



INTERGOVERNMENTAL OCEANOGRAPHIC COMMISSION
 (of UNESCO)

Eight Session of the IOC Regional Committee for the Central Indian Ocean (IOCINDIO-VIII)
 Online, 17-19 May 2021

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

	Monday, 17 May 2021	Tuesday, 18 May 2021	Wednesday, 19 April 2021
09:00-09:30 (Paris Time)	Login and check of connections	Login and check of connections	Login and check of connections
09h30-10h30 (Paris Time)	1. WELCOME AND OPENING <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prof Abtahi BEHROOZ, Host of the Meeting - Statements by Senior Ministerial Dignitaries - Dr. Atmanand, Chair of the IOCINDIO 2. ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1 ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA 2.2 DESIGNATION OF RAPPORTEUR 2.3 CONDUCT OF THE SESSION 3.1 & 3.2. REPORT ON IOCINDIO ACTIVITIES 2019–2021 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Country Reports: Achievements and challenges - UNESCO Category 2 Centres - UNESCO Chairs - IIOE-II 	4. IOCINDIO STATUS: DECISION IOC-XXX/3.3.4.: Review of the proposal for changing the Status of IOCINDIO into an IOC Sub commission for the Indian Ocean. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Remarks by the IOCAFRICA Chair</i> - <i>Remarks by the WESTPAC Chair</i> <p style="text-align: center;">Discussions</p>	6. ELECTION OF IOCINDIO OFFICERS 7. OTHER BUSINESS 8. DATES AND PLACES OF THE 9th SESSION OF IOCINDIO (IOCINDIO-IX). 9. ADOPTION OF THE IOCINDIO WORK PLAN FOR 2022-2023 10. ADOPTION OF THE DECISIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
10h30-10h45	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
10h45-12:30 (Paris time)	<p style="text-align: center;">Discussions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Address by Dr. Vladimir Ryabinin, IOC Executive Secretary 3.3 RECENT DEVELOPMENTS WITHIN UNESCO & IOC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3.3.1 United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development (2021–2030) 3.3.2 IOC Draft Medium Term Strategy for 2022–2029. <p style="text-align: center;">Discussions</p>	5. REVIEW AND UPDATE OF IOCINDIO WORK PLAN FOR 2022-2023 INCLUDING CONTRIBUTION TO THE IIIE METING'2022, ENGAGEMENT WITH THE UN DECADE OF OCEAN SCIENCE FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (2021-2030) AND RESOURCES MOBILIZATION INCLUDING OCEAN DECADE REGIONAL ENABLING ACTIVITIES NORWAY FUNDS.	10. Continued 11. CLOSURE