



IOC-UNESCO DG ECHO COASTWAVE PROJECT MEETING

Key Achievements, Challenges and Opportunities on the Implementation of CoastWAVE Project and Tsunami Ready Programme in NEAM Region

AGENDA AND THE TIMETABLE

Organized by: IOC-UNESCO/ ICG-NEAMTWS, Tsunami Resilience Section

Date and Time: February 5, 2024, 9am – 5:45pm (Paris time)

Location : UNESCO HQ, 7 PI de Fontenoy, Room 9, Paris, France

1. BACKGROUND

The CoastWAVE project, funded by Directorate-General for European Civil Protection and Humanitarian Aid Operations (DG ECHO), officially kick started on 1 September 2021. Over the past two and a half years, our collective efforts have been dedicated to the implementation of the CoastWAVE project activities across three components: 1) Risk Perception and piloting Tsunami Ready communities; 2) Enhancing Detection and alerting systems; and 3) maintaining IDSL. From its inception phase, our mission has focused on coordination and building capacity between partners, national and local stakeholders while implementing TR within selected communities. The CoastWAVE project will be finalized on 30 June 2024. On this note, IOC UNESCO CoastWAVE project team is organizing a one-day meeting on 5th February to discuss about key achievements, challenges and future actions regarding the full implementation of the CoastWAVE project and Tsunami Ready Programme in NEAM region.

2. KEY OBJECTIVES

The key objectives of this meeting are firstly, to discuss key achievements thus far; and secondly, to identify and propose solutions to key challenges encountered along the way. By engaging in an open and constructive dialogue, we aim to learn from both our accomplishments and challenges ensuring that our collective experience informs future initiatives. The workshop outcome will inform the ICG/NEAMTWS-XVIII session in the following days of the meeting.

3. AGENDA

I. Welcome and Introduction

II. Review of Project Accomplishments

- A. Milestones Achieved
- B. Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)
- C. Success Stories and Positive Outcomes

V. Partners' summaries

VI. TR Implementation in non-project Countries

III. Discussion of Challenges Faced and Solutions

- A. Overview of Challenges
- B. Mitigation Strategies Implemented
- C. Lessons Learned

IV. Future Project Actions

- A. Next Steps
- B. Continued Collaboration
- C. Feedback and Input from Partners

VII. Closing Remarks

4. TARGET AUDIENCE

1. CoastWAVE Project members
2. TR Implementing Countries
3. Members of ICG/NEAMTWS

5. PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

Monday, 5 February 2024, 9:00am – 5:45pm (Paris time)				
Item	Time	Topic	Lead	Institution
8:30am-9am Complimentary Breakfast				
Moderator: Denis Chang Seng				
1	9am - 9:20am	Welcome and Introduction	Denis Chang Seng	IOC-UNESCO
2	9:20am - 9:30am	Opening Remarks on Cooperation with IOC/ ICG-NEAMTWS	Auriane Denis Loupot	DG ECHO
3	9:30am – 10:10am	Review of Project Accomplishments <i>Component 1</i> <i>Component 2-3</i> <i>Communication and Outreach</i>	Denis Chang Seng Derya Itir Vennin Anzhela Danilova	IOC-UNESCO
Moderator: Derya Itir Vennin				
4	10:10-10:45am	Partners' Summaries on implementation of TR cycle	Sylvana Pilidou-Cyprus	GSD
			Sebastiano D'Amico/Pauline Galea, Malta	UM
10:45am – 11:15 am Tea break				
5	11:15am-12:30pm	Partners' Summaries on implementation of TR cycle	Suzan M. El-Gharabawy/Amr Hamouda, Egypt	NIOF
			Marinos Charalampakis, Greece	NOA
			Khalid El Khalidi, Morocco	UCD
12:30pm - 1:30pm Lunch break				
6	1:30pm-2:10pm	Partners' Summaries on implementation of TR cycle	Ignacio Aguirre Ayerbe, Spain	IHC
			Didem Musavver Cambaz/ Ahmet Cevdet Yalciner, Türkiye	KOERI, METU
7	2:10pm - 2:25pm	TR implementation in France	Helene Hebert	CENALT
8	2:30 – 2:45pm	TR implementation in Italy	Alessandro Amato	INGV
9	2:45pm-3pm	TR implementation in Portugal	Tatiana Neves	CPA
3pm - 3:30pm Coffee Break				
Moderator: Denis Chang Seng				
10	3:30 – 3:45pm	TR implementation in Israel	Amir Yahav	National Steering Committee for

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				Earthquake Preparedness
11	3:45pm - 5pm	Open Discussion on Challenges Faced, and Solutions-hands-on exercise	Derya Itir Vennin	IOC-UNESCO All
12	5pm – 5:15pm	Future project actions	Derya Itir Vennin	IOC-UNESCO All
13	5:15pm – 5:45pm	Wrap-up and Closing remarks	Denis Chang Seng	IOC-UNESCO

The restaurant 'Le Suffren' has been reserved for dinner at 7pm. Kindly notify Anzhela Danilova if you are planning to join.