

SEAS-ERA Final Conference

April 8-9th 2014,

Edifici Sa Riera, University of the Balearic Islands, Palma de Majorca (Spain).

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Draft agenda APRIL 8TH 2014

Morning Session.

09.30-11:00 Overview of the first year of the projects funded by Seas-Era Atlantic and Mediterranean call.

20 min each one

- ✓ 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).
- ✓ 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).

11:00-11.30 Coffee break and Press release.

11.30-12:00 Opening Ceremony of the Final Conference.

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

Welcome by UIB representant.

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12:00-18:00. Evening Session Seas-Era in the European context.

25 min presentations+5 min questions.

- ✓ Seas-Era in the context of the marine era-nets. **Ana-Teresa Caetano**, European Commission.
- ✓ Structuring research in Europe. **Niall McDonough**, EMB.
- ✓ 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.

20:00. Official Working Dinner.

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Morning Session. 09:30-13:30

25 min presentations +5 min questions.

09.30-11:00 Sea Basin approach.

- ✓ Sea Basin Strategies in European projects. **Matthew King**, DG MARE, European Commission.
- ✓ Towards coordinated Marine Research in the Mediterranean Sea in support of regional societal challenges. **Vangelis Papathanassiou**, HCMR, Greece.
- ✓ Pros and cons of the basin approach. **Kaisa Kononen**, Bonus.

11.30-12:45 The future.

- ✓ JPI-Oceans. **Kathrina Angell-Hansen**, JPI-Oceans.
- ✓ Blue-growth in the Mediterranean: perspectives for Spain. **(TBC)**.
- ✓ Envisioning the Mediterranean Sea growth: 2014 major marine science initiatives for a challenging Basin. **Marguerita Cappelletto**, CNR.

12:45-13:30 Round Table: Wrapping-up Seas-Era.

- ✓ Seas-Era Impact and legacy. **Geoffrey O'Sullivan**, MARINE IE.
- ✓ Final review and pending tasks. **Beatriz Morales-Nin**, MINECO.

Open Round Table discussions.

Closing the Conference. MINECO