



Focus Group Discussion  
**Context and Perspectives for the Blue and Green Economy**

15 April 2026, 1:00-4:00 PM

Online via Zoom

**PROGRAM**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Speaker / Lead</b>
1:00 – 1:15 PM	Admission	
1:15 – 1:25 PM	Welcome Remarks	Dr. Cornelia Nauen Board Chair, Quantitative Aquatics (Q-quatics) President, Mundus maris
1:25 – 1:30 PM	Overview: Objectives and Expected Outputs	Dr. Loida Corpus Executive Director, Q-quatics
1:30 – 1:40 PM	Introduction of Speakers and Participants	Mr. Timothy Parakikay Researcher, Q-quatics
1:40 – 1:45 PM	Setting the Context: Blue and Green Economy	Dr. Cornelia Nauen Board Chair, Q-quatics President, Mundus maris
1:45 – 2:30 PM	Panel Presentations (15 min each)	<b>Bioresource Roadmap of the Philippines</b> Dr. Neil Aldrin Mallari President and Chief Scientist Center for Conservation Innovations PH  <b>Anchoring the Blue-Green Economy in Local and Indigenous Knowledge</b> Dir. Naderev Saño Executive Director Sentro para sa Ikauunlad ng Katutubong Agham at Teknolohiya (SIKAT)

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2:30 – 3:30 PM	Open Forum / Q&A	<p><b>Beyond Buzz Words: Transdisciplinary science must inform the greening of the blue economy</b>            Dr. Cornelia Nauen            Board Chair, Q-quatics            President, Mundus maris</p>
3:30 – 3:55 PM	Synthesis of Key Points	<p>Dr. Benjamin Vallejo, Jr.            Convenor, Conservation and Biodiversity Program (UPCIDS-CBP)            Corporate Secretary, Q-quatics BOT</p>
3:55 – 4:00 PM	Closing Remarks	<p>Dr. Benjamin Vallejo, Jr.            Convenor, UPCIDS-CBP            Corporate Secretary, Q-quatics BOT</p>
3:55 – 4:00 PM	Closing Remarks	<p>Dr. Loida Corpus            Executive Director, Q-quatics</p>

*Master of Ceremony:  
 Mr. Timothy Parakikay  
 Q-quatics*

*Moderator:  
 Dr. Benjamin Vallejo, Jr.  
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