

# WATER JPI CONFERENCE

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### Agenda

9:00-9:30	<b>Participant Registration</b>	
9:30-10:00	<b>Welcome addresses</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Bernardo De Bernardinis</b> ISPRA's President</li> <li>- <b>Marco Mancini</b> Head of Research Department in the Ministry for Education, University and Research</li> <li>- <b>Carlo Maria Medaglia</b> Head of the Technical Secretariat of the Minister for Environment, Territory and Sea</li> </ul>	
10:00-11:00	<b>Position of the Water JPI in a global world</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- European Commission, DG R&amp;I - <b>Panos Balabanis</b> Deputy Director of the Eco-innovation Unit</li> <li>- European Commission, DG ENV - <b>Guido Schmidt</b> Coordinator of the European Innovation Partnership on Water</li> </ul> <b>Overview of the progress of Water JPI - Enrique Playan</b> former Water JPI coordinator - Research Professor CSIC <b>Future vision of Water JPI - Maurice Héral</b> President of Water JPI - ANR Head of Department Environment, Ecosystems, Biological Resources	Day chair <b>Padraic Larkin</b> Vice-Chair of Water JPI
11:00-11:20	<b>Water in UN initiatives</b>	<b>Dr. Olcay Ünver</b> FAO Deputy - Director of Land and Water Division
11:20-11:45	<b>Coffee break</b>	

	<b>Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda</b>	<b>Padraic Larkin</b>
<b>11:45-12:00</b>	<b>The Water JPI Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda</b>	<b>Patrick Flammarion</b> IRSTEA Director of Water Department
<b>12:00-13:15</b>	<b>Roundtable “Which priorities for such SRIA?”</b> <b>Durk Krol</b> (WssTP Director), <b>Seppo Rekolainen</b> (Water JPI STB), <b>Heather McKhann</b> (JPI FACCE), <b>Antonio Lo Porto</b> (EURAQUA Chair), <b>Roberto Zocchi</b> (EUREAU), <b>Károly Kovács</b> (EWA’s President)	Moderator <b>Miguel Angel Gilarranz Redondo</b> MINECO – Water JPI
<b>13:15-14:15</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
	<b>Implementation of the SRIA</b>	<b>Padraic Larkin</b>
<b>14:15-14:30</b>	<b>The first implementation actions</b>	<b>Rosa R. Bernabé</b> MINECO - Water JPI
<b>14:30-15:45</b>	<b>Roundtable “How to jointly implement such agenda?”</b> <b>Margit Noll</b> (JPI Urban Europe), <b>Panos Balabanis</b> (European Commission), <b>Helmut Löwe</b> (BMBF, Germany), <b>Francisco Antonio Rodríguez Barbosa</b> (CONFAP, Brazil), <b>Donald Pierson</b> (PROGNOS project coordinator, Sweden), <b>Dionisio Perès Blanco</b> (Eni Enrico Mattei Foundation)	Moderator <b>Laura Raaska</b> AKA - Water JPI
<b>15:45-16:15</b>	<b>Poster Session</b>	
	<b>International Cooperation</b>	<b>Padraic Larkin</b>
<b>16:15-16:30</b>	JPI and International Cooperation	<b>Dominique Darmendrail</b> ANR - Water JPI Coordinator
<b>16:30-17:45</b>	<b>Roundtable “Why international research cooperation is necessary for solving Water Challenges? How to cooperate?”</b> <b>Stephanie Rinck-Pfeiffer</b> (GWRC), <b>Anne-Marie Thompson</b> (NSERC, Canada), <b>Ali Rhouma</b> (IRESA, Tunisia), <b>Bjørn Kaare Jensen</b> (China-Europe Water Platform), <b>Gaetano Casale</b> (Unesco), <b>Leonidas Antoniou</b> (GPC Chair)	Moderator <b>Mats Svensson</b> SWAM - Water JPI
<b>17:45-18:00</b>	<b>Wrap-up of the conference</b>	<b>Maurice Héral</b>
<b>18:00</b>	<b>End of the Water JPI Conference</b>	

### Poster Sessions

- Invitation to all 2013 Pilot Call projects and WaterWorks2014 Projects, as well as H2020/FP7 Water-related projects.
- Authors of the posters present at the spot for potential questions.

### Attendance

Please register [online](#) on the Water JPI Website by no later than 8 May 2016

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