

## PROTECT THE COAST, ADAPT TO CLIMATE CHANGE!

Mid-Term International Conference

7 & 8 JUNE 2022  
SPLIT/CROATIA

**Public Institution RERA S.D. for coordination and development of Split-Dalmatia County and ARPAE - Emilia-Romagna Regional Agency for Prevention, Environment and Energy**

is pleased to invite you to the:

**AdriaClim Conference "Protect the coast, adapt to climate change!"**

**WHEN**

**7 & 8 JUNE 2022**

**WHERE**

**Hotel Park, Split, Croatia**

### **PARTICIPANTS AND SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE EVENT**

As part of the cross-border project AdriaClim, in Split will take place a hybrid two-day conference "Save the coast, adapt to climate change!" on June 7 & 8, 2022. The conference brings together leading international experts, policy actors and decision makers in the field of climate change. The main goals of the conference are to raise awareness on the impacts of climate change on the Adriatic coast and to enable experts from universities, research and training centers to provide policy-makers and the general public with up-to-date value-added information on the impact of climate change on the Adriatic Sea.

Live stream will be available on [AdriaClim Official Facebook page](#)

## Agenda



### Tuesday 7 June 2022 | Opening Session

09:00 – 10:00

Time	Speaker	Topic
09:00 - 09:10		Registration
09:10 - 09:20	<b>Matea Dorčić</b> , Head of department, Split-Dalmatia County / Marjan Dumanić, PI RERA S.D.	<b>Welcome / opening remarks from Local authorities and organizers 1</b>
09:20 - 09:30	<b>Marin Miletić</b> , Project Manager, Interreg V A Italy - Croatia 2014-2020	<b>Welcome speech from Interreg ITA-CRO Joint Secretariat</b>
09:30 - 09:40	<b>Andrea Valentini</b> , AdriaClim Project Manager, Regional Agency for Prevention, Environment and Energy of Emilia-Romagna (ARPAE)	<b>Introduction and welcome speech from AdriaClim project</b>
09:40 - 10:00	<b>Lidija Srnec</b> , Head of Division, Croatian Meteorological and Hydrological Service (DHMZ)	<b>Climate change projections for the Adriatic as a support for impact assessment</b>



**Tuesday 7 June 2022**

**Session 1 - Climate Change and impacts on the coasts**

10:00 – 13:00

Time	Speaker	Topic
<b>Chairperson: Tea Blažević</b>		
10:00 - 10:20	Angel Borja, AZTI	Ocean health and human health: links and research agenda
10:20 - 10:40	Piero Lionello, University of Salento	The Adriatic Sea: what should we expect for the next 20-50 years? The new IPCC WGII report
10:40 - 11:00 Coffee break &Networking	<i><u>Coffee break &amp; networking</u></i>	
	<i><u>Opening of the Posters Area</u></i> <i><u>Posters short introductions</u></i>	
11:00 - 11:20	Giovanni Coppini, Foundation Euro Mediterranean Centre on Climate Change (CMCC)	The United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development (2021-2030) and perspective for coastal environments
11:20 - 11:40	Giancarlo Gusmaroli, Italian Centre for River Restoration - MedSea Foundation	Climate change impacts on place-based governance models

<b>11:40 - 12:00</b>	<b>Veljko Srzić</b> , Faculty of Civil Engineering, Architecture and Geodesy	<b>Coastal system vulnerability to seawater intrusion in southeastern Adriatic sea</b>
<b>12:00 - 12:20</b>	<b>Carlo Cacciamani</b> , National Agency for Meteorology and Climatology, ItaliaMeteo Agency	<b>What Italy is doing to protect its coasts/territory from CC?</b>
<b>12:20 - 12:40</b>	<b>Sanda Skejić</b> , The Institute of Oceanography and Fisheries Split (IZOR)	<b>Potential impacts of climate change on marine primary producers</b>
<b>12:40 - 13:00</b>	<b>Open Discussion (among speakers and with the audience)</b>	

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**13:00 – 14:00 Lunch break**

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**Tuesday 7 June 2022**

**Session 2 - CC monitoring and observation: tools, models and innovations**

**14:00 – 16:00**

Time	Speakers	Topics
<b>Chairperson: Tea Blažević</b>		
14:00 - 14:20	<b>Chunxue Yang</b> , National Research Council, Institute of Marine Science (CNR-ISMAR)	<b>Independent Quality Assessments of Essential Climate Variables</b>
14:20 - 14:40	<b>Cora Hörstmann</b> , Mediterranean Institute of Oceanography Marseille (MIO)	<b>Ocean Best Practices Systems (OBPS) for climate monitoring (observing and modelling) at coastal scales</b>
14:40 - 15:00	<b>Giacomo Magnabosco</b> , Department of Architecture and Arts, IUAV	<b>THE URBANPROOF TOOLKIT: A decision support system for assisting municipalities in adaptation planning</b>
15:00 - 15:20	<b>Stefano Menegon</b> , National Research Council, Institute of Marine Science (CNR-ISMAR)	<b>Addressing the contribute of climate change drivers on environmental cumulative impacts to support effective marine spatial planning</b>
15:20 - 15:40	<b>Stefanija Šestanović</b> , Institute of Oceanography and Fisheries Split (IZOR)	<b>Small players, large roles: warming effects on marine microbial processes</b>
15:40 - 16:00	<b>Open Discussion (among speakers and with the audience) Closing remarks of the 1<sup>st</sup> day</b>	



**Wednesday 8 June 2022**

**Session 3 - Protecting our territories from Climate Change:  
experiences, ideas, good practices**

09:30 – 13:00

Time	Speakers	Topics
09:30 - 09:40	Registration 2 <sup>nd</sup> day	
09:40 - 09:50	Tea Blažević, Opening remarks	
09:50 - 10:10	Andrea Vitlov Kurtin, Zadra NOVA Agency for development of Zadar County	The experience of the Interreg ITA-CRO (STREAM)
10:10 - 10:30	Davide Bonaldo, National Research Council, Institute of Marine Science (CNR-ISMAR)	Sharing knowledge and planning approaches to tackle climate change: The heritage of CHANGE WE CARE
10:30 - 10:50	Chiara Tringali, Energy agency of Friuli Venezia Giulia Region	The Climate Menu for Adriatic Regions: a tool for supporting local climate planning against the effects of climate change
10:50 - 11:10	Giovanni Vicentini, Municipality of Padova	Results and lessons learnt from the LIFE project Veneto ADAPT
11:10 - 11:30	Kristian Horvath, Meteorological Research and Development, Croatian Meteorological and Hydrological Service (DHMZ)	Coping with weather and climate extremes in our changing Climate
11:30 - 11:50	Coffee break in poster area	

11:50 - 12:10	<b>Giulia Galluccio</b> , Foundation Euro Mediterranean Centre on Climate Change (CMCC)	<b>Knowledge Hub on Sea Level rise</b>
12:10 - 12:30	<b>Ilja Drmač</b> , Energy Institute Hrvoje Požar	<b>SECAP - content and development</b>
12:30 - 12:50	<b>Ivan Sekovski</b> , UNEP MAP PAP/RAC	<b>“AdriAdapt - a resilience information platform for Adriatic cities and towns”</b>
12:50 - 13:00	<b>Closing remarks</b>	