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# Tropical Cyclones: Introduction

- Introductions...
- Objectives/ground rules/program/resources/
- Housekeeping/security/IT setup



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# Workshop Objectives

## Workshop objectives

Improve your understanding of the TC risk

Improve your ability to analyse and forecast TCs

Improve your ability to forecast hazards

Improve your ability to conduct briefings and communicate TC hazards

Meet other TC forecasters, exchange ideas/issues and broaden your experience.

Enjoy yourselves.



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# Workshop ground rules

Engage and ask questions when you don't understand

Respect one another and respect facilities

Enjoy yourself

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# Introductions

In pairs discuss then share:

- Name and country
- Role in their organisation
- One thing they would like to get out of the workshop
- One thing about them – what they enjoy doing, something about their background/family