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**CRGA INTERACTIVE SESSIONS: TUESDAY 26 JUNE 2018**

The session is designed to give members and development partners the opportunity to personally experience some of the key areas of technical work that the teams conduct in member countries and territories. This will also give members the opportunity to seek clarification about where and how this work is being carried out, and how this information is disseminated within the region.

The three sessions being organised include:

1. how population data assists in policy development for disaster risk resilience and food security in the Pacific;
2. the importance of human rights and gender considerations in the climate resilience context;
3. how drone technology is being used to support decision-making for a more resilience Pacific.

Participants will be split into 3 groups and these groups will rotate through each demonstration site. Details for each site are as follows:

**1. Session 1: Statistics data for resilience building in the Pacific**

- **Team:** Statistics for Development Division
- **Location:** IT training room
- **Time:** 35 minutes
- **Objectives and learning outcomes:** *Building a greater understanding of how population data is being used for disaster risk management, disaster risk resilience and food security in Pacific Island countries and territories*
- **Proposed activity:** Live mapping demonstration with a question and answer session

**2. Session 2: The importance of human rights and gender in climate resilience**

- **Team:** Regional Rights Resources Team & Social Development Programme
- **Location:** Main Conference Room Foyer Area
- **Time:** 35 minutes
- **Objectives and learning outcomes:** *Promote the discussion of non-discrimination and inclusion in the climate resilience context.*

- **Proposed activity:** A 'power walk' with role-play by participants who will be given real life examples in differing circumstances from around the region.

**3. Session 3: Drones to decision making for a more resilient Pacific**

- **Team:** Geoscience Energy and Maritime
- **Location:** Tennis Courts
- **Time:** 35 minutes
- **Objectives and learning outcomes:** *How science based solutions can be used to address challenges such as disaster risk and climate change in the Pacific.*
- **Proposed Activity:** Drone demonstration of a combination of physical 3D models, computer generated scientific modelling, and physical instruments will be used throughout this interactive session where participants can see the causal link between data collection and use of this data.