



System of  
Environmental  
Economic  
Accounting

# Summary document and next steps

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# Next steps - Regional Training Workshop on Ecosystem Accounting

- Feed into Post 2020 Biodiversity Framework discussions
  - > Prepare briefing note on SEEA
  - > Facilitate national consultation in advance
  - > discuss with countries who are in a common position (Community of Practice)

<https://post2020.unep-wcmc.org/>

A screenshot of a calendar interface for the period 2017-2020, with 2019 and 2020 selected. The calendar shows several events:

- 01st - 03rd DEC**: Thematic workshop on area-based conservation
- 20th - 22nd**: Eleventh meeting of the Working Group on Article 8 (j)
- 24th - 24th**: Informal briefing by the Co-Chairs of the OEWG
- 25th - 29th**: CBD SBSTTA-23

The interface includes logos for UN WCMC environment 40 years and the Convention on Biological Diversity at the top. Social media icons for Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, and Email are also present. A "Filters" button is visible on the right side of the calendar header.

# Regional Policy Forum on NCA

- Share highlights and feed into the Fourth Regional Policy Forum in Uganda
- Co-organized by the World Bank, United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD), GDSA, the Government of Netherlands, and the Government of Uganda.
- Objective Regional Community of Practice: identifying common challenges and opportunities and to discuss how countries can support each other in mainstreaming natural capital considerations into policy

<https://www.wavespartnership.org/en/policy-forum-natural-capital-accounting-better-decision-making>



The screenshot displays the WAVES (Wealth Accounting and the Valuation of Ecosystem Services) website. The header includes the WAVES logo, the full name of the organization, a search bar, and navigation links for Home, News and Events, Wealth accounting, Natural Capital Accounting, Knowledge center, Partners, and About Us. The main content area features the title 'Policy Forum on Natural Capital Accounting for Better Decision Making' and a large image of two people walking through a lush, green landscape. A 'Related Content' sidebar on the right lists 'Natural Capital Accounting for Better Policy Decisions: Climate change and biodiversity' from the WAVES Knowledge Center.

# Other ideas for next steps?

- Let's take advantage of the momentum that has built up...

# THANK YOU

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