

Drought Risk in the Danube Region

DriDanube

Kick-off Conference

AGENDA

Thursday, 16th March 2017

Venue: [Central Hotel](#), Miklošičeva 9, 1000 Ljubljana

TIME	TOPIC OF DISCUSSION	SPEAKERS
8:30 – 9:00	Registration	
9:00 – 9:10	Welcome addresses	Klemen Bergant, Slovenian Environment Agency (ARSO)
9:10 – 9:15	Presentation of agenda	
9:15 – 9:30	Overview of the DriDanube project	Andreja Sušnik, Slovenian Environment Agency (ARSO)
1. Earth observations as support to drought monitoring and early warning		
9:30 – 9:45	Drought user service - using Earth Observation Data	Christian Brieše, Earth Observation Data Centre for Water Resources Monitoring (EODC)
9:45 – 10:00	Detection of vegetation growth anomalies	Tomaž Rodič, Space.si
10:00 – 10:15	European Drought Observatory	Jürgen Vogt, Joint Research Centre (JRC)
2. Drought impacts and drought risk in the Danube region		
10:15 – 10:30	Drought impact assessment methodology <i>(example of InterSucho)</i>	Petr Hlavinka, Global Change Research Institute (CzechGlobe)
10:30 – 10:45	European Drought Impact Inventory – EDII <i>(Drought R-SPI project)</i>	Kerstin Stahl, University of Freiburg
10:45 – 11:00	Drought & climate change from EEA perspective - data, tools, platforms, impact reports	Blaž Kurnik, European Environmental Agency (EEA)
<i>11:00 – 11:30</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:30 – 11:45	Drought risk assessment in the Danube region	Monika Lakatos, Hungarian Meteorological Service (OMSZ)
11:45 – 12:00	Discussion	All

3. DriDanube in connection with different frameworks		
12:00 – 12:15	Integrated Drought Management Programme	Frederik Pischke, Global Water Partnership/World Meteorological Organization (GWP/WMO) Sabina Bokal, Global Water Partnership CEE (GWP CEE)
12:15 – 12:25	EU Strategy for the Danube Region (PA5 – Environmental Risks)	Viktor György Oroszi, EU Strategy for the Danube Region, PA5
12:25 – 12:35	Synergies of national, sub-regional and regional strategies	Samo Grošelj, International Sava River Basin Commission (ISRBC)
12:35 – 13:20	Panel discussion (GWP/WMO, EUSDR, ISRBC, JRC, ARSO)	All
<i>13:20 – 13:30</i>	<i>Group photo</i>	
<i>13:30 – 15:00</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	
4. End users' needs and expectations of DriDanube outputs		
15:00 – 15:15	From services to drought management	Gregor Gregorič, Slovenian Environment Agency (ARSO)
15:15 – 15:25	Practical examples from national level	Lučka Kajfež Bogataj, Biotechnical Faculty, University of Ljubljana (UL BF)
15:25 – 15:50	From policy to end users & discussion with ASPs	All
<i>15:50 – 16:10</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>	
5. Capitalisation		
16:10 – 16:20	JOINTISZA (DTP project)	Janos Feher, Global Water Partnership CEE
16:20 – 16:30	CAMARO-D (DTP project)	Hubert Siegel, Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management
16:30 – 16:40	Heat-Shield project (HORIZON2020)	Tjaša Pogačar, Biotechnical Faculty, University of Ljubljana (UL BF)
16:40 – 17:00	Wrap up and future outlook	All
<i>17:00</i>	<i>End of the conference</i>	

**17:00 – Visit of Space-SI (optionally; please register at the registration table)*