

Water, from its sources to the ocean

29 November 2024

INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR

• 13h-15h30 GMT+1 •

In French with simultaneous English interpretation
Webinar with live drawings by Lison Bernet

PROGRAMME

12:55 pm

FILM "Imagine a world 4°C warmer"*

1:00 pm

OPENING

- Céline Jurgensen, ambassador, permanent representation of France to the United Nations in Rome
- Philippe Mauguin, Chair and CEO of INRAE: 2024-2026, *decisive years for water*.

1:10 pm

SESSION 1 / OBSERVING AND ANTICIPATING

Moderator: Nicole de Paula, UN Food Systems Coordination Hub

- *Floods and flooding: working together to anticipate and prevent flood risk* – Maria-Helena Ramos, INRAE
- *Hydrological risks in the Mediterranean in the context of climate change* – Yves Trambay, IRD
- *Groundwater: a solution to combat droughts? Lessons from semi-arid regions* – Sarah Tweed, IRD
- *Long term hydrological projections: the EXPLORE 2 project* – Éric Sauquet, INRAE

Q&A

1:50 pm

SESSION 2 / MANAGING WATER RESOURCES AND PRESERVING QUALITY

Moderator: Farah Hamamouche, research in water sciences, BRDA.Consultant for G-EAU research unit

- *Collectively build solutions for better water resilience in areas in the south of Maghreb: experience from the MASSIRE project* – Nicolas Faysse, CIRAD, and Ali Hammani, IAV Hassan II
- *Agroecology and water resilience for sustainable food systems* – Olivier Lepiller, Cirad
- *Nature-based solutions to preserve water quality* – Julien Tournebize, INRAE
- *Large tropical rivers, the impact of climate change and their role on oceans* – Jean-Michel Martinez, IRD

Q&A

2:30 pm

FILM "Flora Artzner, agricultural engineer and world wingfoil champion"

2:35 pm

SESSION 3 / SEAS AND THE OCEAN: MAINTAINING SUSTAINABLE ECOSYSTEMS

Moderator: Flora Artzner

- *The French Ocean Observing System (FrOOS)* – Lucie Cocquempot, Ifremer
- *A cross-sectional look at high seas and small-scale fisheries and resources* – Marc Léopold and Julien Barde, IRD
- *Impact of climate on fishing and aquaculture* – Pierre Petitgas, Ifremer
- *From Science to decision-making: 2025, a pivotal year for the ocean* – Wilfried Sanchez, Ifremer

Q&A

3:15 pm

WHAT GOVERNANCE FOR THE CONTINUUM « Water, from its sources to the ocean? »

Moderated by Raoul Mille, scientific advisor for the permanent representation of France to the United Nations in Rome

- François Houllier, Chair and CEO of Ifremer
- Valérie Verdier, Chair and CEO of IRD
- Elisabeth Claverie de Saint-Martin, Chair and CEO of CIRAD

* - Film produced by the Partenariat Français pour l'Eau (PFE) and Initiatives pour l'avenir des grands fleuves (IAGF); directed by Kader Alihadeff and Thais Beaussé.

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