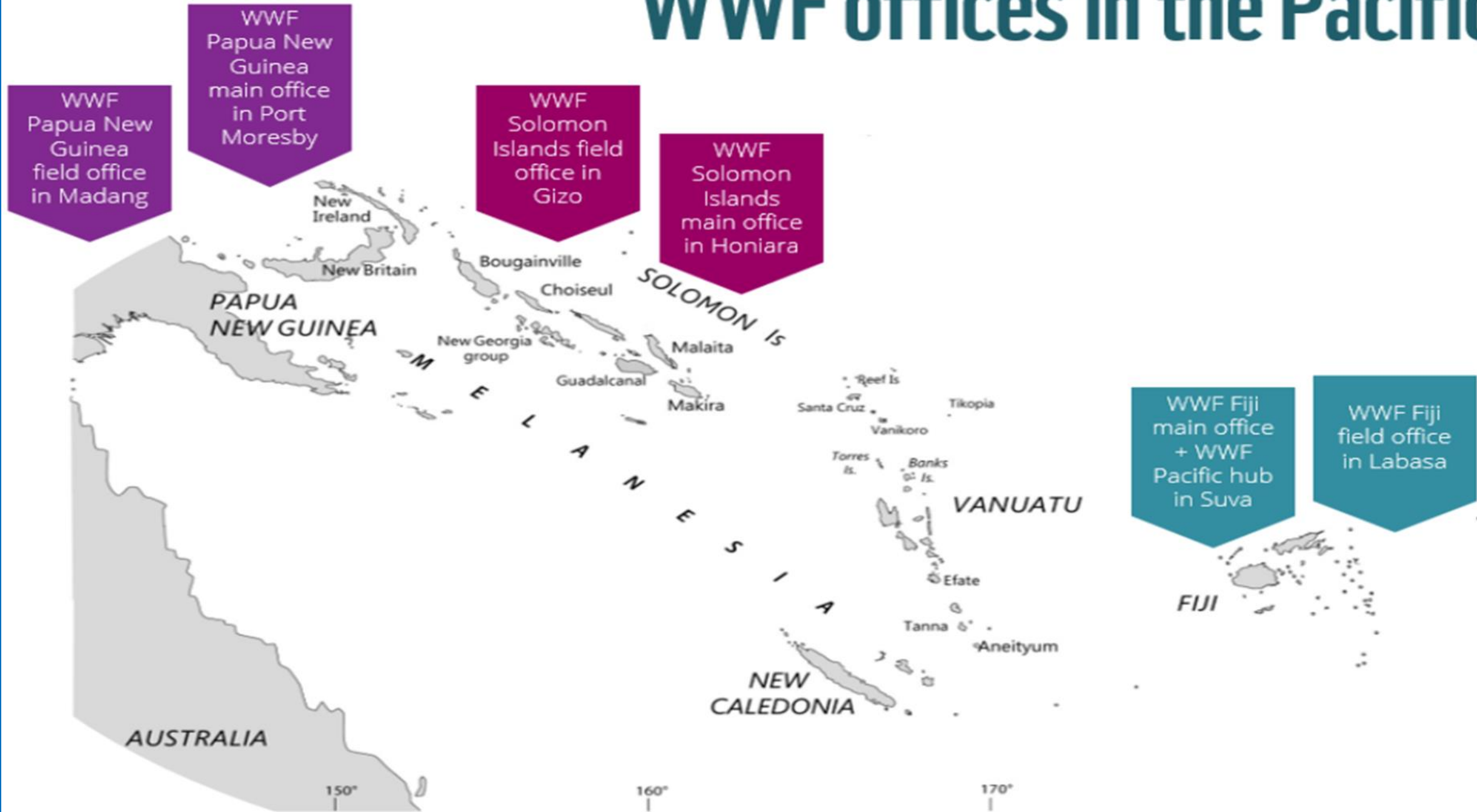
Unlocking Access to Climate Finance – Build Specific Pacific Capacity



*Capacity Building based on  
Tailored Targeted Needs –  
Reporting, M&E and  
Training Empowering  
Community Leaders CSOs –  
Community Networks  
(Community Facilitators  
CFs) with Monitoring  
Methods and Data  
Recording Process,  
Brokering Technical  
Knowledge to  
Communities*



# WWF offices in the Pacific





# Building Community Capacity Advocacy Policy Training – Regional Networks PNG, Fiji and Solomon Islands, CSOs Regional Advocacy Training Workshops





# Community Capacity Building, Marine Monitoring Methods blending Local Traditional Local Knowledge with Science Approaches

Community Facilitators – Rangers with each CRxN  
Seagrapes Community Partner (4 Communities)

In water transect monitoring of seagrapes: Youth  
Empowerment and engagement in this exercise



*Climate Resilient by Nature (DFAT) in partnership with WWF  
Au and WWF-Pacific Solomon Islands, scaling sustainable  
Seagrasses Management and Protecting Critical Climate  
Ecosystems*



# Baseline Monitoring and Ongoing Monitoring Ecosystem Assessment, Community Capacity Building



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# Powering GEDSI & Women's Leadership– Regional Wide







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*Innovation enable easier reporting and apply a Pacific “Talanoa” Lens on reporting back to Donors Example: Reporting via Film Video eg. Folktale reporting. But over to Pacific Voices - LCIPP to Advocate and Drive this.*



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=THANKYOU!**

