



Regional Development
An
Oceania Sailing Federation perspective

ISAF 2015 Development Symposium

Northern Mariana Islands

Guam

Federated States of Micronesia

Palau

Marshall Islands

Papua New Guinea

Nauru

Kiribati

Solomon Islands

Tuvalu

Samoa

American Samoa

Vanuatu

Fiji

French Polynesia

New Caledonia

Tonga

Niue

Cook Islands

Australia

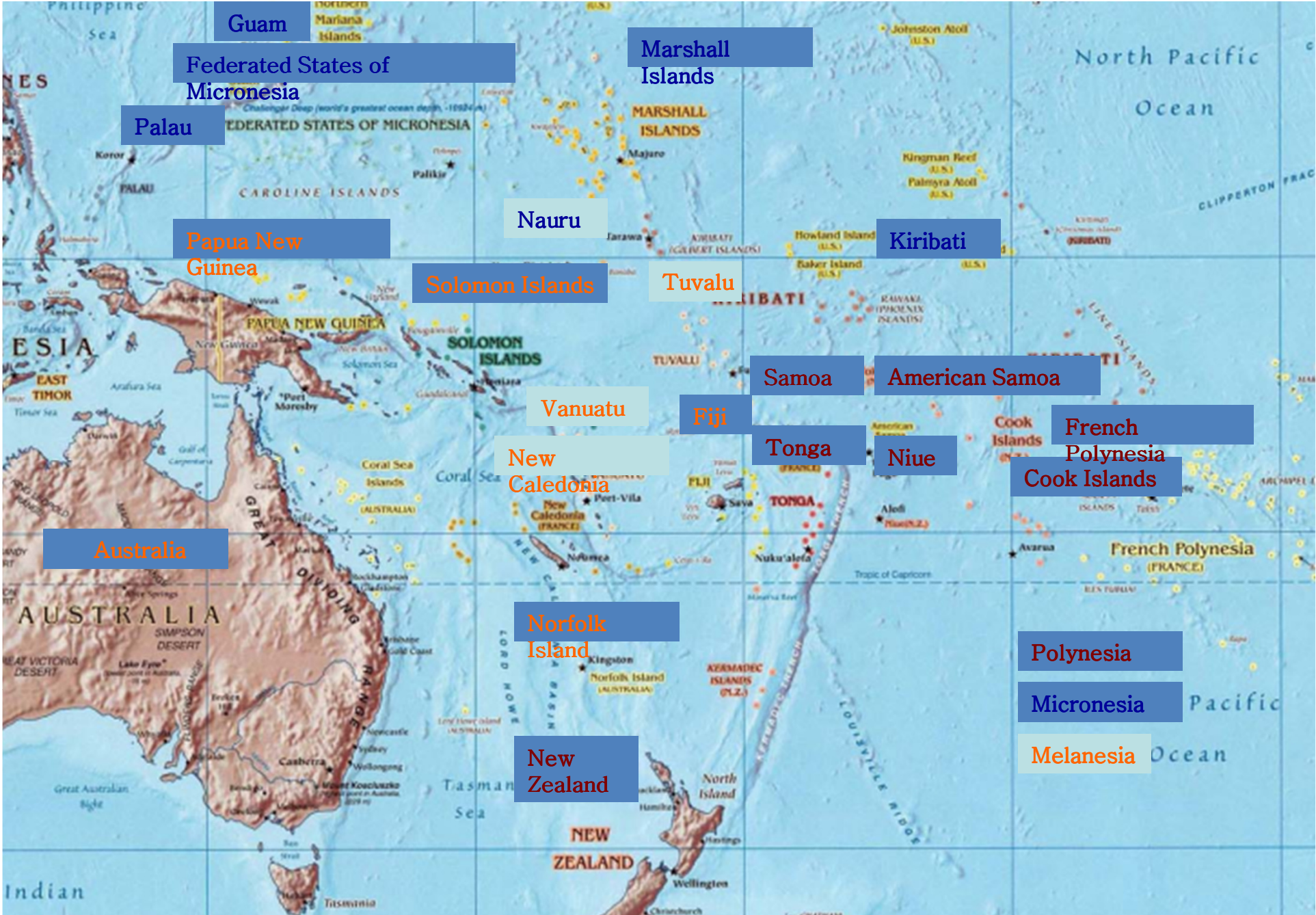
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Polynesia

