



**Southern African Regional CITES Shark and Ray Implementation  
Workshop  
Johannesburg, South Africa  
Protea Balalaika Hotel  
August 6 -7, 2018**

**Day 2: August 7, 2018**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Day 1 – Activities</b>
9:00-9:15 am	<b>Participant Registration</b>
9:15-9:30 am	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Official welcome from the Government – DEA Senior Official</i> <i>Welcome from CITES focal point – Mr. G Popose</i>
9:30-10:15 am	<b>Overview of Listed Shark and Ray Species</b> <i>Shark science and the need for global conservation - Dr. Mark Bond (Florida International University)</i> <i>Sharks and CITES: delivering change - Jen Sawada (The Pew Charitable Trusts)</i> <i>WCS Shark and Ray program - Rebecca Regenry</i>
10:15-10:45 am	<i>Tea break and group photo</i>
10:45-11:15 am	<i>Shifts in the global shark fin trade – Stan Shea (BLOOM Hong Kong)</i>
11:15-11:45 am	<b>PRESENTATION FOR MARKUS BURGNER (TRAFFIC)</b>
12:00-1:30 pm	<i>Lunch</i>
1:30-2:15 pm	<i>Shark data and management in place in the region for both these species and sharks more widely – Rhette Bennett (Wildlife Conservation Society) or DAFF</i>
2:15-2:45 pm	<i>Southern Africa Endemic Species and IUCN— Ms. Kat Gledhill (South African Shark Conservancy)</i>
2:45-3:00 pm	<i>Tea Break</i>
3:00-4:00 pm	<b>Role and Responsibilities of the CITES Scientific and Management Authorities</b> <b>Daniel Kachelreiss (CITES Secretariat) via Skype</b> <i>The role and responsibilities of CITES SAs and MAs in the implementation of CITES listings</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Function of the Scientific Authority</i></li> <li>• <i>Function of the Management Authority</i></li> <li>• <i>The role of NDF's and legal acquisition findings</i></li> <li>• <i>Overview on the need for data and management to continue trade</i></li> <li>• <i>Introduction from the Sea</i></li> </ul>
	<i>Q&amp;A</i>
7:30 pm	<b>Group Dinner— Restaurant TBC</b> <b>Meet in lobby at 7:00pm</b>



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9.00 - 10:30 am	<b>Enforcing CITES for Sharks: Identification of Fins and Gill Plates</b> <b>Debra Abercrombie (Shark Identification Expert, Abercrombie and Fish)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Presentation of fins and hands on opportunity to work supervised with the guide with real shark fins</i></li></ul> Q&A
10:30-10:45 am	Tea break
10:45- 11:45am	<b>NDFs – A Recap of What is Needed</b> <b>Sarah Fowler (Save Our Seas Foundation)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Concepts and terminology</i></li><li>• <i>Objectives of an NDF</i></li><li>• <i>Biological information and resources available to make NDFs</i></li><li>• <i>Quota systems</i></li><li>• <i>How does this fit with fisheries management measures?</i></li><li>• <i>Review of Significant Trade (RST)</i></li></ul> Q&A
11:45-12:15 pm	<b>Guidance for Shark Implementation</b> <b>Rebecca Regnery (Humane Society International)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Beyond NDFs- management options if an NDF shows detriment or insufficient data is available to develop one.</i></li><li>• <i>Other management measures for sharks</i></li><li>• <i>Examples from the region and worldwide</i></li><li>• <i>Further details on management measures for sharks and rays that meet CITES requirements</i></li><li>• <i>Q&amp;A</i></li></ul>
12:15-1:00 pm	<b>Discussion and Conclusions</b>
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Lunch