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FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EUROPEAN WATER
DIRECTIVES

LOURDES (FRANCE) 19 – 22 OCTOBER 2016

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM



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Unless indicated differently, all Europe-INBO sessions and side-events are organized at:
the Hotel Paradis (15 Avenue du Paradis Lourdes)

TUESDAY 18 OCTOBER

- **THE WHOLE DAY** **ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS :**
TARBES-LOURDES-PYRENEES AIRPORT or PAU AIRPORT
 - Transfer to the hotel with the following shuttles on Tuesday 18th October:
 - ⇒ 1st shuttle at Pau Airport, 2pm
(for flight AF7534 in particular)
 - ⇒ 2nd shuttle at Tarbes-Lourdes Airport at 5:25 pm
(for flight AF5430 in particular)
 - ⇒ 3rd shuttle at Tarbes-Lourdes Airport at 9:35 pm
(for flight AF5437 in particular)

TUESDAY 18 OCTOBER

- **14:00** **PRE-EVENT:**
18:00 **Workshop on the Programs of Measures - "Peer-Review" Mechanism**
Location: Room Bartrès Hotel Alba (27 Avenue du Paradis Lourdes)



WEDNESDAY 19 OCTOBER

- Transfer to the hotel with the following shuttle on Wednesday 19th October:
 - ⇒ 4th shuttle at Pau Airport at 9:15 pm (for flight AF7532)

- **09:30** **PRE-EVENT (continuation of Tuesday):**
13:00 **Workshop on the Programs of Measures - "Peer-Review" Mechanism**
Location: Room Bartrès Hotel Alba (27 Avenue du Paradis Lourdes)

- **12:00** ***Break***

- **13:00** **WORKSHOP ON "CIRCULAR ECONOMY AND WASTERWATER REUSE":**
17:30 What solutions and what role in the River Basin Management Plans?
See specific agenda
Location: Room Bartrès Hotel Alba (27 Avenue du Paradis Lourdes)

- **13:00** **PRE-EVENT: Session on the "SAID" project:**
16:00 Smart Water Management With Integrated Decision Support Systems
Location : Hotel Paradis (15 Avenue du Paradis Lourdes)

- **16:00** **MENBO LIAISON BUREAU**
17:00 Mediterranean Network of Basin Organizations (MENBO)
 - **Coordinator: Mr. Teodoro Estrela MONREAL**
*MENBO Permanent Technical Secretary:***Location :** Hotel Paradis (15 Avenue du Paradis Lourdes)

- **16:30** **REGISTRATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS AND**
17:00 **DISTRIBUTION OF THE BADGES**

- **17:00** **INBO WORLD LIAISON BUREAU**
18:00 International Network of Basin Organisations (INBO)
 - **Coordinator: Mr. Jean-François DONZIER**
*INBO Secretary General***Location :** Hotel Paradis (15 Avenue du Paradis Lourdes)

- **20:00** **Dinner (Hotel Alba, 27 avenue du Paradis)**



THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER (1/3)

- 08:15 **REGISTRATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS AND**
08:45 **DISTRIBUTION OF THE BADGES**

- 09:00 **OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY OF THE CONFERENCE**
10:00 Welcoming Addresses:
 - Ms. Josette BOURDEU, *Mayor, Lourdes, France*
 - Ms. María Ángeles UREÑA, *Vice-President, MENBO,*
 - Ms. Dinara ZIGANSHINA, *Deputy Secretary, EECCA-NWO, Uzbekistan*
 - Mr. Omar GÓMEZ RUÍZ, *Representative of INBO World President*
 - Mr. Laurent BERGEOT, *Director, Adour-Garonne Water Agency*
 - Mr. Martin MALVY, *President, Adour-Garonne Basin Committee*
 - Mr. François MITTEAULT, *Director for Water & Biodiversity, Ministry of Environment, Energy and the Sea, France*
 - Ms. Carole DELGA, *President, Regional Council, Occitanie Region*
 - Ms. Béatrice LAGARDE, *Préfète des Haute Pyrénées*

- 10:00 **Message of the DG Environment (European Commission)**
10:15
 - Mr. Thomas PETITGUYOT, *Water unit*

- 10:15 ***Coffee Break***

- 10:30 **PRESENTATION OF THE FRENCH WATER GOVERNANCE**
11:20 - **Movie “Water Public Policy in France” (8 min)**
 - **Presentation of the French national water policy (≈20 min)**
 - Mr. François MITTEAULT, *Water and Biodiversity Director, Ministry of Environment, Energy and the Sea, France*
 - **Presentation of water resources management in the Adour-Garonne basin (≈20 min)**
 - Mr. Laurent BERGEOT, *Director General, Adour-Garonne Water Agency*

- 11:20 **OBJECTIVES AND ACTIONS OF INBO AND**
11:50 **THE “EUROPE-INBO” GROUP OF EUROPEAN BASIN ORGANISATIONS**
 - Mr. Jean-François DONZIER, *Secretary General, INBO*
 - Mr. Omar Gómez Ruíz, *General Coordinator of Response to Emergencies and River Basin Councils*
 - **Activities and projects in 2016 – COP22 in Marrakech**
 - **Invitation to the “EUROPE-INBO 2017” conference**

