After Cop21
Adaptation Policies for the Mediterranean
Case of Lebanon
Venue: Hôtel Le Royal
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TENTATIVE AGENDA
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09:00 – 09:30 Registration

09:30 – 10:00 Opening

- Mr. Fadi Comair, Director General of Hydraulic & Electric Resources, Honorary President of Mediterranean Basin Organisation (5min)
- Ms. Roula Majdalani, Director of Sustainable Development and Productivity Division, Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia, ESCWA (5min)
- M. Ghassan Sayyah, Representing H.E Mr. Mohamad El-Machnouk, Minister of Environment (5min)
- H.E Ms. Christina Lassen, Head of Delegation of European in Lebanon (tbc) (5min)
- H.E, Mr. Emmanuel Bonne Ambassador of France in Lebanon (tbc) (5min)
- H.E. Mr. Arthur Nazarian, Minister of Energy & Water

10:00 – 10:20 Keynote Speaker:

- Cop21: Pact of Paris and its adaptation to Climate Change in the Mediterranean Basin (10min).

  (Mr. Jean-Francois Donzier, Director General of International Office of Water, Secretary General of International Basin Organisation, INBO)

10:20 – 10:30 Discussions

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break
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11:00 – 12:15

Moderator: H.E Adel Cortas. Former Minister of Agriculture, President of Friends of Water Association

- Water Resources Management and its adaptations to Climate Change in National and Transboundary basins
  
  Lessons learned and good practices(15min).
  
  (Mr. Jean-Francois Donzier)

- Case Study Proposal : Tansboundary Basin : Case of Orontes(10min)
  
  (Prof. Maurizio Martellini, professor at Insubria University)

- Case Study Proposal : National Basin: Case of Naher El-Kelb (10min)
  
  (Mr. Fadi Comair)

- Governance and relevant regulations in Lebanon (10min) .
  
  (Mr. Bassam Jaber, Former Director General of Exploitation, MEW)

- Le Centre d’information et de Formations aux Métiers de l’Eau (CIFME) :
  
  (10min)

- (Eng. Mona Fakih, Director of Water, General Directorate of Hydraulic & Electric Resources, MEW)

- A Decision Support System for River Basin Management (10min)
  
  (Eng. Abbas Fayad, PhD, Water Resources)

12:15 – 12:30   Discussion

Session 2: Lebanon Environnemental Adaptation after Cop21

12:30 – 12:50

- The Paris Agreement- What Lebanon brings back from COP21 (10min) .
  
  (Ms. Lea Kai Aboujaoude, Project officer, climate change projects-UNDP/Ministry of Environment).

- Solid Waste: Roadmap for Sustainable Management (10min).
  
  (Mr. Samir Skaff, President of Green Globe)

12:50 – 13:00 Discussion

13:00 – 15:00 : Lunch
Session 3: Lebanon Energy Adaptation after Cop21

15:00 – 16:00
Moderator: Ms. Radia Sedaoui, Chief of Energy Section, Sustainable Development Policies Division (SDPD), ESCWA, Lebanon

Post-COP21: National Energy Action Plans
- Worldwide Energy Indicators. (10min)
  (Mr. Ahmad Badr, Executive Director, Regional Center for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency, RCREEE).
- The Role of the Central Bank in Supporting Sustainable Energy. (10min)
  (Mr. Mazen Halawi, Deputy-Director, Financing Unit, Central Bank of Lebanon (BDL), Lebanon).

The National Energy Efficiency Action Plan - NEEAP 2016-2020 (10min)
(Mr. Sorina Mortada, University Professor and Technical Advisor to the LCEC, Lebanese University, Lebanon)

(Mr. Joseph Al Assad, Assistant Professor, Université Saint-Esprit Kaslik (USEK), Technical Advisor to the LCEC, Lebanon)

16:00 – 16:15 Discussion

Session 4: Role of Ethics in the Framework of Paris Declaration

16:15 – 16:30 Final Remarks

Mr. Hervé Laine, President of Academy of Ethics

16:30 – 17:00 Conclusion:
- Prof. Maurizio Martellini,
- Mr. Jean-Francois Donzier,
- Mr. Fadi Comair,