Meeting Focus

UNU-INWEH and UNESCO MAB have been providing core funding for this course annually since 2004. It is in our interest to ensure that the course continues to serve a valuable purpose.

To achieve this, UNU INWEH organized this meeting to

i) Review the achievements of Annamalai University in convening the International Training Course on Mangroves and Biodiversity;

ii) Suggest ways for improving the focus and implementation of the course;

iii) Consider expansion of the curriculum;

iv) Explore possible new venue(s) for delivering the course;

v) Discuss possible partnerships, and;

vi) Explore funding options for the future.

It is hoped that this review will lead to significant and important changes to the course. Prior to this external review, an internal review was conducted on site from 10-15 October 2010 by Hanneke Van Lavieren, UNU-INWEH, at Annamalai University, India.
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