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Promoting social innovation to renew multi-level and cross sector water governance

# D6.3: Communication and Dissemination report and monitoring #1

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#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This deliverable D6.3 Communication and Dissemination report and monitoring #1 is part of the InnWater project funded by the European Union's Horizon Europe research and innovation program. It falls under Work Package 6 (WP6), which focuses on Impact Maximisation and specifically relates to Task 6.1, which focuses on building the InnWater Communication and Dissemination (C&D) ecosystem.

The primary objectives of WP6 are to communicate and disseminate InnWater progress, results, and outcomes, thus maximizing the impact of the project. The objective of this deliverable is to provide a comprehensive report on the communication and dissemination activities carried out during the first 18 months of the project, from March 2023 to August 2024.

The main information contained in this deliverable includes:

- the structure and organization of the C&D activities,
- internal communication activities, mainly focusing on the materials and support
  provided to partners to promote InnWater progress and results, and external activities,
  mainly referring to the channels and specific documents developed to reach out and
  engage with stakeholders,
- dissemination activities, focusing on reaching out to the pairs' community and more expert targets,
- **cross-cutting strategic layer activities**, related to the work undertaken to liaise project activities with other initiatives and networks,
- the specific Key Performance Indicators set to globally monitor the project C&D activities.

The various communication channels and supports of the project, such as the website, the social media, the videos, articles but also webinars and workshops allow to engage with different targeted audiences, highlighting the importance of **social innovation in water governance**, in accordance with our Gender and Social Inclusion approach.

This deliverable is interlinked with many actions of the project as C&D aims to support the promotion of all InnWater results and liaise with other initiatives and networks, such as the **WaterGovernance2027 Synergy group**.



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**D6.1:** InnWater Multi-level Communication and Dissemination strategy and plan #V1 explains the strategy chosen to communicate on the project and disseminate its outcomes. It details how the communication and dissemination activities are carried out during the project, answering who (target audience), receives what (key messages), when (time planner) and how (tools and channels used). This document also shows how Communication and Dissemination activities will take into consideration gender equality, especially by working on the way we communicate using gender sensitive language.



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#### **ACRONYMS**

**CA** Consortium agreement

**C&D** Communication & Dissemination

EC European Commission
GA General Assembly

PS Pilot Sites
WP Work Package



#### INTRODUCTION

Task 6.1 of the Work Package 6 is dedicated to building InnWater Communication and Dissemination (C&D) ecosystem.

The first step was to create the Communication and Dissemination strategy, a key document explaining the strategy chosen to communicate on the project and disseminate its outcomes (D6.1)<sup>1</sup>. The strategy details how the communication and dissemination activities are carried out during the project and beyond, answering: "who (target audience), receives what (key messages), when (time planner) and how (tools and channels used)?".

Deliverable D6.3 *Communication and Dissemination report and monitoring #1* is now the opportunity to take stock on the communication activities of InnWater, after the first 18 months of the project (March 2023 – August 2024).

This document will be updated at the end of the project (M36 – February 2025).

#### The overall **objectives of the InnWater C&D strategy** are to:

- Communicate and disseminate InnWater progress, results and outcomes
- Maximize the impact of the project
- Ease the transition from raising awareness on water governance to transferring InnWater results and outcomes to the targeted audiences
- Supporting the Pilot sites community (WP5) in their C&D activities
- Provide tailored recommendations to the different targeted audiences
- Provide guidelines with good practices for project partners to promote a gender-sensitive project communication.

This first report mainly focuses on Communication activities. The Dissemination will grow along as the results of InnWater are delivered and will be reported at the end of the project.

**InnWater communication** aims at promoting the project and its results, targeting at multiple audiences beyond the project own's community (gathered in the networks of the InnWater partners and in the pilot site community). It includes, citizen, water managers, associations, SMEs, and researchers

#### InnWater communication objectives are to:

- Inform and reach out to targeted audiences about the project, its challenges and what it will bring to their everyday life, and ensure they are engaged;
- Pay attention to any behavioral differences between male and female targeted audiences;
- Clarify the common view on the project's objectives and outcomes to agree on a unified and consistent message for all the project partners;
- Ease the transition from raising awareness on water governance to transferring InnWater results and outcomes to the targeted audiences;
- Support the Pilot sites community in their C&D activities.

