

## Meso American – Caribbean Sea Hydrographic Commission

### Seabed2030 Webinar #1: Introduction

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September 11

#### Time

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| United States (EST) | 7:30-10:00   | 10:00-12:00                     | -4        |
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| Colombia            | 6:30-9:00    | 9:00-11:00                      | -5        |
| Guatemala           | 5:30-8:00    | 8:00-10:00                      | -6        |
| Mexico              | 6:30-9:00    | 9:00-11:00                      | -5        |
| Netherlands         | 13:30-16:00  | 16:00-18:00                     | +2        |
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**7:30-8:30 EST** Please join this webinar from your computer, tablet or smartphone using the URL <https://broadcaster.interactio.io/join?code=4iuze21ddnpfe89>.

**8:30-10:00 EST** Any technical difficulties will be resolved

#### **Topic: Introduction**

**Goal:** Objectives for these webinars, current status of ocean mapping for this region, what we are doing, why it's important and why we need to work together.

10:00-10:15 **Welcome** (MACHC Chair, IOCARIBE Secretary, MACHC Seabed2030

10:15-11:00 **Objectives** for these webinars (Head of RDACC for the Atlantic and Indian Ocean and Director DCDB)

- What we are doing and why
- Why we need to do this together
- How we can help you
- Review of status of mapping in the region based on

- GEBCO 2020 Map
- IHO DCDB
- Presentation and review of Seabed 2030 - MACHC Web App

11:00-11:45 **Discussion**

11:45-12:00 **Conclusions and Homework for Next Session**

***Homework: Identify and assemble information about existing datasets that are not represented in the Seabed 2030 - MACHC web app. Assemble information about technical challenges that we might be able to help you address.***