

ICE_ReD Iceland redfish
ICE_HAD Iceland haddock
ICE_SAI Iceland saithe
IEC_COD Iceland cod
ICE_LING Iceland ling
ICE_TUSK Iceland tusk
ICE_HER Iceland ISS herring
ICE Multi species demersal (6 fisheries)
ICE ISS herring (1 fishery)

Notification to Stakeholders: Change of assessment team member

GTC wishes to inform stakeholders of changes in the assessment team for the above fishery. Deirdre Hoare will be replacing Vito Romito's role as Lead Assessor. Deirdre already is an assessment team member on the team as 'Ecosystem impacts' Assessor.

Deirdre has a BSc in Marine Science and a MSc. in Marine Zoology from Galway University. She completed RFM Fishery Team Leader training for FAO RFM, IRF v.2.1 and passed the Lead Auditor ISO 19011 course. Deirdre is based in Wicklow, Ireland and was involved in numerous RFM fisheries assessments in Alaska in the last 14 years. Deirdre meets the Fishery Team Leader Qualification and Competency Criteria for FAO RFM:

- A degree in a relevant subject.
- 5 years' experience in research into, policy analysis for, or management of fisheries impacts on aquatic ecosystems, and/or marine conservation biology sufficient to allow for the understanding and evaluation of the fishery interactions with non-target stocks, other non-commercial species, sensitive habitats and the wider ecosystem.
- Current knowledge of the country, language and local fishery context that is sufficient to support meaningful assessment of the fishery.
- Review any updates to the FAO RFM Fisheries Program Documents at least annually.
- Passed the Lead Auditor ISO 19011 course.
- Has experience in applying different types of interviewing and facilitation techniques.

All other team member responsibilities are as per the reassessment announcement.

GTC is happy to receive comments from stakeholders on this team member change.

All interested stakeholders are encouraged to contact GTC by email: <u>ClientServicesie@nsf.org</u>

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