

WATER-SMART BOOTCAMP

Programme

Monday 19 June 2023

Time	Program	Logistics/ speakers
14.45h	Welcome Coffee	BluePoint 4 th floor Naomi Timmer, EJWP
15.00h	Kick off Bootcamp - Welcome, Introduction programme	Naomi Timmer, EJWP/ WGHC ROOM: Scale up, 4 th floor
15.30h	Introduction of Water Europe & Water Innovation Europe	Loic Charpentier, Water Europe ROOM: Scale up, 4 th floor
16.00h	Workshop Personal Leadership	Naomi Timmer, EJWP ROOM: Scale up, 4 th floor
18.00h	Dinner, getting to know each other (Optional)	

Tuesday 20 June 2023

Time	Program	Logistics/ speakers
09.00-10.00h	Workshop Communication & Results of Water Innovation Europe	Loic Charpentier & Maria Mirachtsi, Water Europe ROOM: Scale up, 4 th floor
10.00-13.30h	Workshop Inter-cultural Communication for Innovation and Creativity	Naomi Timmer, EJWP ROOM: Scale up, 4 th floor
13.30h	Lunch with Working Groups	
14.30h	<p>Choose Participation in WGs</p> <p>14.30 – 16.00h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human Capital WG led by Naomi Timmer and Leonardo Piccinetti – room Galilei • Water & Public Health WG led by Cristian Carboni – room Vesalius • Water & Biodiversity WG meeting led by Sara Eeman – room Darwin • Resource Recovery WG led by Martijn Bijmans, Blanca Antizar, Pieter de Jong – room Marconi <p>16.00 – 17.30h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water and Zero Pollution WG led by Jan Hofman and Lian Lundy – room Marconi • Renewable Energy Desalination WG led by Guillermo Zaragoza – room Scale-up (4th floor) • Digital Water Systems and Interoperability WG led by Eloisa Vargiu – room Darwin 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water and Climate WG led by Tone Muthanna, Maria do Céu Almeida – room Galilei Water Beyond Europe WG led David Smith – room Vesalius <p>Prepare Assignment/ working together: European Water Policy, What's Next Magazine development</p>	
17.30h	Dinner (Optional)	

Wednesday 21 June 2023

Time	Program	Logistics/ speakers
09.00-11.00h	<p>Choose: Water&Public Health Fresk <i>Max 4 people</i></p> <p>Side Event IC4 Water Cluster Workshop</p> <p>Including</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - EU Policies related to Digital Water: Violeta Kuzmickaite, European Commission, REA - Presentation of the ICT4Water Cluster, its scope and thematic Action Groups, Lydia S. Vamvakeridou-Lyroudia, KWR Water Research, ICT4WATER AG group coordinator - Action Group Enable Data Sharing, Eloy Hernandez, EURECAT - Action Group Intelligent and Smart Systems, Joep van den Broeke, KWR Water Research - Action Group Critical Infrastructure Protection, Rafael Gimenez, CETAQUA - Action Group Policies, Richard Elelman, EURECAT - Action Group Business models, Eva Martinez, ISLE UTILITIES <p>- ICT4WATER projects: Ongoing (new) projects linking to the challenges: Waterverse, ARSINOE, IMPETUS, Waterline, Water-Futures, ToDrinQ, PathoCERT</p> <p>- Open discussion – involvement – Suggestions, Moderated by Lydia Vamvakeridou-Lyroudia- KWR</p> <p>- Take away messages and closure, Andrea Rubini, Water Europe Director of Operations</p>	<p>Blueprint, ROOM: 4th Floor</p> <p>ROOM: Einstein AB</p>
11.00-11.30	Coffee Break	
11.30-13.00h	<p>Choose:</p> <p>Side event: Rethink Water Experience</p> <p>Water Projects Europe 2023 <i>'Water & Health: Addressing Water Quality for Public Health'</i></p>	<p>ROOM: Einstein C</p> <p>ROOM: Einstein AB</p>
13.00-14.30h	Lunch	
14.30-16.00h	<p>Participation in WIE programme</p> <p>Including:</p>	Work on Assignment/ working together: European Water

