

## Water JPI Workshop on International Cooperation in the Danube Region

<b>Venue:</b>	<b>WebEx (connection details on page 3)</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>5 November 2020, 9.30 to 15.15 CET</b>

### Attendees

- IC4Water Partners
- Programme managers of regional initiatives, e.g. Interreg Danube transnational Programme, Danube river Commission, Black Sea Commission,
- Existing RDI projects / infrastructures, e.g. Danubius RI
- JPI Oceans – Knowledge hub on integrated assessment of new pollutants

### Objectives

The workshop aims at exchanging with international initiatives and governmental institutions of the Danube region interested in RDI joint activities to

- strengthen / develop the Water JPI international network in this region
- plan and implement, on a voluntary basis, joint research programmes and actions
- elaborate the overall strategy on the Danube regional issues related to water

### Expected outcomes

- Collecting views from possible partnering countries and regional initiatives
- Proposing models for further cooperation and possible types of actions

### Agenda

#### From 9.30 to 15.15

<i>9:30 - Plenary session</i>		
5'	Welcome and opening of the meeting	
10'	Tour de table	
15'	Welcome address & aims of the workshop	Water JPI coordinator – Véronique Briquet-Laugier
15'	European Strategy for the Danube Region	Johan Magnusson, EC (confirmed)
15'	The Water related issues and the RDI landscape in the Danube region	Hélène Masliah-Gilkarov, International Commission for the Protection of the Danube River
<i>10h30-10:45 - Coffee break</i>		
60'	Presentations from relevant initiatives on the Danube (12' per presentation):	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Danube Strategy Point</li> <li>- Interreg Danube transnational programme or project funded by the programme</li> <li>- Danube INCO NET</li> <li>- DANUBIUS- Research Infrastructure</li> <li>- Black Sea Commission</li> </ul>	<p>R. Lichtner (confirmed) N. Marius-Valentin, (confirmed) F. Gajdusek (confirmed) A. Stanica (confirmed) H. I. Sur / I. Makarenko (confirmed)</p>
<i>11:45-12:05 – Water JPI presentation followed by Q&amp;A</i>		
20'	Water JPI activities on International Cooperation, Water models of cooperation, identified needs for making progress	Water JPI coordinator – Véronique Briquet-Laugier
<i>12:05-13:10 - Lunch Break</i>		
<i>Breakout sessions 75 minutes</i>		
75'	<p><b>Breakout group 1 – Interactions between regional activities and research themes of the Water JPI</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- What are the water priorities in the region?</li> <li>- Gaps identification.</li> <li>- Data collection, databases, data treatment.</li> <li>- What is at stake for this region?</li> </ul>	<p>Moderator (tbc) Rapporteurs: Claire Treignier, Olivier Bouc</p>
75'	<p><b>Breakout group 2 – How to cooperate together?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Actors and stakeholders in the region.</li> <li>- Which activities are of common interest (infrastructures, knowledge hubs, lobbying, networking, mobility)?</li> <li>- Best available tools for the cooperation in the region.</li> <li>- How to build the cooperation models?</li> </ul>	<p>Moderator (tbc) Véronique Briquet-Laugier, Esther Díez</p>
<i>14:30-14:45 Coffee Break</i>		
<i>15:05-15:45 Plenary session</i>		
30'	Rapporteurs feedback of the 2 breakout groups and discussion: <b>How to find synergies between regional activities and the Water JPI?</b>	Rapporteurs
10'	Wrap-up of the workshop	Water JPI coordinator – Véronique Briquet-Laugier

## Connection details

**Claire TREIGNIER invites you to join this Webex meeting.**

Meeting number (access code): 163 032 9669

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