

An aerial photograph of a coastal area. In the foreground, there is a rocky beach with several people. The water is a vibrant turquoise color. The background is a dense forest of green trees on a hillside. A semi-transparent white box is overlaid on the center of the image, containing text.

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FULL PROGRAM  
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# MEETING

OF EUROPEAN AND MEDITERRANEAN  
COASTAL AGENCIES

& COASTDAY 2015

SEPTEMBER 24/25TH 2015 - ANTIBES

# THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 24TH

PALAIS DES CONGRÈS

- 08.30 WELCOMING OF PARTICIPANTS
- 09.00 - 09.25 **OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE :**  
**Jean LEONETTI** – Deputy & Mayor of Antibes  
**Gaetano LEONE** – Coordinator of the Secretariat of Barcelona Convention; Coordination Unit of Mediterranean Action Plan (UNEP-MAP)  
**Xavier STICKER** - French Ambassador for Environment  
**Odile GAUTHIER** - Director of the Conservatoire du littoral
- 09.25 - 09.30 Short film : "RAC-SPA : 30 years at the service of the Mediterranean"
- 09.30 - 09.50 RECENT EVOLUTION OF THE COASTAL AREAS IN THE WORLD  
**Lucien CHABASON** –President of the Blue Plan and Advisor of the French Institute of Sustainable Development and International Affairs IDDRI
- 9.50 -10.20 EUROPEAN AND MEDITERRANEAN SHORES...TERRITORIES TO PRESERVE  
**Zeljka SKARICIC** – Director of the Regional Activity Center for Priority Action Program UNEP/ MAP/RAC-PAP - Presentation of the issues on the Mediterranean coasts  
**Cécile QUEFELEC**- project officer at the European Environment Agency - Statement on the coastal conservation in Europe
- 10.20 - 10.30 Short-film : "RAC-PAP "the Climate change in the Mediterranean"
- 10.30 - 10.45 STATE OF KNOWLEDGE ON TOOLS, PRACTICES AND LEGAL MEASURES FOR COASTAL PROTECTION, IN MEDITERRANEAN, EUROPE AND ELSEWHERE  
**Christophe SANSON**- Advocate for the Hauts-de-Seine Bar -Doctor of law - Master of Conferences
- 10.45 – 11.00 RETURN ON INVESTMENT:  
THE CONTRIBUTION OF COASTAL NATURAL AREAS TO THE ECONOMY OF TERRITORIES  
**Nastasia KEURMEUR** – Project officer of the Cabinet Vertigo Lab
- 11.00 – 11.15 ACCOMPANY AND SUPPORT STRATEGIES OR PROJECTS FOR COASTAL CONSERVATION  
*financial tools and mechanisms*  
**Constance CORBIER- BARTHAUX** - Biodiversity project officer of French Global Environment Facility
- 11.15 - 12.15 FUTURE STAKES AND ACTUAL QUESTIONING  
*presentation of the themes of the 4 workshops*  
- Coastlines, how to adapt facing climate changes ?  
**Phil DYKE** – senior coastal adviser of the National Trust  
- Reify the ICZM : Practices and tools for integrated planning of coastal areas  
**Gonzalo Carlos MALVAREZ GARCIA**, professor at the University of Seville  
- Sustainable management of biodiversity : from Nature gardening to naturalness...  
**Patrick BAZIN** – Head-officer of the department "Heritage management" at the Conservatoire du littoral  
- Building together a new model of coastal conservation : governance, partnerships and co-management  
**Sami BEN HAJ**- consultant of the Cabinet Thétis, Expert in coastal zone management
- 12:15 END OF THE MORNING MEETINGS

