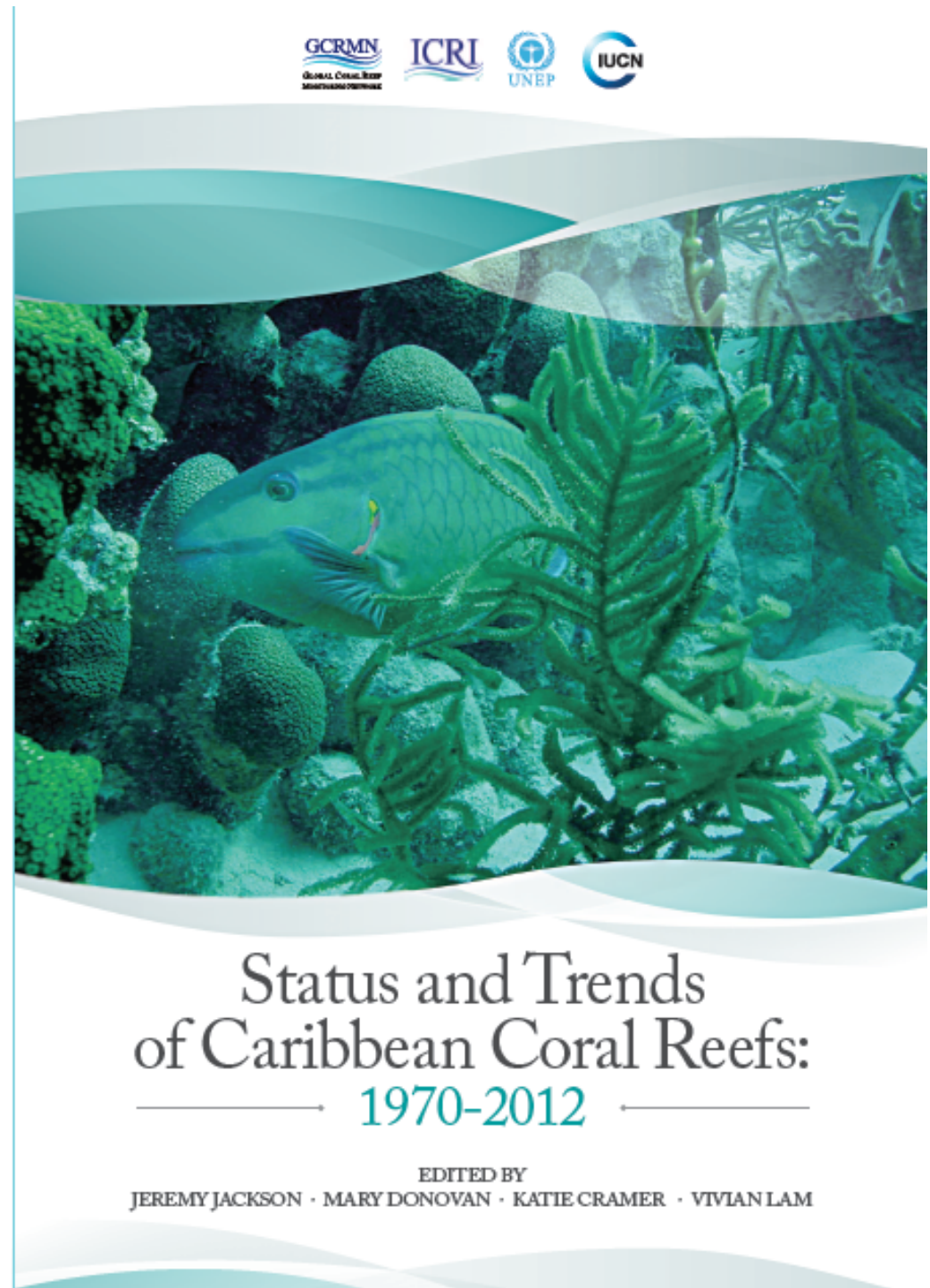




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- New approach
 - Historic perspective
 - Detailed quantitative analyses and presentation
- New report on *Status and Trends of Caribbean Coral reefs*
 - 245 pages with in depth synthesis and 30 individual reports on countries and territories
 - A regional meeting with 36 individuals from 18 countries in Panama