- 11:50 **SIGNING OF A COOPERATION AGREEMENT** *between the Artois-Picardie*
12:00 ***Water Agency and the Directorate of the East Aegean Basin (10 min)***
 - Ms. Mariya BABUKCHIEVA, *East Aegean Basin Directorate, Bulgaria*
 - Koffi Marcus AGBEKODO, *Deputy Director General, Artois-Picardie Water Agency*

- 12:00 ***Lunch (Hotel Paradis)***

☐ THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER (2/3)

- 13:00 **PRE-EVENT: The EDgE project: End-to-end Demonstrator for improved decision-making in the water sector in Europe**
14:00
- 14:00 **ROUNDTABLE 1: WFD: TOWARDS THE 2019 REVIEWS**
15:45

1. Chair and Co-chair (10 min)

Ms. Daniela RADULESCU

Director, National Institute of Hydrology and Water Management of Romania & Permanent Secretary of CEENBO

Mr. Jean-Marie WAUTHIER,

Wallonie-Bruxelles International (Belgium)

2. Rapporteur and Co-rapporteur

Mr. Ray EARLE

Dublin City Council ,Ireland

Mr. Koffi Marcus AGBEKODO

*Deputy Director General,
Artois-Picardie Water Agency*

3. Keynote speakers (20 min)

Mr. Thomas PETITGUYOT

European Commission - DG Environment (Water unit)

Mr. Jean-Marie QUÉMÉNER,

*Head of international and European coordination,
French Ministry of Environment, Energy and Sea.*

4. Panellists (50 min)

1. Ms. Mariya BABUKCHIEVA

*Director of Directorate "Plans and permissions"
East Aegean river basin directorate*

2. Mr. Jean LAUNAY

President, French National Water Committee

3. Ms. Felicia POPOVICI

Expert, National Administration "Apele Romane" (ANAR), Romania

4. Mr. Christian LECUSSAN

First Vice President, Seine Normandy Basin Committee

5. Questions and answers (25 min)

- 15:45 **Coffee Break**

☐ **THURSDAY 20 OCTOBER (3/3)**

- **16:00** **ROUNDTABLE 2: WATER GOVERNANCE IN TRANSBOUNDARY BASINS**
17:45

1. Chair and Co-chair (10 min)

Mr. Pierre ROUSSEL,

Former Board President, Rhône-Mediterranean & Corsica Basin Agency

Ms. Mariya BABUKCHIEVA,

Director, directorate Plans and Permissions, East Aegean river basin directorate

2. Rapporteur and Co-rapporteur

Dr Iwona ZDRALEWICZ

Institute of Meteorology and Water Management, Poland

Mr. Pierre HENRY DE VILLENEUVE

Head of project, IOWater

3. Keynote speaker (10 min)

Mr. Gábor BARANYAI,

*Ministerial commissioner for transboundary natural resources,
Ministry of Justice,*

Former Deputy State Secretary at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Hungary

4. Panellists (60 min)

1. Mr. Tales Carvalho RESENDE,

Water and Environmental Expert, UNESCO-IHP

2. Ms. Hélène MASLIAH-GILKAROV

Technical Expert - Public Participation & Communication, ICPDR

3. Mr. Christian SZACOWNY

*Delegate for institutional relations,
Rhine-Maas Water Agency, France*

4. Mr. Igor HÎNCU

Director, Apele Moldavei, Moldova

5. Mr. Pierre-Nicolas LIBERT

Public Service of Wallonia, Belgium

6. Mariusz ADYNKIEWICZ-PIRAGAS,

*Head of Regional Research Department,
Institute of Meteorology and Water Management, Poland*

5. Questions and answers (25 min)

- **19:00** **Official Gala Dinner**
Cocktail : Grand Hôtel Gallia et Londres, 26, avenue Bernadette Soubirous
Dinner : Hôtel La Solitude, 3 passage St Louis



FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER (1/4)

- **08:15 REGISTRATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS AND**
08:45 DISTRIBUTION OF THE BADGES

- **09:00 ROUNDTABLE 3: ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE: RESOURCES**
10:45 MANAGEMENT, SCARCITY AND DROUGHT
 - **Chair and Co-chair (10 min)**
Mr. Jean LAUNAY
President, French Water Partnership (FWP/PFE)
Mr. Claude MIQUEU
*President of the regulation commission,
French National Water Committee,*

 - **Rapporteur and Co-rapporteur**
Mr. Liviu Nicolae POPESCU
President, GWP- Romania
Mr. Alain PONCET
Director General, CACG

 - **Keynote speaker (10 min)**
Mr. Teodoro ESTRELA
*Head of the Hydrological Planning Department, Júcar River Basin
Authority*
Vice-president of the World Council of Civil Engineers
Permanent Technical Secretary of MENBO

