

**Risk Assessment and Social Workplan Assessors**

Demonstration of Qualifications

The risk assessment and social workplan must be completed by an individual or team with the required expertise, as described in the “[Qualifications for Conducting Risk Assessments and Creating Social Workplans](https://fisheryprogress.org/resources-fips/find-qualified-consultant)”. Individuals or teams that are seeking approval for completing a risk assessment or workplan must complete and submit this form, along with the individual’s CV and any other relevant evidence needed to demonstrate qualifications to contact@fisheryprogress.org

| **Full Name:** |  |
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**Qualifications 1-4: Social Expertise**

1. **Does the individual have experience in social auditing?** **☐ Yes ☐ No**

*If yes, please select the appropriate qualifications and provide justification and evidence for each below.*

| **☐** | **1a. Approved social auditor** |
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| *Please provide additional information below:* |  |
| Justification | Evidence |
| ☐ | i. APSCA Member in good standing |  |
| ☐ | ii. Approved auditor for a recognized social program, select one or more:☐ AENOR APR☐ Fair Trade USA Capture Fisheries Standard☐ RFVS☐ STF Vessel Auditable Standard, ☐ Thai Union Vessel Code of Conduct |  |
| ☐ | iii. recognized/ accredited/ approved social auditor of a conformity assessment body (CAB) accredited by ISO 17065 or ASI for the scope of a relevant social standard. Relevant social standards include: EFI, ETI, Fair Trade Certified, FairWild Standard, GRASP, Rainforest Alliance, SA8000, SMETA, UTZ. Please provide details: |  |
| **☐** | **1b. Have undertaken a minimum of 2 formal social audits either individually or as a team member in the past 10 years** |
| *Please list the social audits you have undertaken:* |
| Date | Audit | Evidence Provided |
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| **☐** | **1c. Have undertaken a minimum of 1 informal social audit (such as a social pre-assessment) or human rights risk assessments in the past 5 years either individually or as a team member** |
| *Please list the informal social audits you have undertaken:* |
| Date | Informal audit | Evidence Provided |
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| **☐** | **1c. Have attended at least one training against a relevant social standard (as defined above) in the past 5 years** |
| *Please list the training you have participated in:* |
| Date | Training | Evidence Provided |
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**2a. Does the individual have experience working to address social issues in fisheries or fishing communities similar to the FIP? ☐** Yes ☐ No

*If yes, please provide additional information below.*

| Date | Experience  | Evidence Provided |
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 **2b. Has the individual attended a training on the SRA or a recognized social program?** ☐Yes ☐ No

*If yes, please provide additional information below.*

| Date | Training | Evidence Provided |
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**Qualifications 5: Fishery Expertise**

Is the individual currently listed in the FisheryProgress [Database of Qualified Consultants](https://fisheryprogress.org/resources-fips/find-qualified-consultant)? **☐** Yes ☐ No

*If yes, you may stop here. If no, continue to the below questions.*

1. Does the individual have a university degree in fisheries, marine conservation biology, natural resources, environmental management, or other relevant field? **☐** Yes ☐ No
2. Has the individual completed a relevant training, such as successfully completing the [online MSC assessor training modules](http://byglearning.com/MAR-3612-LMS/Content/Login.aspx) for the latest version of the fisheries standard? **☐** Yes ☐ No

*If yes, please provide additional information below.*

| Date | Training | Evidence Provided |
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1. Has the individual undertaken a minimum of 2 fishery assessments or surveillance site visits against a relevant capture fisheries standard (e.g. MSC, Fair Trade Capture Fisheries Standard, MarinTrust) as a team member in the past 10 years? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide additional information below.

| Date | Assessment or surveillance site visits | Evidence Provided |
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1. Is the individual currently listed on the [MSC’s Register](https://www.msc.org/for-business/fisheries/developing-world-and-small-scale-fisheries/fips) as a technical consultant or associate technical consultant? **☐** Yes ☐ No
2. Does the individual have other relevant experience[[1]](#footnote-0) working in or supporting fisheries? **☐** Yes ☐ No

*If yes, please provide additional information below.*

* How many years of relevant experience do you have? \_\_\_\_ years
* Is your experience clearly articulated in your CV? **☐** Yes ☐ No. *If no, please provide additional information below:*

| Date | Organization or Client | Experience |
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**Qualifications 6: Language Proficiency**

Please describe the individual’s relevant language proficiency.

| **Language(s)** | **Expertise** | **Explanation** |
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**Qualifications 7: Independence**

Please indicate if the individual has any of the following relationships to the FIP:

| ☐ Employee☐ Employer☐ Financial or commercial interest**☐** None of the above | *Please provide additional information as needed:*  |
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1. Other relevant experience working in or supporting fisheries includes:

	* 1. Fish stock assessment: at least 3 years of experience as a leader in the production of peer-reviewed stock assessments.
		2. Fish stock biology/ecology: at least 3 years of experience working in fisheries biology and population dynamics.
		3. Fishing impacts on aquatic ecosystems: at least 3 years of experience in research into, policy analysis for, or management of fisheries impacts on aquatic ecosystems.
		4. Fishery management and operations: at least 3 years of experience as a practicing fishery manager and/or fishery policy analyst.
		5. Commercial or subsistence fishing. [↑](#footnote-ref-0)