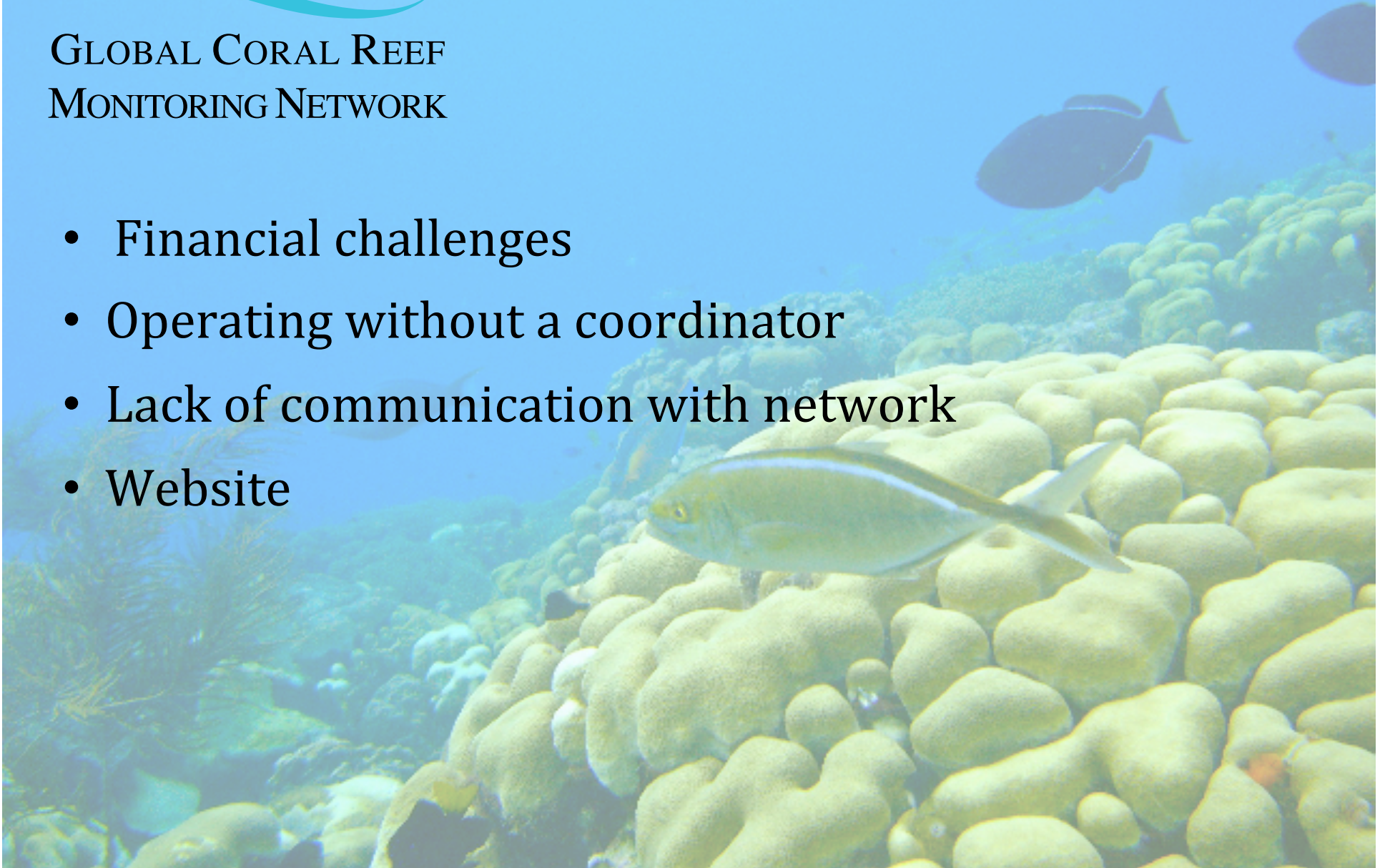




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Recent challenges

- Financial challenges
- Operating without a coordinator
- Lack of communication with network
- Website





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Improvements

- Hiring new coordinator
- Revitalization of management committee roles and membership
- Edits to the GCRMN website
- Online repository for coral reef monitoring data



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Next Steps

- Upcoming efforts in
 - Eastern Tropical Pacific
 - Northern Pacific
 - North & East Asia
- Global Synthesis at ICRS 2016

