



**SWIM Second Steering Committee Meeting**  
**17<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> October 2012**

**AGENDA**

The Workshop will be chaired by the European Commission

**WEDNESDAY, 17 OCTOBER 2012**

**08:30 Registration**

**09:00 - 09:20 Opening Session**

- Opening Remarks

- *Ms. Raffaella Iodice, Acting Head of Unit, Regional Programmes – Neighbourhood South, DG Development and Cooperation, European Commission*
- *Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean*
- *Mr. Stavros Damianidis, Project Director, SWIM-SM*
- *Mr Vangelis Constantianos, Technical Director, SWIM-SM*

**09:20-09:30 Projection of SWIM-SM Documentary**

*Introduction: Ms. Barbara Tomassini, Communications Expert, SWIM-SM*

**09:30 - 10:00 Session I**

*Chair: DGDEVCO*

*Overview of the progress of the SWIM programme: Dr. Hosny Khordagui, Team Leader, SWIM-SM*

**10:00 - 11:00 Session II: Progress Report Presentation & Discussion**

*Facilitator: Mr Vangelis Constantianos, Technical Director, SWIM-SM*

Work package 1: Water governance & mainstreaming

**11:00 - 11:30 Coffee Break**



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**11:30 - 13:30 Session II: Progress Report Presentation & Discussion (continued)**

Facilitator: Mr. Stavros Damianidis Project Director, SWIM-SM

Work package 2 : Capacity building activities

Work package 3 : Application of water management plans

Work package 4 : Identification of good practices & success stories in the region & elsewhere

**13:30-14:30 Lunch Break**

**14:30 - 15:30 Session II: Progress Report Presentation & Discussion (continued)**

Facilitator: Mr Vangelis Constantianos, Technical Director, SWIM-SM

Work package 5 : Development of a Communication and Awareness Raising Strategy

Work package 6 : Support the Commission with the overall coordination of the programme

**15:30 - 15:45 Coffee break**

**15:45 - 17:15 Session III: SWIM Demonstration projects - Presentations & Update**

Chair: Dr. Ahmed Badr, Programme Manager, Water & Energy, EU Delegation, Egypt

**17:15 - 18:15 Cocktail**

End of Day 1 \_\_\_\_\_

**THURSDAY, 18 OCTOBER 2012**

**09:00-10:30 Session IV: SWIM-SM Workplan 2013: Presentation and Discussion**

Chair: Ms Rugile Balzekaite, Policy and Trust Funds Division, Directorate for Operations outside EU, EIB

SWIM-SM Pillar A : Non conventional Water Resources

Presentation: Dr. Hosny Khordagui, Team Leader & Mr. Charbel Rizk, Environment Expert, SWIM-SM

SWIM-SM Pillar B : Economic Valuation of Water Pollution

Presentation: Dr. Sherif Arif, Non- key Expert, SWIM-SM

**10:30 - 11:00 Coffee Break**

**11:00-13:00 Session IV: SWIM-SM Workplan 2013: Presentation and Discussion (continued)**

Chair: Ms Catherine Lauranson, Policy Officer, DG ENV E.1, European Commission

SWIM-SM Pillar C : No Regret Actions for the Adaptation of the Water Sector to Climate



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*Presentation: Dr. Hosny Khordagui, Team Leader, SWIM-SM*

*SWIM-SM Pillar D : Water Governance*

*Presentation: Ms. Suzan Taha, Water Expert, SWIM-SM*

*Improving compliance and enforcement of water legislation in SWIM-SM countries  
(under Pillar D of Water governance)*

*Presentation: Dr. Hosny Khordagui, Team Leader, SWIM-SM*

**13:00 –14.00**    **Lunch Break**

**14:00-15:00**    **Session IV : SWIM-SM Workplan 2013: Presentation and Discussion (continued)**

*Chair: DG DEVCO*

Communication, Support to the Demos & Horizontal activities

*Presentation: Ms. Barbara Tomassini, Communications Expert, SWIM-SM*

**15:00 - 15:30**    **Coffee Break**

**15:30-16:45**    **Session IV : Roundtable on synergies with regional organizations/ programmes/  
initiatives**

*Chair: DG DEVCO*

*Facilitator: Mr Vangelis Constantianos, Technical Director, SWIM-SM*

**16:45-17:00**    **Conclusions and next steps**