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https://www.innwater.eu/sites/default/files/delivrables/InnWater%20D6.1%20Multilevel%20Communication%20



#### Structure of the deliverable

The structure and organization of activities related to C&D are presented in section I of this document.

The internal communication is dedicated to ensure smooth collaboration and exchange of information between partners of the project on its progress and main news. Activities dealing with the internal communication level are reported in section II and focus on the materials and support provided to partners to promote InnWater progress and results.

The external communication aims at reaching stakeholders of the project and engage with them. Activities related to the external communication level are described in section III and refer to the channels and specific documents developed to reach the above-mentioned objectives. Dissemination activities are presented in section IV.

Section V presents the work undertaken to liaise project activities with other initiatives and networks (i.e. WaterGovernance2027 Synergy Group, INBO, OECD).

Finally, section VI focusses on the specific KPIs set to globally monitor the project C&D activities.

#### 1. STRUCTURE OF THE ACTIVITIES

### 1.1 The Communication and Dissemination strategy

The Deliverable 6.1 *InnWater multi-level Communication and Dissemination strategy and plan V#1* was delivered in August 2023. It explains the strategy chosen to communicate on the project and disseminate its outcomes, and aims at ensuring the targeted audiences are reached through the lifetime of the project and beyond.

This document also shows how Communication and Dissemination activities take into consideration gender equality, especially by working on the way partners communicate using gender sensitive language.

C&D activities are led by OiEau but all InnWater partners play an important role and are fully part of the Communication and dissemination success of the project. Partners are expected to use their work, experience and networks to:

- communicate on the project
- participate in social media and website writing
- promote the project in all relevant events and activities
- provide appropriate information to the workforce and identify opportunities for the project.

To do so, OiEau, as WP6 leader, also attends meetings of the other WPs, to make sure that C&D objectives is part of all the activities of the project on the one hand, and gather an overall view of which topics can be used for C&D on the other hand.

The last part of the strategy is dedicated to explain how the C&D activities will be monitored. The monitoring is based on Key Performance Indicators (KPI). To regularly collect inputs from partners, an Excel file is used for them to report their C&D activities.



#### 1.2 A Communication & Dissemination work force

As described in the MS12 *InnWater C&D work force set-up*, a structure and procedures have been set to facilitate the work on communication and dissemination with all the partners.

Indeed, a workforce has been established, composed of at least one contact per InnWater's organizations. Their mission is to ensure that information on the activities and progress of the project are given and spread in due time, and to ensure InnWater results are promoted in their own networks.

An email distribution list has been created: wp6-innwater@oieau.fr

This workforce, chaired and moderated by OiEau, is responsible of:

- organising the work to be done for communication and dissemination activities in relation with all the partners
- monitoring progress and assessing the impacts of the actions
- identifying possible risks and proposing mitigation solutions in close collaboration with the Project Coordinator
- chairing the WP6 workforce meetings.

This work force meets every month to discuss all WP6 related topics.

#### 1.3 Planning to write new posts and articles

To ensure a permanent flow of WP6 communication and dissemination and regularly promote the project's activities, a general planning has been. For the first year, it informed on the date partners were expected to provide content and write posts for social media (Table 1). Guidelines for social media and a template to write short news article (available on the project platform) were prepared by OiEau.



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Table 1: Planning for partners to provide posts for social media in 2023.

For the second year of the project, another planning has been settled: each partner is expected to write an article for the website, explaining one of the main concepts of the project in relation with the project's activities (Table 2).

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Water challenges	02/2024								×					
Water governance	03/2024						×							
OECD Principles on Water Governance	04/2024									×				
WEFE+H NEXUS - With P5 Brenta	05/2024		×									x		
Citizen Engagement + PS Figueres (illustration)	06/2024					ON.								
Citizen Science - With PS Westcountry	07/2024													×
Sustainable Development Goals	08/2024		1											
Water Tariff - With P5 Tisza	09/2024							×			×			
Micro Simulation Model - With PS La Réunion	10/2024			x										
Computable General Equilibrium Model	11/2024				:×									

Table 2: Planning for partners to write articles in 2024.