Micronesia

New Zealand

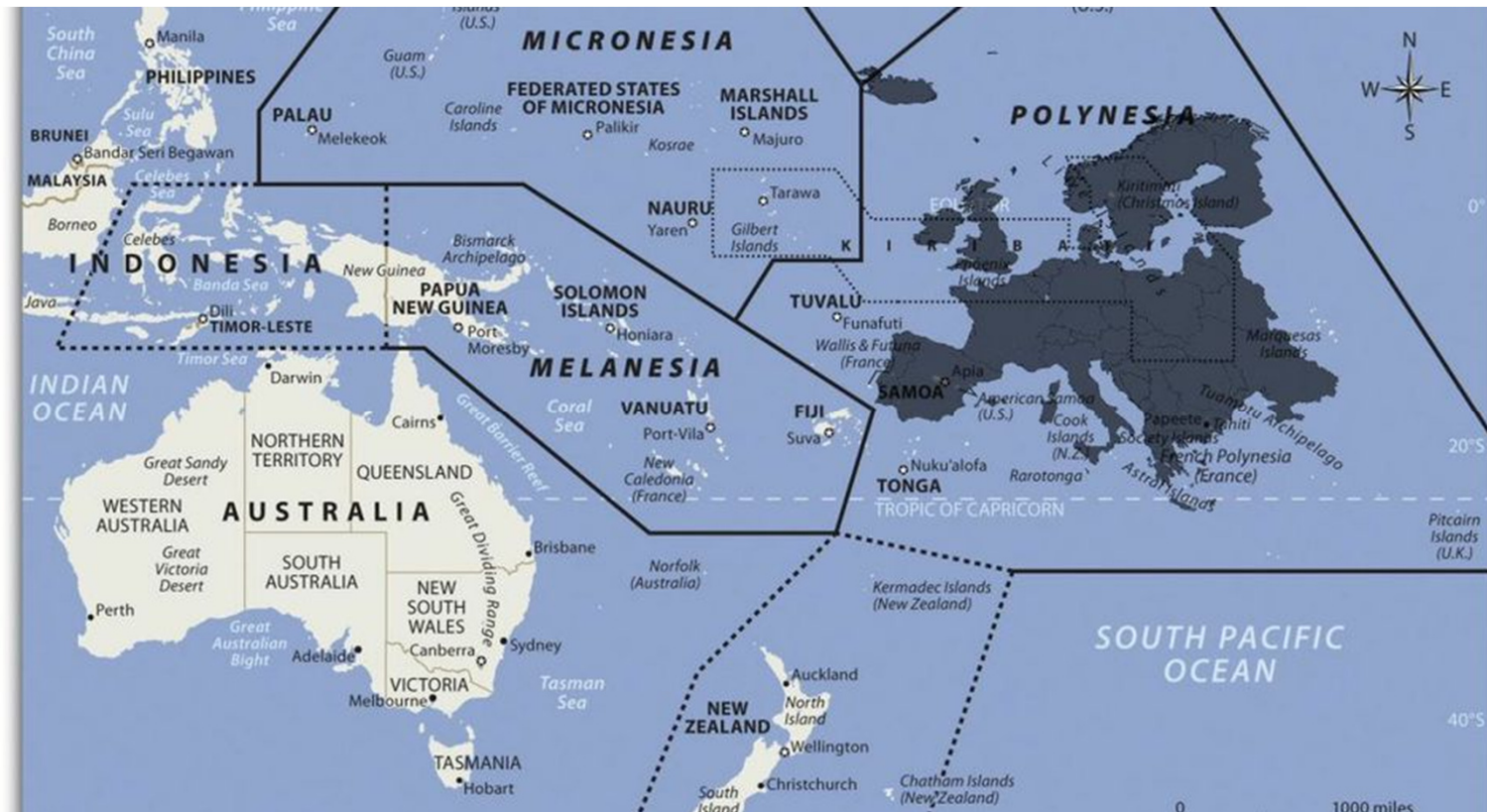
Melanesia



Scale and Capacity of Oceania

- Lets peek at our strengths and weaknesses
- Strengths are our Oceans, enormous natural environments and Maritime ancestry
- Weaknesses reflect our isolation, sparsely populated Islands and capacity constraints
- Europe in scale by size fits into the Cook Islands alone...so how big is Oceania Remember the maps physically display the stark facts. To compete on a comparative basis of performance we must achieve by applying different techniques. Integrate, coordinate, multiple outputs to hope to match the capacity and performance of the other Continents

Melanesia, Micronesia, Polynesia Natural Geographic Areas within Oceania



Map of European Cities and Oceania Islands



OSAF's Primary Responsibility

Article 2 of the Charter states.....

“is the promotion and development of sailing in Oceania in its widest possible context”

“focus on coordination and facilitation of sailing programs and development”

The Objectives of OSAF are to actively promote and:

encourage and develop sailing

assist development in all countries whether sailing does or does not exist

sportsmanship, fair play, goodwill and ethical behavior

encourage competition amongst member countries/territories

conduct OSAF regional, continental regattas and championships

promulgate the rules and regulations of ISAF and OSAF

affiliate with ISAF, promote staging ISAF owned regattas and Champs

regional and continental seminars, congresses and educational clinics

encourage cooperation between members and organizations in Oceania

foster good relations with other continental confederations and MNA's

take all appropriate actions to achieve the OSAF's primary responsibility

Oceania Sailing's functions are to coordinate, integrate & deliver...

- Network knowledge & capacities to ISAF MNA's
 - Support governance at Continental level
 - Support ISAF Technical platforms
