

SEAS-ERA Final Conference Agenda

April 8-9th 2014

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Agenda APRIL 8TH 2014

Morning Session.

09.30-12.30 Overview of the first year of the projects funded by Seas-Era Atlantic and Mediterranean call.

20 min each one+10 questions

- ✓ SEAMAN (Spatially resolved ecosystem models and their application to marine management). **Corinna Schrum**, University of Bergen (Norway).
- ✓ EMoSEM (Ecosystem models as support to eutrophication management in the North Atlantic Ocean). **Geneviève Lacroix**, RBINS-MUMM (Belgium).
- ✓ INVASIVES (Invasive seaweeds in rising temperatures: impacts and risk assessments). **Kjersti Sjøtun**, University of Bergen (Norway).

11.00-11.30 Coffee break

- ✓ MERMAID (Marine environmental targets linked to regional management schemes based on indicators developed for the Mediterranean). **Eleni Kaberi**, Hellenic Centre for Marine Research, HCMR (Greece).
- ✓ CIGESMED (Coralligenous based indicators to evaluate and monitor the "good ecological status" of the Mediterranean coastal waters). **Jean-Pierre Feral**, CNRS Délégation Provence et Corse (France).

12.30-12.45 Press release.

12.45-13.15 Opening Ceremony of the Final Conference.

Welcome, scope of the Conference. **Beatriz Morales-Nin**, MINECO.

Welcome by UIB representant. **Jaume Carot**, Vice-Rector of Research of the University of the Balearic Islands.

Welcome by MINECO representant. **Marina Villegas**, General Director for Scientific and Technical Research.

13.15-14.00 Lunch

14.00-17.00. Evening Session Seas-Era in the European context.

25 min presentations+5 min questions.

- ✓ STAGES: connecting science to policy to support MSFD implementation. **Raquel Diez**, CETMAR.
- ✓ Marine Research Infrastructures in Europe: overview, vision and recommendations. **Jean François Masset**, IFREMER.
- ✓ EMODNET-European Marine Observation and Data Network. **Jan-Bart Caleawert**, EMODNET.

15.30-16.00 Coffee break

- ✓ Pros and cons of the basin approach. **Kaisa Kononen**, Bonus.
- ✓ Structuring research in Europe. **Niall McDonough**, EMB.

17.00-18.00 Seas-Era Partners NSC meeting (closed meeting)

20.00 Official Working Dinner.

APRIL 9TH 2014

Morning Session. 09:30-13:30

25 min presentations +5 min questions.

09.30-12.30 Sea Basin approach.

- ✓ EU Sea Basin Strategies. **Matthew King**, European Commission.
- ✓ How Research and Innovation can contribute to EU Sea Basin Strategies. **Ana-Teresa Caetano**, European Commission.
- ✓ Marine fisheries research in Spain. Opportunities and challenges on the new UE scenario. **Mónica Martínez Castañeda**, Ministry for Agriculture, Food and the Environment (General Secretariat of Fisheries), Spain.

11.00-11.30 Coffee break

- ✓ Towards coordinated Marine Research in the Mediterranean Sea in support of regional societal challenges. **Vangelis Papathanassiou**, HCMR, Greece.
- ✓ Envisioning the Mediterranean Sea growth: 2014 major marine science initiatives for a challenging Basin. **Margherita Cappelletto**, CNR, Italy.
- ✓ JPI-Oceans future perspectives. **Kathrine Angell-Hansen**, JPI-Oceans.

12.30 -13:30 Wrapping-up Seas-Era.

- ✓ Seas-Era Impact and legacy. An overview. **Geoffrey O'Sullivan**, MARINE IE.

Round Table: Ana-Teresa Caetano (UE), Matthew King (UE), Beatriz Morales-Nin (MINECO), Niall McDonough (EMB), Maurice Heral (ANR), Victor Silva (FCT), Jean François Masset (IFREMER), David Cox (BELSPO), Nina Hedlund (RCN).

13.30 Closing the Conference. MINECO

14.00 Lunch