## 2. ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE INTERNAL COMMUNICATION

**The internal communication** is dedicated to ensure smooth collaboration and exchange of information between partners on the progress and main news of the project, across its lifetime. Activities related to this block also concern creating visual such as the logo, templates, leaflets, general presentation of the project, as well as provide tips and help for partners if needed. The following sections presents all the deliveries made over the first period of the project.

#### 2.1 Templates

Templates have been prepared for the Word and the PowerPoint presentations.

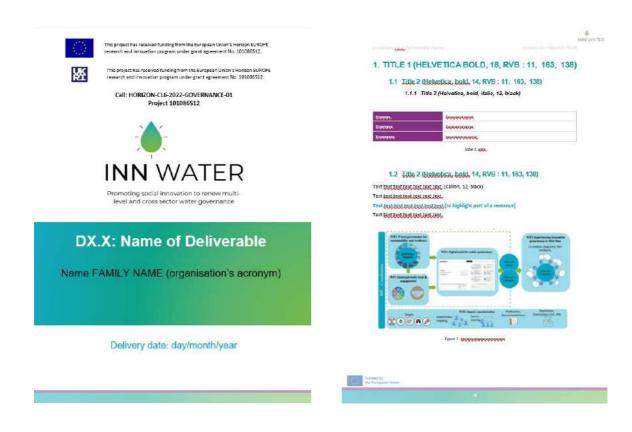


Figure 1: Templates for Word documents



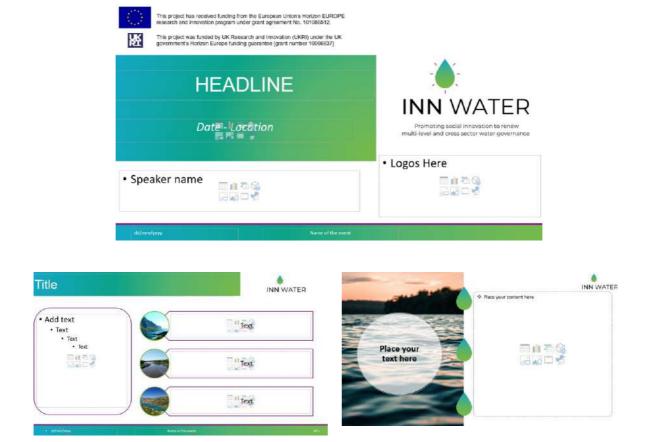


Figure 2: Templates for PowerPoint documents



#### 2.2 Leaflets

A general leaflet has been created to present InnWater.

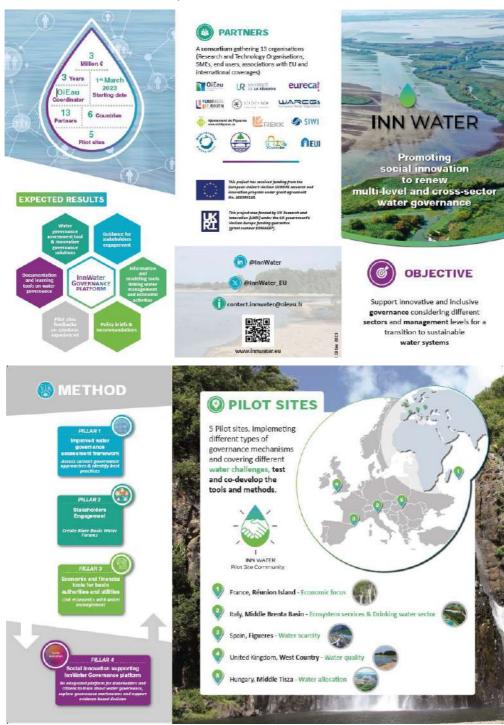


Figure 3: InnWater leaflet – Final version



Pilot sites leaflets have also been created for each of the 5 Pilot Sites. They have a common part describing the project, and a specific part on the Pilot site focusing on local stakeholders, challenges and ambitions. Each Pilot Sites leaflet is available in English and in native language<sup>2</sup>.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> All the leaflets are available on InnWater website: https://www.innwater.eu/mediacenter#communication\_materials





Figure 4: InnWater Pilot site leaflet (example : Hungarian version for Tisza Pilot site) – Final version



#### 2.3 Poster

A poster has been created. It is used as a material to present the project in face-to-face events like conferences, workshops, etc.

