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Governance in community based natural resource management

COURSE COMPONENTS

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This five day course offered by the Programme for Land and Agrarian Studies (PLAAS) at the University of the Western Cape in association with IUCN and the Centre for Applied Social Studies (CASS) at the University of Zimbabwe was run from the 10-14 September 2001 in Cape Town.

The course in action



Course outline

The course contained four linked components.

Foundations

Component 1 introduced the theory and practice of CBNRM before focusing on the governance dimensions

- ✘ What is CBNRM?
- ✘ CBNRM in Southern Africa - a short history
- ✘ Case studies highlighting governance dimensions of CBNRM - Zimbabwe wildlife, Mozambique forestry and Malawi fisheries

Key concepts

Component 2 uses the case studies to unpack and analyse key concepts highlighting the linkages between resource tenure, institutions and governance

- ✘ Key tenure concepts - resource tenure and governance
- ✘ Governance issues in CBNRM
- ✘ Institutions at work - case familiarisation
- ✘ Understanding institutions - key concepts

Trends and dynamics

Component 3 focused on key issues emerging from CBNRM practice in the region

- ✘ Key trends in CBNRM in the region
- ✘ Policy, legislation and trends - sectoral analysis

Making CBNRM work

Component 4 provided a practitioner's guide to the planning and implementation of CBNRM agreements.

- ✘ A CBNRM process model
- ✘ A process diary - negotiating a CBNRM agreement
- ✘ Enterprise development - insights from the region
- ✘ Establishing legal entities for CBNRM
- ✘ Planning for capacity and institutional development
- ✘ Conflict prevention and management in CBNRM
- ✘ Institutional support requirements for effective governance and CBNRM

Selected materials from the course will be posted on this site in the next few days.

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