Water for Life Core Team Workshop
Chuuk, FSM, May 13 -17, 2013

Workshop Goals:
Participants will:
• Increase knowledge of water-related STEM content
• Learn principles of informal science education
• Develop knowledge & trust of one another
• Initiate a cross-site, water-focused community

Desired Outcomes:
Participants will:
• Share own knowledge with group
• Become stronger advocates for high-quality drinking water
• Identify and share potential resources
• Build effective working relationships with one another

Monday, May 13
8:30 Workshop opening [Kind Kanto]
   Invocation [Rev. Steioshy Manuel]
   Welcome [Mayor Kenneth]
   Introductory remarks [Governor Elimo]
9:30 Overview of Week [Ethan]
   Purposes, structure, & outcomes of WfL
   Logistics & desired outcomes of workshop
10:00 break
10:15 Introductions [All - pair with someone unknown]
   Talk/listen for 10 min w/ partner (water &/or workshop related knowledge, training
   skills, etc., then introduce each other to the group: name, affiliation, role, strengths,
   interests, etc. (@ 2 min.)
11:15 Initial Questions, Expectations, & Hopes [all]
   Individuals; use 3 colors of post-its for Qs, Ex, & Hs [SC staff collect; use later]
11:30 Site reports [Core Teams; @10 min]
   Activities, initial meetings, dialogs, etc.
   Potential projects, including in-progress programs where WfL might complement
12:15 Lunch – Task: In site-based teams, compare individual Qs, Es, & Hs with own and other
   sites’ activities; produce consensus site-based Qs, Es, & Hs [SC staff facilitate/record]
1:15 Review initial Core Team survey data & develop site-based priorities [Susan]
2:00 Module 1, part 1: Chemistry and physics of water [Danko/Ethan]
2:45 break
3:00 Module 1, part 1 (cont’d)
4:15 Check ‘parking lot;’ wrap-up & review day [Ethan; 15 min]
**Tuesday, May 14**

8:30  Check-in, questions, etc.
8:45  Module 1, part 2: Chemistry and physics of water [Danko/Ethan]
9:30  break
9:45  Module 2: The oceans (currents, waves, chemistry, changes, etc.) [Danko/Ethan]
11:45 Lunch – Task: In mixed-site, role-alike groups develop/produce lists of common (to role) challenges, along with resources and potential solutions. [SC staff facilitate/record]
12:45 Module 3: The atmosphere (weather, climate, droughts, storms, etc.) [Danko/Ethan]
2:30  break
2:45  Field trip to Weno water system - high island centralized water system [all; 2 hr.]

**Wednesday, May 15**

8:30  Module 4: Hydrological cycles on different types of islands [Danko]
10:00 break
10:15 Module 5: Island geology and groundwater and surface water issues [Danko/Ethan]
12:15 Lunch – Task: In random, mixed-site groups, compare key issues & challenges, & develop/produce lists of possible resources to share. [SC staff facilitate/record]
1:15  Field trip to remote/rural Weno community - decentralized high island system [all; 3 hr.]

**Thursday, May 16**

8:30  Module 6: Containment, maintenance, and monitoring of drinking water [Ethan/Danko]
10:00 break
10:15 Dialog on issues of regional water policies – compare among sites [All]
12:00 Lunch – Task: In site-based teams, reflect on week to date, review Qs, Es, & Hs, etc. Produce lists of accomplishments & outstanding issues. [SC staff facilitate/record]
1:00  Wrap-up, review, & focus groups (3 ‘role alike’ & PREL staff) [All]
Simultaneous tasks:
- Reflect on learnings, accomplishments, challenges, & plans
- Formalize prioritized project lists (locations, partners, resources, challenges, etc.)
- Develop next steps agendas
- Combine/share resource lists

4:00  Fill out workshop evaluations
4:15  Wrap-up, review, & next steps [Ethan]

**Friday, May 17**

8:30  Field trip to Weno to Piis Paneu [all day, by boat]
6:00  Closing dinner/reception