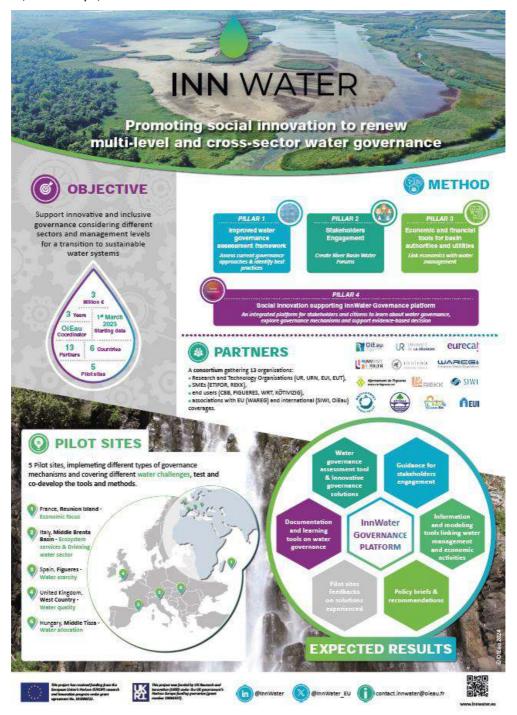


Figure 5: InnWater poster – Final version



## 2.4 Roll-up

A roll-up, also called kakemono, has been created.

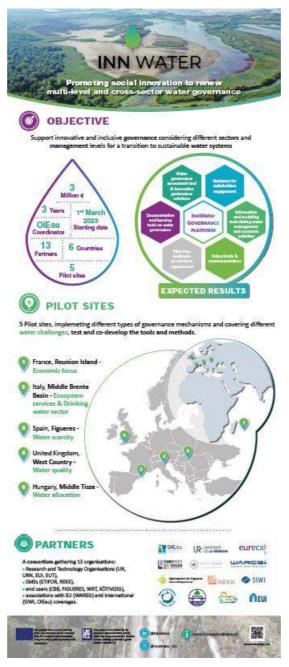


Figure 6: InnWater roll-up



## 2.5 Icons and diagrams

Several icons and diagrams have been created for the website purpose and partners to use as needed for their own C&D activities.



Figure 7: Example of Icons

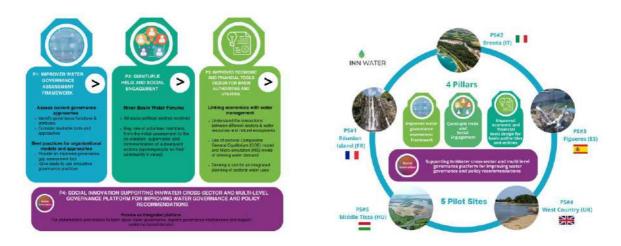


Figure 8: Diagrams



#### 2.6 PPT presentation

A general PowerPoint presentation of the project was prepared for partners to be used if needed during their presentations at events.



Figure 9: InnWater PowerPoint presentation



# 3. ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

The external communication aims at reaching stakeholders of the project. The materials created (logo, leaflets, posters, etc.) are used, as well as the project website and social media (LinkedIn and X (Twitter)) to share news and outcomes of the project. The networks of the partners involved in InnWater are also mobilized to communicate and disseminate on the project's progress and results, as well as other EU initiatives. The following sections present the deliveries made over the first period of the project.

The main communication activities can be found in Annex 1.

