## Climate Resilient Tonga Professional Development Program



Tonga is extremely vulnerable to the adverse effects of climate change and disasters because of its geographical, geological and socio-economic features. Fabian will be talking about his experience in the development and delivery of training on climate change adaptation and disaster risk reduction for Tongan Government staff. The practical training, accredited by TAFE NSW, was delivered in Tonga by an Australian team consisting of experts from the private, government and university sectors. The program covered international institutions, climate projections for the South Pacific, frameworks for climate change adaptation and resilience, communications and community engagement strategies, approaches to national environmental accounting, emergency management and disaster preparedness. The program has been recognised as a case study by NCCARF

https://coastadapt.com.au/sites/default/files/case studies/CS87 Resilient Tonga.pdf