



SWIM Second Steering Committee Meeting
17th - 18th 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**