While implementing these activities, InnWater partners paid a particular attention to use inclusive language and communicate without using gender stereotypes, both orally and in writing. The second version of this deliverable will provide feedbacks on the implementation of the InnWater Gender and Social inclusion chart<sup>3</sup> on the C&D activities, and more generally on some activities of the project.

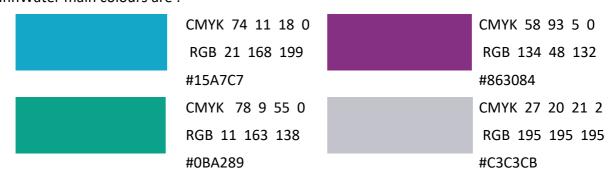
#### 3.1 InnWater visual identity

The logos were built on the basis of the logo created for the proposal, and submitted to all partners. A brand identity was prepared by OiEau and given to the consortium to unify the colors, fonts and police used for all InnWater Communication and Dissemination documents.





#### InnWater main colours are:



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> While the the Gender and Social inclusion chart was already communicated and discussed with the project partners, the final version of the chart is not online yet but will be available soon.



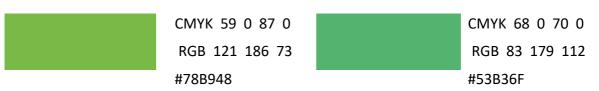
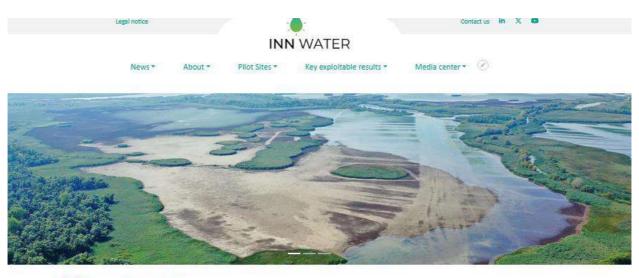


Table 3: InnWater's key features for the brand identity

#### 3.2 Website

The project website <u>www.innwater.eu</u> is used for communication and dissemination activities. News and event are regularly updated, as well as the Media center page.





#### In a nutshell

Innovative and cross sector governance of water is the next step to face the multi-dimensional societal challenges that are upon us. The validation of these innovations will help with the challenge of governing to reduce the impacts of climate change, the demands of the growing population at the global scale and to ensure safe water access at the local scale.

To tackle these issues, InnWater aims at promoting social innovation to renew multi-level and cross sector water governance, associated with economic and financial mechanisms to support EU Green Deal transition while ensuring water systems sustainability.

The methodology consists in creating innovative and cross sector governance tools and methods that will be tested in 5 pilot sites. These innovations will be tailored and co-developed throughout the process, and the demonstration phase will lead to water related policy recommendations at the local, European and international scales.

"Water crises are often primarily governance crises" OECD (2011).



Figure 10: InnWater website



Since the opening of the website early September 2023, 1130 people visited it, with an average duration of 3 minutes. Documents were downloaded 131 times.

10 News and Events were created, and 7 Project articles published.

#### 3.3 Social media

InnWater accounts were created at the start of the project for both X (Twitter) and LinkedIn, the last one being a particularly relevant channel these last years for sharing news on technical and research projects.

News is posted every week on each media.

LinkedIn page is available at https://www.linkedin.com/showcase/innwater/

LinkedIn can also be the place to engage in some discussion with experts, asking for opinions and reaching a large panel of external stakeholders. LinkedIn is becoming more and more the reference tool to discuss about project witch a large panel of stakeholders. OiEau is the administrator of InnWater account.

On 15 August 2024, 381 people had subscribed to the InnWater LinkedIn page.

99 posts were made on InnWater's LinkedIn page (see Annex 4).

Since August 2023, 559 reactions to the posts and 16 republications have been recorded. Posts were seen 13 676 times.

X (formerly Twitter) page is available at https://twitter.com/InnWater EU

X is used for short messages (maximum 280 characters) mainly for live information like events. OiEau is the owner of the account.

On 15 August 2024, the InnWater accounts had 51 followers.

92 posts were made on InnWater's X page (see Annex 4).