- Add Resources from our Sport Partners in Oceania
 - Continental Sailing Competitions & Events
 - ISAF standard & Value of Sailing in Oceania
- Equality amongst Nations, Territories & Other CA's



A coordinated strategy of Integrated Development

One sport one vision

Many Partners

- Oceania MNA's
 - Oceania Class Associations
 - International Sailing Federation & Partners
- Oceania National Olympic Associations & Partners
- Commonwealth Games Federation & CGA's of Oceania
 - Regional Governments & Development Agencies
 - Organisation of Sport Federations in Oceania
 - Pacific Games Council & Partners



Continental Development Partners

- ISAF – Council, Executive Committee and Secretariat
 - Training & Development – Dan Jaspers
 - Connect to Sailing
- ONOC - Oceania National Olympic Committees
 - 17 NOC's and 5 Associate members (French, USA Territories)
 - Oceania Sport Education Program OSEP
 - Oceania Athletes Commission
 - Olympic Solidarity – ONOC Office Dennis Miller
 - Continental Games of Oceania
- OSFO Organisations of Sports Federations
 - 38 Oceania Continental IF's
- Pacific Games Council (PGC)
 - 22 Member Pacific Games Associations (PGA's)
 - 2 Invited members Australia & New Zealand (PGC MOU with ONOC)
- Commonwealth Games Federation – Regional Vice President Oceania
 - 14 Commonwealth Games Associations (CGA's)



Oceania National Olympic Committees (ONOC)

- ONOC is our Continental Olympic Partner of significance, Offices in Suva Fiji and Guam; effective regional governance.
- Strategic focus supporting organised IF's (OSFO), offers programs for Athletes, Coaches, Education, Training & Development, High Performance, Olympic Values.
- Sport Education Program (OSEP) community based platform that ISAF will integrate to qualify OSAF for Regional Sport Grants.
- Network of Communications OSIC – sports information centre
- Athletes OAC – Oceania Athletes Commission.
- OS - Olympic Solidarity Programs & grants.

