Workshop on Climate Modeling, Scenarios and Downscaling under the NWP

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Downscaling Activities

- . PRECIS Model in the Caribbean
- Coordinate regional efforts
 - INSMET (Cuba)
 - UWI (Barbados and Jamaica)
 - CCCCC Headquarters (Belize)
- Agreement with Hadley Centre for updates and other scenarios
- MOU with CATHALAC
- These activities will continue and outputs are available to institutions in Caribbean and Central America

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Capacity Building

- Centre provides regional and national training to its Members
- Regional workshop on use of PRECIS held in Belize in September 2006
- Trinidad and Tobago has requested a similar workshop
- Centre is mandated to support capacity building activities in the Caribbean
 - Supports MSc programme in Climate Change at UWI Barbados
 - Co-sponsors regional workshops with GCOS, UNITAR,
 Commonwealth Secretariat, UNDP, UNEP, NCSP,
 OAS, UWI, CDERA