#### 3.4 Webinars

Pilot Sites ran webinars, workshops or meetings related to their topics, context and objectives (see Annex 3 for more details). The overall aim is to ensure the results delivered by the project are well aligned with the needs and expectations of the local stakeholders gathered in the 5 pilot sites. Called "local webinars", they are under the responsibility of the Pilot Sites leaders with the support of WP5. 12 webinars were held since the beginning of the project.

Complementary to the Pilot Sites webinars and meetings, transversal webinars are held with all the 5 Pilot Sites, gathering some Pilot Sites communities' stakeholders, Pilot Sites leaders and InnWater partners from other WPs. The first of these webinars was held on November 2023, to introduce the project and discuss with all the stakeholders on their water governance challenges



and expectations. The second time was dedicated to the presentation of the work on water governance assessment realised by WP2.

The webinars organized by the synergy group are detailed in part 5.1.2.

#### 3.5 Events

InnWater was presented at several events, especially:

- the National Technical Group on the Sub-basin Management Plans (France) on 6 June 2023 (online). The project was introduced, and a time was dedicated to exchanges and discussions on water governance challenges and needs from French water managers.
- the Annual meeting of the Tisza Sub-basin Water Management Council on 8 November 2023, in Hungary.
- the CASSANDRA bi-annual conference, organized by our partner EURECAT, intended to propose scientific, technological and socio-political answers to the effects of these crises, in Africa and the Mediterranean. The event was online and split in different panels. InnWater was presented in Panel 7 dedicated to « Data to Action », on 14th November 2023.
- the Europe-INBO International Conference for the Implementation of the European Union water directives, held in Valencia, Spain, on 18 October 2023. Here the workshop was organized by the WaterGovernance2027 synergy group and aimed at supporting basin managers and other stakeholders in finding new ways to tackle water governance challenges.
- a EU Green Week Partners Event "Sustainable Water Governance: Insights from InnWater and beyond", organized in the frame of the Second physical general assembly of the project, held in La Réunion. On Wednesday 5 June 2024, the University of La Réunion (UR) and International Office for Water (OiEau) organized a 4 hours event to exchange on water governance challenges and solutions between Pilot Sites leaders coming from several European countries, La Réunion local stakeholders coming from different sectors (water and sanitation services, agriculture, food, health, industry, natural areas, civil society, citizens, policy makers, researchers), and partners from Southern Africa region.
- the World Water Forum in Bali in May 2024, during a session dedicated to water governance.
- the Conference of the Hungarian Hydrological Society, in July 2024, in Hungary.

For more information on the main events organization or participation, see Annex 2.

The partners also communicated about the project during several events, through presentation in meetings, oral presentations in conferences, display of the project poster and interviews. They also wrote articles presenting the project or highlighting activities lead in the context of the project.

In the frame of the kick-off meeting of the project in Limoges (France), two TV reports were displayed in the local press (local branch of the French national public television).



#### 3.6 Videos

Several videos were realized and launched during the first months of 2024:

- Presentation of the Green Week Partners Event (<u>English</u> and <u>French</u> versions)
- Second General Assembly: challenges and specificities (English and French versions)
- First Policy Brief (English and French versions)
- Feedback on the second general assembly (video).

Three videos interviews of external partners, recorded during the general assembly in La Réunion, were also released:

- Interview of **Geneviève PAYET**
- Interview of <u>Faïçal BADAT</u>
- Interview of Gilles HUBERT.



## 4. ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE DISSEMINATION

**The dissemination block** targets audiences that may take an interest in the potential use of the results of the project.

Public reports (deliverables), social innovation factsheet, policy briefs, events and roadshow will in particular be used to disseminate InnWater results and engage with the targeted audiences. The dissemination level also aims at supporting the other WPs such as the Pilot sites.

The dissemination within the Pilot site supports the replication activities<sup>4</sup> that are embedded in the Pilot sites. The objective is to start the replication of InnWater results.

#### 4.1 Public deliverables

All the public deliverables submitted on the EC platform are published on the website.