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hans Goossens, CEO of De Watergroep & President, Water Europe - Keynote Speech – “The Water-Smart Society: from a vision to a strategy in Europe and beyond” Tiffany Atwell, Senior vice president, Global Government Relations, Ecolab & Vice President for the Advocacy Programme, Water Europe - Interview – “ The New Vision: A Water-Smart Society Concept under construction? Moderated by Thomas Rebermark, Director, Swedish Water House - Dominique Gätel, Director Public Affairs, Veolia - Chrysi Laspidou, Professor-Civil Engineering, University of Thessaly, Water Europe 	Policy, What’s Next Magazine development
16.00-16.30h	Coffee Break	
16.30-18.30h	<p>Keynote Speech -“Strong European Leadership and European future on water policies” <i>Virginijus Sinkevičius, European Commissioner for Environment, Oceans and Fisheries</i></p> <p>16.45-18.30 – Part 2: Let’s build on the R&D collaboration towards a Water-Smart Society</p> <p>Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Introduction – Durk Krol, Executive Director, Water Europe - Exchange – “Opportunities and gaps in the R&D policy towards a Water-Smart Society?” Moderated by Inge Genné, Program Manager Water, VITO - Laura Štrovalde, Deputy Director in charge of investment and energy, LIAA - Lydia Vamvakeridou-Lyroudia, Senior, KWR Water Research institute - Panagiotis Balabanis, Deputy Head of Unit, DG RTD, European Commission - Laurent Horvalth, Smart Water Innovation Manager, Blue Ark, Altis <p>- Presentation – “Living Labs and Water: an instrument for zero pollution into water?” - Joachim d’Eugenio, Policy Advisor for Zero Pollution, DG Environment, European Commission</p>	
18.30-20.00h	Cocktail Welcome	
20.00-23.00h	<p>Water Innovation Europe Dinner & Awards Ceremony</p> <p>Introduction – Hans Goossens, CEO, De Watergroep & President, Water Europe</p> <p>Keynote Speech – “Towards a Water-Smart Strategy for Europe – Austrian Perspective” DI Günter Liebel, Secretary General at the Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Regions and Water Management, Republic of Austria</p> <p>Awards Ceremony</p>	

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	SME Award, Digital Water Award, Water Governance Award, Water Technology & Infrastructure Award, and Global Water Challenge Award	
	Conclusion – Durk Krol, Executive Director, Water Europe	
14.00-22.30h	Collect material for WIE Assignment	

Thursday 22 June 2023

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09.00-10.30h	<p>Participation in WIE programme</p> <p>Part 3: Which Water Policies to ensure water security, sustainability and resilience?</p> <p>Introduction – Durk Krol, Executive Director, Water Europe Keynote – Water-Smartness example Jani Salminen, Head of Unit at Finnish Environment Institute Exchange – “What could be a EU regulatory leadership in water?” Moderated by Tania Pentcheva, Senior Manager Government and industry Relations, Xylem Guilia Laura Cancian, Secretary General, European Biogas Association Veronica Manfredi, Director, DG ENVI, European Commission Claudia Topalli, Senior Manager, Regulatory & Government Affairs, IDEXX Denis Bonvillain, FP2E representative</p>	
10.00-11.00h	<p>Coffee Break</p> <p>Part 4: Next Election: A Water-Smart Commission?</p> <p>Introduction – Durk Krol, Executive Director, Water Europe Keynote – Paving the path toward a Water-Smart Europe Pietro Francesco De Lotto, President of the Consultative commission on Industrial Change Exchange – “How to get water at the heart of the next Commission” Moderated by Pär Larshans, Senior chief sustainability officer, Easy-Mining</p> <p>Steffen Erath, Head of Sustainability, Hansgrohe Carmen Galindo Rodriguez, Project Manager, EIT-Food Walburga Hemetsberger, CEO, SolarPower Nicole Couder, Vice-President European Public Affairs, Suez</p>	
13.00-14.00h	Lunch	
14.00-15.30h	<p>Side Event: Side Event: “Envision the future of the water sector: Youth & Skills”</p> <p>Introduction Neil Dhot, Executive Director at AquaFed</p> <p>Water human resources: which challenges and opportunities?</p> <p>Chiara, Lucia Tregnago, Project Manager, Xylem Ignite Naomi Timmer, Director of the European Junior Water Programme Gabriëlle Knufman, CEO of the World Water Academy</p>	ROOM: Einstein C

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	<p>Noemie Plumier, International Strategy, WaveMakers United</p> <p>Keynote – Presentation of the Danube Youth Council Robert Lichtner, Head of Danube Strategy Point (online)</p> <p>Building on youth involvement the future of water governance Joe Ray, Senior Advisor, Valuing Water Initiative, Netherlands Enterprise Agency Alexandre Ledoyen, Administrator for Youth at the Artois-Picardy Basin Committee</p> <p>Conclusion, Neil Dhot, Executive Director at AquaFed</p>	
15.30-16.00h	Check Out & Closure	