

Seminar: IWRM and ecosystem based approaches: Complementary, duplicating or competing?

Keynote Speakers and Presenters

(In order of presentation sequence)



Keynote Speaker

IWRM, ICZM, EBA, Adaptation to Climate Change: Integrating the Integrated Michael J. Scoullos, National & Kapodistrian University of Athens (NKUA)

Dr. Micheal Scoullos is an Environmental/Water Chemist (MSc, DSc, University of Athens), and Oceanographer (PhD University of Liverpool).

Chief among his leadership ahnd representation roles in various networks and organizations, he is a Professor Emeritus of Environmental Chemistry and Oceanography at the NKUA. Founder, and for many years, Director of the Laboratory of Environmental Chemistry. He is also the Director of the UNESCO Chair and Network on "Management and Education for Sustainable Development in the Mediterranean" (NKUA), Chairman of the Global Water Partnership - Mediterranean (GWP-Med), Chairman of the Mediterranean Information Office for Environment, Culture and Sustainable Development (MIO-ECSDE) and Coordinator of MEdIES and the "virtual" water museum "HYDRIA".



IWRM and Ecosystem, the Gap between Theory and Application Dr. Luay Froukh, Jordan Water and Reuse Organization, Jordan

Luay Foukh water expert based in Jordan. He holds PhD in civil engineering /water resources planning and management from Newcastle University in the UK in 1997. He has 25 years of work experience in water, wastewater reuse and environment projects including drought management, and sustainable development planning . He has extensive experience in environment impact assessment water resources planning and management, water master planning, development of water, wastewater, and reuse master plans, sustainable development plans, environment impact assessment, and solid waste management.

He published several papers in demand management, reuse, drought management and sustainable development.

Currently, he is working with a Jordanian NGO



Can you sue a river? Legal rights and IWRM Dr. Erin O'Donnell, University of Melbourne, Australia

Erin is a water law and policy specialist, and has worked in water resource management since 2002. Erin's research focus is the legal rights for rivers, and the challenges and opportunities it creates for protecting the multiple social, cultural and natural values of rivers. Her work is informed by comparative analysis across Australia, New Zealand, the USA, India, Colombia, and Chile. Erin's PhD examined the role of environmental water managers in Australia and the USA in delivering efficient, effective and legitimate environmental water outcomes in the context of transferable water rights and water markets.



Effective stakeholder participation in IWRM and ecosystems approach Ms. Kettie Harawa, Water For People, Malawi

Kettie Alinafe Harawa is The Country Director for Water For People Malawi. she has BSc in Environmental Science and Technology from the University of Malawi, also a Master of Philosophy student in Civil and Environmental Engineering at the University of Strathclyde. She has over 18 years of work experience in international development with more focus in Water, Sanitation and Hygiene. Kettie is the board chairperson of WES NETWORK in Malawi, a Network of all NGOs working in the Water and Environmental Sanitation sector and a board member of the Malawi Scotland Partnership.