



The Mediterranean Sea Space - Final Conference MSP-MED project

Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche, Piazzale Aldo Moro 7, Rome (Access to the room from Via dei Marrucini s.n.c.)

FIRST DAY, 13th October

9.20 Registration and welcome coffee

10:00. FIRST SESSION Opening

Chair: Pierpaolo Campostrini, CORILA, IT

- Introduction to the MSP-MED project and to the conference by the Chair
- The President of the National Research Council, Maria Chiara Carrozza, IT
- The Minister of Sustainable Infrastructures and Mobilities, Enrico Giovannini, IT
- The Rector of Iuav University of Venice, Benno Albrecht, IT
- The Representative of EC DG MARE, Celine Frank, BE

10:40 Keynote lecture "Challenges for our common Mediterranean Sea" Fabio Trincardi, CNR, IT

11:00 Coffee break

11:30 SECOND SESSION

The challenges of national planning in the Mediterranean Sea Space

Chair: Michelle Borg, Planning Authority MT

- Introduction to the session by the Chair
- Lecture: Common elements of the national MSP Plans of the EU MS in the Med and the processes of non-EU Mediterranean countries María Gómez Ballesteros & Cristina Cervero Núñez, IEO CSIS, SP
- Panel discussion (moderated by Slavko Mezek, KRC, SL) Strengths and weaknesses of the MSP processes in the MED

Participants will be representatives of the Competent Authorities of: Italy, Greece, France, Slovenia, Malta, Spain, Croatia

13:05 Lunch

14:30 THIRD SESSION

Key Enablers for effective MSP in the Mediterranean Sea









- 14:40 III.1 Ecosystem-based approach in MSP and the Biodiversity Strategy 2030 challenge
- Introduction by Neil Alloncle CEREMA, FR

Panellists:

- o Sasa Raicevic, ISPRA, IT
- o Mauro Randone, WWF MED
- o Cristina Simioli, RWG
- 15:30 III.2 Accessible and manageable data for MSP
- Introduction by Stefano Menegon CNR-ISMAR, IT

Panellists:

- o Andrej Abramic, University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, SP
- o Adeline Souf, Shom, FR
- o Nicolò Bassan, UNEP
- 16:25 Coffee break
- 16:45 III.3 Cultural-based approach and Interdisciplinary science for knowledge-based MSP
- Introduction Harris Kokkossis, UTH, GR

Panellists:

- o Kira Gee, Helmholtz-Zentrum Hereon, DE TBC
- o Mounir Ghribi, OGS, IT
- o Barbara Davidde, MIC, IT TBC
- o Maddalena Bassani, IUAV, IT
- 18:00 Wrap up from the Chair and end of the first day

SECOND DAY, 14th October

- 8:50 Registration
- 9:10 Communicating MSP in the MED: a dialogue between Folco Soffietti, Hadi El Hage (IUAV,IT) and Monica Campillos (IEO CSIC, SP), facilitated by Armelle Sommier (Shom, FR)
- 9:40 FOURTH SESSION

 Towards a Mediterranean Agenda for MSP

Chair: Andrea Barbanti, CNR, IT







Panelists:

- Celine Frank. EC- DG MARE
- Mitja Bricelj, Ministry of Environment SL TBC 0
- Alessandra Sensi, UfM 0
- Marina Markovic, PAP-RAC 0
- Thanos Smanis, MSP Platform
- 11:00 Coffee break

FIFTH SESSION 11:30

The political challenge: allocating maritime space for sustainable development of blue economy and stability in the Mediterranean

Moderator: Maria Latella, journalist

Participants:

Enrico Giovannini. Minister of Sustainable Infrastructures and Mobilities

Vincenzo Celeste, Director General for European Union, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International cooperation, IT

Gilles Lericolais, General Secretariat of the Sea, FR, President of the European Marine Board

Marta Martinez-Gil Pardo De Vera, Deputy assistant director and coordinator of the MSP Area. Subdirectorate-General for Sea Protection MITECO, SP

Alessandra Sensi, Head of Sector - Environment, Green and Blue Economy, UfM Secretariat, IT

Stavros Antoniadis, Associate Administrative Officer, UNEP/MAP, GR

12:50 Wrap -up and conclusions

Interventions by the MSPMED Project Coordinator and by EC DG MARE representative

13:10 End of the Conference

Lunch

























