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# MSP as a tool for the implementation of the ICZM Protocol in the Mediterranean

## Meet & Exchange Training Workshop

### Meeting dates, duration and venue

Dates and duration: A two-day meeting/training, to be held in Zagreb (Croatia) on 9 - 10 April 2019

Venue: Novinarski dom (premises of the Croatian Journalists' Association), [Perkovčeva 2](#)

### Participation

#### Target users:

- MSP and ICZM practitioners from the Mediterranean countries
- Experts involved in the GEF Adriatic project

#### Invited speakers

Representatives of:

- IOC-UNESCO
- CNR-ISMAR, IUAV
- Other Regional Seas (Vision and Strategies around the Baltic Sea – VASAB; the Black Sea Commission - BSC)

### Main objectives

The training workshop is organised to familiarise participants with the basic tools, methods and concepts for MSP implementation. It aims to support the establishment of a common basis and understanding across the Mediterranean region regarding implementation of MSP within the MAP Barcelona Convention system and share best practices and lessons learnt from MSP implementation in the region and beyond.

The meeting will also allow participants to exchange experiences on the existing national frameworks and encourage processes to step forward towards better integration of policies at different levels.



## TRAINING PROGRAMME

TUESDAY, 9 APRIL

8.30 – 9.30	<b>Registration</b>
9.30 – 9.45	<b>Opening and Welcome</b>  PAP/RAC Italian Ministry of Environment, Land and Sea (IMELS) - (tbc) IOC UNESCO
9.45 – 10.30	<b>Introduction</b>  - Objectives of the meeting (PAP/RAC) - Introduction to the MSP within the Barcelona Convention (PAP/RAC) - Introduction to MSP global Initiative (IOC-UNESCO)
10.30 – 11.15	<b>National overviews and discussion - round table</b>  <i>Possible themes (one slide per each participant):</i>  - <i>Status of MSP implementation in a country</i> - <i>Links of MSP with land-use planning and/or ICZM</i> - <i>MSP needs of a country</i>
11.15 – 11.30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.30 – 13.00	<b>MSP Tools</b>  - <a href="#">European MSP Platform</a> – A getaway and exchange forum for MSP practitioners throughout Europe (Thetis) - <a href="#">Multilingual IOC-UNESCO MSP Website</a> – Support platform for MSP practitioners around the Globe (IOC – UNESCO) - <a href="#">Tools4MSP Platform</a> - Open source tools developed to support the implementation of MSP (CNR-ISMAR) - Implementation of MSP tools - Practical examples from SUPREME and SIMWESTMED projects (CNR-ISMAR; IUAV) - Linking EcAp (IMAP) and MSP – A pilot case from Montenegro (PAP/RAC)  <i>Round table discussion on possible utilisation of MSP tools, linked with countries' needs: questions and answers</i>
13.00 – 14.30	<i>Lunch break</i>
14.30 - 16.30	<b>MSP Game</b> (moderated by IOC-UNESCO)  - Introduction to the Game - Playing the Game - Panel discussion on results



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## WEDNESDAY 10 APRIL

9.00 – 9.10	<b>Introduction to the second day (PAP/RAC)</b>
9.10 – 10.00	<p><b>Land-Sea Interactions (LSI):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Introduction to LSI: links with ICZM and MSP</li> <li>- Methodological guidance on LSI with practical implementation/testing the tool</li> </ul> <p><i>Discussion: questions and answers</i></p>
10.00 – 11:00	<p><b>LSI round tables</b></p> <p><i>World café method (structured conversations for knowledge sharing in which groups of people discuss at several tables, with individuals switching tables).</i></p> <p><i>Structured conversation around 2 tables, 30' for each table.</i></p> <p><b>Discussion table 1: proposed methodological guidelines for LSI</b></p> <p><b>Discussion table 2: LSI relevance and characteristics</b></p>
11.00 – 11.15	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.15 -12.30	<p><b>Transboundary MSP</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Regional Seas as a platform for a transboundary cooperation: Barcelona Convention (PAP/RAC)</li> <li>- <a href="#">Toolkit for MSP in Large Marine Ecosystems</a> (LME) (LME:Learn; IOC-UNESCO)</li> <li>- Transboundary MSP cooperation and consultations in the Baltic Sea Region (VASAB)</li> <li>- Transboundary MSP in the Black Sea region (BSC)</li> <li>- Common approach towards MSP in the Adriatic (PAP/RAC)</li> </ul>
12.30. - 12.40	<b>Closure</b>
12.40 – 13.40	<b>Cocktail lunch</b>
14.00 – 17.30	SUBREGIONAL session for the <b>Adriatic-Ionian representatives</b> , supported by IMELS in the framework of a cooperation agreement