Making the Most of the Global WOPs Alliance:
Regional/National WOP Platforms’ Workshop
18 February 2015
in Barcelona, Spain
Meeting Objectives

• To get a better understanding of the respective roles and activities of the platforms and GWOPA Secretariat
• To understand the value in working more closely together
• To identify concrete ways to support one another
## Proposed Agenda

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| 09.30 – 10.00 | Introductions and Objectives  
Round of member introductions | Julie Perkins                  |
| 10.00 - 10.15 | Brief Intro to WOPs and the Global Alliance | Faraj El-Awar                  |
| 10.15 – 11.30 | Understanding Platform Diversity: Functions, Experiences, Challenges and Achievements (Part 1) | Jose-Luis Martin-Bordes        |
| 11.30 – 11.45 | coffee                                                                 |                               |
| 11.45 – 13.15 | Understanding Platform Diversity: Functions, Experiences, Challenges and Achievements (Part 2) | Maria Pascual-Sanz             |
| 13.15 – 14.30 | lunch                                                                  |                               |
| 14.30 – 16.00 | Secretariat Role in supporting the Platforms  
1) Knowledge and Communications  
2) Operational Support  
3) Tools  
Discussion | Julie Perkins  
Jose-Luis Martin Bordes  
Craig Laird |
| 16.00 – 16.15 | coffee                                                                 |                               |
| 16.15 – 17.25 | Opportunities for Collaboration  
Going forward  
- The Global WOPs Congress  
- Next Steps for Collaboration | Taeko Yokota                   |
| 17.25- 17.30 | Closing                                                               | Faraj El-Awar                  |
Outcomes

• Recommendations to the GWOPA SC
• Set of next steps for greater collaboration
• An input into BEWOP consultation