

20th Conference of the Southern African and Islands Hydrographic Commission SAIHC20

National Report by Seychelles



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SAIHC20, 17-19 September 2024
Kisumu, Kenya



TOP ACHIEVEMENTS DURING THE YEAR

- Signed a MoU with UKHO as our hydrographic partner
- UKHO surveyed between Mahe and Praslin to update national hydrographic data



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TOP CHALLENGES AND/OR OBSTRUCTIONS

- Capacity building
- Lack of specialised equipment and personnel



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TOP PLANS THAT AFFECT THE REGION

(CHARTS, SURVEYS, TRAINING, OTHER)

- With the recent survey conducted by the UKHO and the MoU signed, Seychelles is re-establishing its hydrographic capabilities through partnership
- Development of a legally binding Marine Spatial Plan
- Re-establishing a national hydrographic committee



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ACTIONS REQUESTED FROM SAIHC19

- Capacity building in Seychelles to understand next generation ENC's
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