

**UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development (2021-2030)  
Regional Kickoff Conference for the Western Pacific and its Adjacent Areas  
25-26 November 2021, online**

**PROGRAM**

**DECADE ACTION INCUBATOR 10:**

**Ocean spikes a fever: Marine heatwaves (MHWs) over the monsoonal ocean areas and their social and ecological impacts**

**Friday 26 November 2021, 0830-1030 (UTC+7, Bangkok time)**

**Registration**

**Convener:** Weidong Yu, Sun Yat-Sen University, China

1. Introduction, *Weidong Yu, SYSU, China (5 min)*
2. Invited talks (30 min, 15 min each)
  - Marine heatwaves in South China Sea, *Chunzai Wang, SCSIO, China*
  - Coral surviving extreme heat, *Anne Cohen, WHOI, USA*
3. Panel discussion (45 min)
  - *Vo Si Tuan, IO, Vietnam*
  - *Somkiat Khokiattiwong, IOC/WESTPAC*
  - *Augy Syahailatua, LIPI, Indonesia*
  - *Rithy Meas, MoE, Cambodia*
  - *Mohd Fadzil bin Mohd Akhir, UMT, Malaysia*
  - *Maria Vanessa Baria-Rodriguez, UP, Philippines*
4. Open discussion (30 min)
5. Conclusion (10 min)