 - **Panellists (50 min)**
 1. **Mr. Philippe CLAPÉ**
*Deputy Director, Data, taxes and international action
Rhone Mediterranean Corsica Water Agency, France*
 2. **Mr. Manuel ROMERO ORTIZ**
President, Guadalquivir Hydrographic Confederation, Spain
 3. **Ms. Dinara ZIGANSHINA** *Deputy Director, (SIC-ICWC)*
Scientific Information Center
of Interstate Commission for Water Coordination in Central Asia
 4. **Mr. François MAUREL**
EDF, France
 5. **Mr. Eduardo C. LEO**
Basin Agency of the Piracicaba, Capivari, Jundiaí

 - **Questions and answers (35 min)**

- 10:45 *Coffee Break***

☐ **FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER (2/4)**

- 11:00 **ROUNDTABLE 4: ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE:**
12:45 **KNOWLEDGE OF FLOOD RISKS, MANAGEMENT OF AQUATIC**
 ENVIRONMENTS AND PREVENTIVE MEASURES IN THE BASINS
 - **Co-chairs (10 min)**

Mr. Gábor BARANYAI,
*Ministerial commissioner for transboundary natural resources,
Ministry of Justice,
Former Deputy State Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Hungary*

Mr. Omar Gómez RUÍZ,
*General Coordinator of Response to Emergencies
and River Basin Council*
 - **Rapporteur and Co-rapporteur**

Mr. Bart FOKKENS
Chairman, European Centre For River Restoration

Mr. Régis THEPOT
Director General, Seine Great Lakes
 - **Keynote speaker (10 min)**

Mr. Ionel-Sorin RÎNDAȘU-BEURAN
*Director Emergency Situations Department,
National Administration "Apele Romane" (ANAR), Romania*
 - **Panellists (50 min)**
 1. **Mr. Pavel PUNČOCHÁŘ,**
General Director, Ministry of Agriculture, Czech Republic
 2. **Mr. Mikhail KALININ,**
*Association of river keepers, Belarus
Member of NWO EECCA Board of Directors,*
 3. **Ms. Aline POPULO,**
*Senior officer (communication and institutional cooperation),
La Martinique Water Office*
 4. **Ms. Maryse CARRERE**
*President, Joint Planning Association of the Pays de Lourdes and
the Gaves Valleys*
 5. **Mr. Pierre-Louis PERRIN**
President, Darches, jointly with

Mr. Claude MIQUEU
*President of the regulation commission,
French National Water Committee,*
 - **Questions and answers (35 min)**
- 13:00 **Lunch (Hotel Paradis)**

☐ **FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER (3/4)**

- 14:00 **Climate-ADAPT project: Dissemination and capacity building supporting adaptation in the framework of the EU Adaptation Strategy**
15:00

- 15:00 **INTERNATIONAL AND REGIONAL INITIATIVES:**
16:30
 - **Chair (10 min)**
Mr. Omar Gómez Ruíz, *Representative of INBO World President*

 - **Speakers (75 min)**
 1. **EU-Morocco twinning on the implementation of the WFD:**
Ms. Naziha CHAKROUNI, *Head of the legal affairs department, Ministry Delegate in charge of Water, Morocco*
 2. **Invitation to the Budapest Water Summit:**
Mr. Gábor BARANYAI,
Ministerial commissioner for transboundary natural resources, Ministry of Justice, Former Deputy State Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Hungary
 3. **Preparation of COP22 water events and the Paris Pact:**
Mr. Jean-François DONZIER, *Secretary General, INBO*
 4. **Implementation of the Water SDG in Moldova**
Mr. Dumitru DRUMEA, *National coordinator, GWP Moldova*
 5. **The cooperation between the Artois-Picardie Water Agency and the Directorate of the East Aegean Basin**
Ms. Mariya BABUKCHIEVA,
East Aegean Basin Directorate, Bulgaria
 6. **Results of the EU Peer Review Mechanism and of the Workshop on “Circular economy and wastewater reuse”**
Mr. Yannick POCHON
Project manager, IOWater

- 16:30 **Coffee Break**
16:45

☐ **FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER (4/4)**

- 16:45 **OFFICIAL CLOSING CEREMONY**
17:45
 Chaired by: - Mr. Laurent **BERGEOT**, *Director Adour-Garonne Water Agency*
 - Mr. Jean **LAUNAY**, *President, National Water Committee, France*
 - **Mr. Ray EARLE:**
 Invitation at the next Europe-INBO Conference 2017 in Dublin
 Coordinator of the Eastern River Basin District – Ireland
 - **Reporting from the 4 roundtables (20 min)**
 - **"Declaration of Lourdes" approval**
 - **Official transfer of Europe-INBO presidency from Greece to France**

- 20:00 ***Dinner (Hôtel La Solitude, 3 passage St Louis)***

SATURDAY 22 OCTOBER

- 09:00 STUDY VISIT (including mountain picnic)
16:00

SATURDAY 22 AND SUNDAY 23 OCTOBER

DEPARTURE OF THE PARTICIPANTS

Two shuttles on Sunday 23rd October:

- ⇒ 1st shuttle going at Pau Airport for the flight AF7537 planned for departure at 10:45 am
- ⇒ 2nd shuttle going at Tarbes-Lourdes Airport for the flight AF5429 planned for departure at 2:05 pm and at Pau Airport for the flight AF7535 planned for departure at 2:40 pm

SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION INTO:

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