BATTERIE DU GRAILLON

- 12.30 - 02.30 LUNCH
- 02.30 - 04.00 **PARALLEL WORKSHOPS :**
- 1 - COASTLINES, HOW TO ADAPT FACING CLIMATE CHANGES ?
- Witness-expert : **Phil DYKE** (Senior Coastal Advisor of the National Trust)  
Animator : **Anne Laure BEDU** (Cabinet Presqu'île, Développement Durable)  
Rapporteur : **Sylvain PETIT** (Project officer at the RAC-PAP)
- Speaker 1: **Maria SNOUSSI** (Research Team «Coastal environments & Climate change» at the University Mohammed V de Rabat, Morocco) – Study on the integration of climate change issues in ICZM strategies
- Speaker 2 : **Ludovic SCHULTZ** (vice-director for coastal and marine environments - Ministry of Ecology, sustainable development and energy, France) - National strategy of coastline management
- Speaker 3 : **Jean-Pierre SAVARD** (Scientific coordinator, Ouranos, Canada)  
Level of sensitivity of coastal ecosystems of maritim Quebec, gulf of Saint-Laurent, to coastal squeeze by 2060 and 2100
- Speaker 4: **Régis LEYMARIE** (Vice-delegate for Normandy –Conservatoire du littoral, France)  
From the LiCCO project to AD'APTO, the integration of climate change in coastline management and preservation of natural sites.
- 2 - REIFY THE ICZM : PRACTICES AND TOOLS FOR INTEGRATED PLANNING OF COASTAL AREAS
- Witness-expert : **Zeljka SKARICIC** (Director of the RAC-PAP)  
Animator : **Fabrice BERNARD** (Head-officer of Europe and International Department of the Conservatoire du littoral)  
Rapporteur : **Jelena KNEZEVIC** (Advisor for the Montenegro Environment Ministry)
- Speaker 1 : **Athéna MOURMOURIS** (Honorary General Director of Environment, Environment Minister Greece) - Marine Spatial Planning, pilot sites of ionian islands
- Speaker 2 : **Pierre BOISSERY** (Expert "marine ecosystems" ; French Water Agency for Rhône Mediterranean and Corsica, France) – Study on the management of sea uses
- Speaker 3 : **Najia FATINE** (Expert, Foundation Mohammed VI for Environment, Morocco) : the integrated management of Nador wetland...how to animate and make alive a process on the long term
- Speaker 4 : **Paolo VARGIU** (Engineer, Sardinian Coastal Agency, Italy) – Implementation of concertation in the framework of a project of cultural tourism within natural areas
- 04.00 - 04.30 COFFEE-BREAK

04.30 - 06.00

**PARALLEL WORKSHOPS****3 - SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF BIODIVERSITY : FROM NATURE GARDENING TO NATURALNESS...**

Witness-expert : **Patrick BAZIN** (Head-officer of the department "Heritage management" at the Conservatoire du littoral)

Animator : **Anne Laure BEDU** (Cabinet Presqu'île, Développement Durable)

Rapporteur : **Joan MAYOL** (Head-officer of the department of species conservation –Balearic islands Government)

- Speaker 1 : **Alain BARCELO** (Scientific coordinator, Port-Cros National Park, France)

The islands as sentinel and pilot sites for ecological restoration programs : Bagaud island case ;

- Speaker 2 : **Ahmed GHEDIRA** (President of the NGO Notre Grand Bleu, Tunisia)

Kuriat islands, an archipelago visited and managed for its biodiversity ;

- Speaker 3 : **Nynke VAN DER PLOEG** (Natuurmonumenten, Netherlands)

Dutch Dune Revival : management and restoration of dutch dunes

- Speaker 4 : **Delmar BLASCO** (Coordinator, MedWet)

The Mediterranean wetlands, toward a biggest intervention or a "let the nature do" ?