Olympic Games, its Continental Games is the Pacific Games



The Benefits of a Regional approach to Development

- Culture supports Communities, Friendship & Unity
- Language, Vision and Enthusiasm
- Scales the world to an attainable & manageable vision that is Regional
- Foundations of existing infrastructure, binds and builds effective & sustainable partnerships
- ISAF multi-discipline diversity will become our Strength
- Oceania Continent Sport is a coordinated, integrated approach
- Learning by example, watching other sports is a simple short cut to achieving development

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OSAF ONOC Joint Program Example

Multi Program coordination – Course & Structure

- ISAF Tech Officials courses for Coaches & RO's – ONOC Development of National Sports Structure (Sailing)
 - Integrated into an OSAF/ONOC DNSS Continental Program managed by Regional Sports Federation
 - 3 components to the Joint Program
 - 1. Opens at Continental Champs (1 week in lead up)
 - 2. Delivered In-country specific content (12 to 25 weeks)
 - 3. Presentations & Publication at OSAF/ONOC Annual Conference
- Benefits – ISAF programs + ONOC support + targeted MNA's
- Outcomes – 1 week Oceania Technical Course + 12week in-country intensive system role out + Agenda focus at Annual Conference Workshop



Integrating Development with Regional Games Delivery

- Pacific Games the Regional Games of Oceania
- Port Moresby 2015 test events in Sailing & 3 others sports
- IOC/ONOC Oceania Games policy, the Pacific Games MOU, the 2016 Joint PGC/ONOC/OSFO Review
- PGC Calendar: Vanuatu 2017, Tonga 2019, Northern Mariana's 2021
- Commonwealth Games/Youth 2015



Integrated Events & Programs

Integrated ISAF/OSAF Calendar of Events & Programs of Continental Associations (Clinics, Education, Seminars, Competition)									
Year	2015		2016		2017		2018		
Calendar of Competition Events	Venue	Dates	Venues	Dates	Venue	Dates	Venue	Dates	
Pacific Games	PNG	5-11 July 2015			Vanuatu	Aug-17			
Olympic Youth							Bueneaires	Aug-18	
Olympic Games			Rio	Aug-16					
Youth Worlds	Lankawi Bay MSA	27Dec 3 Jan	Oman	27-Dec-16	Akko Israel	??	Corpus Christi, Texas	??	
ISAF Worlds	N/a		N/a		N/a		Aarhus Denmark	1-Aug-18	
Regional Training Clinics	Suva	24-30 April 2015	PNG	Apr-16	Vanuatu	Apr-17	Cook Islands	Apr-18	
Oceania Championships	Suva	1-4 May 2015	PNG	Apr-16	Vanuatu	Apr-17	Cook Islands	Apr-18	
Youth Worlds ENP Scholarship	Malaysia	Dec-15	Oman	Dec-16	Akko Israel	??	Corpus Christi, Texas	??	
Calendar of Race Management Clinics					Calendar of Race Management Clinics				
Name of MNA	AMS	COK	FJI	GUM	NMA	PLU	PNG	SAM	
Proposed Dates of Clinic	TBA	2018	2016	2016	2016	2017	11-16 April 2015		
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Location		Aitutaki	Suva	Guam	Saipan	Palau	Port Moresby	Apia	
Calendar of Education & Training Programs					Calendar of Education & Training Programs				
OSAF in-country Programs	Tonga	Feb-15	Vanuatu	April	Vanuatu	Aug-17	Tonga		
	PNG	Apr-15	N'th'n Mariana		Guam		FSM		
	PNG	Jul-15	Guam		Solomon		Palau		
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Encouraging ICA's establishing Regional Oceania Class Associations

- Integrates and utilises ICA capacity
- Delivers capacity to Continental & Regional Games & Events
- Facilitates & enables
 - the ICA – OCA – NCA Event & Continental Champs coordination
 - The ISAF - OSAF- NMA Training resources & development capacities



Innovative Regional Program Strategies – in Summary

- Regional Governance
- Education & Training
- Competitions & Class Associations
- Joint and multiple Programs
- Concept that build Sailing on our Island maritime cultures, our neighbours and neighbourhood, we refer to as Oceania Sport an integrated Continental Region
- Footnote:
 - In line with ISAF 2014 Conference discussions, the ISAF Committees recommendations and Council's decision to appoint a Working Party to consider submissions re Governance and Continental Associations



Oceania Lasers 2013 Wallis Aussie, Cooks and New Cal

