Establishing a Quality Control Peer Review Committee:

Components of the Quality Assurance Plan

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Regional Workshop on Moving from Climate Change Impact Assessment to Socio-Economic Impact Assessment in Arab Region (Beirut, 8-10 June 2015)

Reviewing RICCAR Outputs

Quality Assurance Plan aims to cover:

- RCM outputs
- RHM outputs
- Integrated Vulnerability Assessment Layers and aggregation
- Arab Climate Change Assessment Report

- Expertise would later be solicited to contribute to services that may be solicited through Regional Knowledge Hub
ACCWaM support to RICCAR

Quality Assurance Plan

1. Set-up and meeting of an Evaluation Task Force to review test results on the basis of sector and geographic-based expertise of the Arab Region.
   - The task force would receive the test results prior to a meeting (Beirut, 2 days).
   - The set-up and organization of the task force would be coordinated by ESCWA and funded by GIZ.

2. Consultation with the VA Working Group and beneficiary countries on the applied vulnerability assessment methodology for the Arab region, data inputs and preliminary findings

3. Review by RICCAR Partners of final outputs
   - Partnership includes institutions with expertise in regional climate modeling, hydrological modeling, meteorology, agriculture, disasters, health, socio-economics, sustainable development, geopolitics…and of course, water.

RICCAR Partners

Implementing Partners

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- UNEP
- WMO
- ACSAD
- LAS
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- UNISDR
- Cairo Office
- giz

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Contributing Research Institutes supporting Regional Climate Modelling

- Center of Excellence for Climate Change Research/ King Abdulaziz University (CECCR/KAU) - KSA
- King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST) - KSA
- Climate Services Center (CSC) - Germany
Thank you!

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