**4 - BUILDING TOGETHER A NEW MODEL OF COASTAL CONSERVATION : GOVERNANCE, PARTNERSHIPS AND CO-MANAGEMENT**

Witness-expert : **Sami BEN HAJ** (consultant of the Cabinet Thétis, Expert in coastal zone management)

Animator : **Fabrice BERNARD** (Head-officer of Europe and International Department of the Conservatoire du littoral)

Rapporteur : **Pascale JANNY** (Director of Sea Direction, City of Marseille)

- Speaker 1 : **Tony FLUX** (Expert in coastal issues, National Trust)

Participatory actions and involvement of volunteers in the conservation of natural areas ;

- Speaker 2 : **Delmy Halim HABET** (General Director, Commissariat National du Littoral, Algeria) and **Sofiane BENHARIGA** (NGO Barbarous- Algeria) – Example of concerted intervention of a national agency and an NGO for the monitoring, the public environmental awareness and citizen actions on Mediterranean islands ;

- Speaker 3 : **Anisa AVDULI** (Specialist in Planning and Territorial Management of Coastal Areas, Albanian National Coastal Agency)

Economical partnerships implemented on Sazani island;

- Speaker 4 : **Matthieu GILI** (City councilor for coastal and marine areas and harbors, City of Antibes, France) – Multiple partnerships of the land-sea management of coastal areas in the City of Antibes Juan-les-Pins

06.00 END OF THE MEETING

08.00 ANNIVERSARY COCKTAIL (ON INVITATION)

11.30 END OF THE EVENING

**FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 25TH**

08.30 WELCOMING OF PARTICIPANTS

09.00 - 09.30 **OPENING OF THE COASTDAY**

**Gaetano LEONE** – Coordinator of the Secretariat of Barcelona Convention; Coordination Unit of Mediterranean Action Plan (UNEP-MAP)

**Zeljka SKARICIC** – Director of the Regional Activity Center for Priority Action Program UNEP/MAP/RAC-PAP

09.30 - 10.15 **SYNTHESIS OF THE 4 WORKSHOPS AND OF THE WORKSHOP ON ICZM IN THE MEDITERRANEAN (French Development Agency/Blue Plan)**10.15 - 10.40 **EXCHANGES WITH THE AUDIENCE**10.40 - 11.30 **ROUND-TABLE ABOUT THE FUTURE OF COASTAL CONSERVATION**

- **Gaetano LEONE** – Coordinator of the Secretariat of Barcelona Convention; Coordination Unit of Mediterranean Action Plan (UNEP-MAP)

- **Zeljka SKARICIC** – Director of the Regional Activity Center for Priority Action Program UNEP/MAP/RAC-PAP

- **Odile GAUTHIER** - Director of the Conservatoire du littoral

- **Kaouther ALOUI TELICH** - Director of the Tunisian Coastal Planning and Protection Agency

- **Dame Helen GHOSH** - General Director of the National Trust

- **Miquel RAFA** - Director for Territories and Environment of the Caixa Foundation

- **Janique ETIENNE** – Coast and open sea project officer of French Global Environment Facility

- **Khalil ATTIA** – Director of the Regional Activity Center for Specially Protected Areas (UNEP/MAP/RAC-SPA)

11.30 - 11.45 **SYNTHESIS OF THE MEETING**

**M. Xavier STICKER** - French Ambassador for Environment

11.45 - 12.00 **Speeches of the Deputy - Mayor of Antibes Juan-les-Pins and Signature of the commitment for the valorization and conservation of Cap d'Antibes coasts (Conservatoire du littoral, City of Antibes Juan-les-Pins)**12.00 - 12.15 **Intervention of children from Antibes on the project "I love my sea" and declaration of Mediterranean and European Children for coastal protection**

*Closer of the meeting by the French Minister of ecology, sustainable development and energy (to be confirmed)*

12.15 **END OF THE MEETING**01.00 **SPEECHES OF :**

- the President of the Maritim Alps Department Council, or his representative

- the President of the Board of the Conservatoire du littoral

01.30 - 02.30 **LUNCH**02.30 - 03.00 **SIGNATURE OF PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS**

- Conservatoire du littoral and the Algerian Coastal Agency

- Conservatoire du littoral and the Algerian NGO Barbarous

03.00 - 04.00 **VISIT OF THE COASTAL FOOTPATH OF ANTIBES CAPE**  
04.00 **END OF THE CONFERENCE**