







Programme of the 3rd Natura 2000 seminar for the Mediterranean biogeographical region

Detailed program, 7th May 2021
Online



























Introduction

The biogeographical seminar for the Mediterranean Region is held online on 4 to 7 May.

This is the detailed program for the 7th May, with the topics for discussion in the last session of the seminar and the links to the meeting rooms.

Friday 7 May 2021

Plenary session (Chair: Nicola Notaro, Head of the Nature Protection Unit, DG ENV)			
Time	Sessions and topics	Speakers	
08.45-9.00	Opening online channel for participants to test access to the session Click here to join the meeting		
09:00 – 9:50	Closing session: Feedback on the discussions and summary of proposed actions defined during the four parallel thematic sessions.	Chairs from the 4 thematic sessions.	
9.50-10.00	Movie Sila National Park, it's forest ecosystems		
10:00 – 10:10	Introduction to carousel rounds	Theo van der Sluis	
10:10-10:45	Planning for action – Carousel round I		
	Thematic session 1: Defining and coordinating a Natura 2000 restoration agenda in the Mediterranean region		
	Carousel 1: How can we develop a coordinated biogeographical region level approach for the restoration of Mediterranean habitats and species that are widely distributed across the region? (Theo van der Sluis) - Click here to join Carousel 2: How can we cooperate to ensure funds aimed at cross-border restoration projects? (Rene Henkens) - Click here to join		
	Thematic session 2: Defining conservation objectives at site level and monitoring the impact of measures		
Carousel 3: How can we develop a biogeographical region level approimplementing coordinated conservation objectives for Mediterranea species that are widely distributed across the region? (Frank Vassen) join		pjectives for Mediterranean habitats and	









Carousel 4: How can we secure resources to set up monitoring systems where the results of measures are only expected to materialise in the long (or unknown) term? (Anne Schmidt) - Click here to join

Thematic session 3: Addressing land abandonment in the Mediterranean region

Carousel 5: How can we ensure political support for the maintenance, restoration or development of biodiversity in areas or regions subject to land abandonment? (Carlos Sunyer) - Click here to join

Carousel 6: How can we ensure a good dissemination of technical knowledge and lessons learnt about the management and restoration of abandoned areas (either through rewilding or active management) in the Mediterranean region? (Rui Rufino) - Click here to join

Thematic session 4: Building capacity for Natura 2000 management

Carousel 7: How to disseminate knowhow and lessons learnt in capacity building for Natura 2000 site management across biogeographical regions? (Irene Bouwma) - Click here to join

Carousel 8: How do we ensure that institutions include capacity building for skills and competences other than scientific ones required for the management of Natura 2000 sites in their strategies? (Sophie Ouzet) - Click here to join

10:45-11:00	Coffee break	
11:00- 11:20	Planning for action – Carousel round II	Please join one of the Carousels of your choice, as indicated in round I
11:20 – 11:50	Report back from the carousel discussions: perspectives for next steps for the Natura 2000 biogeographical process and the road map for cooperation in the Mediterranean region	Carousel reporters
11:50 – 12:00	Video highlights from the Mediterranean seminar	Kristina Wood (NatureBureau)
12:00- 12:30	Conclusions and closure of the seminar.	 Nicola Notaro (Head of the Nature protection Unit, DG ENV) Maurizio Battegazzore (Dir. Division III PNA, Min. of Ecological Ttransition)