Deliverable Number	Deliverable Title	WP number	Lead beneficiary	Туре	Due date (Month number)
D3.1	Citizen Engagement in Europe in the 21st Century	WP3	EURECAT	Report	8
D5.1	Preliminary pilot sites implementation guidelines	WP5	WRT	Report	9
D6.1	InnWater multi-level communication and dissemination strategy and plan #V1	WP6	OiEau	Report	6
D6.9	Policy Brief - year 1	WP6	SIWI	Report	12

Table 4: List of InnWater public Deliverables on the website early August 2024

## 4.2 InnWater first Policy brief

The first out of three InnWater Policy brief targets local and national decision-makers, with a general approach to set the water governance scene and highlight how InnWater solutions can support water related policies implementation. The aim is also to provide recommendations and potential guide further policies updates.

In addition to the Deliverable D6.9<sup>5</sup>, a 4 pages format of the Policy Brief (figure n°11) and a video<sup>6</sup> were created to promote this output.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> InnWater WP6 Task 6.3: Replication assessment throughout Europe

 $<sup>^{5}\</sup> https://www.innwater.eu/sites/default/files/delivrables/InnWater\%20D6.9\%20Policy\%20Brief\%20Year\%201\%20-\%20Final.pdf$ 

<sup>6</sup> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KFigiAFl1kE&list=PLMDb\_q2pav\_P4ROnydmb1IWK4KNhq2jUL&index=6



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   Sustainable Development Goals
   Sustainable Development Goals n°6 on Water and Sanitation

#### European strategies

- Green real including the <u>nu strategy on adaptation to climate</u> change, electronic, strategy for 2000
   Blue Deal

#### European directives

- Water Framework Directive.
- Urban Waste Water Treatment Directive . Drinking Water Directive
- List of acronyms

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Figure 11: InnWater first Policy Brief – 4 pages format



# 5. ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE CROSS-CUTTING STRATEGIC LAYER

The cross-cutting strategic layer ensures that the C&D activities deliver useful and targeted messages and contents. In practice, it consists in being proactive to create awareness on the topics related to InnWater, liaise with other initiatives and pave the way for useful InnWater products and services.

#### 5.1 Linking with partners own initiatives and networks

Our partners make InnWater live also through exchange and collaboration with other projects and initiatives.

- The International Network of Basin Organizations (INBO) is working towards the promotion and support of Integrated water resources management in national and transboundary river basins, lakes and aquifers. InnWater and INBO then share some common interests and target the same type of stakeholders. As explained earlier in this document, the INBO annual conference was used to present the three projects of the synergy group, and permanent exchanges and discussion are held with INBO project managers. A call for case studies (under task 2.2) was also shared through the INBO network.
- Since OiEau is a partner in the Water4All project, especially in the Science-Policy-Endusers interface, links are also made with this project on a regular basis. Water4All aims at enabling water security for all in the long term through boosting systemic transformations and changes across the entire research water innovation pipeline, fostering the matchmaking between problem owners and solution providers. It brings together 90 partners from 33 countries, for seven years (2022-2029).
- Some of our partners also have links with the OECD, helping the project to work in coherence and complementarity with them (for example regarding the work of OECD on the local implementation of water governance principles).

Beyond these specific networks, partners have their own water governance challenges, history, solutions and remaining problems. This is of particular interest in the project, since it can lead to exchange of ideas and feedbacks inside the project (during WP meetings, general assemblies or project events), but also with external partners (the EU Green Week Partners Event 2024 was for example the opportunity for fruitful discussions with external partners on water crisis and water governance challenges).

By assessing the feasibility and constraints of InnWater solutions in new locations, the work on replication will also feed exchanges across Europe on water governance.

## 5.2 WaterGovernance 2027 Synergy group

The **WaterGovernance2027 Synergy group** gathers InnWater, RETOUCH NEXUS and GOVAQUA, all funded by the CL6-2022-GOV-01-06 of the European Union's Horizon Europe Research and Innovation Programmes.



The synergy group is organized around 6 task forces, task force 4 being dedicated to the communication.

The logo of this group was created by OiEau, who has participated in several meetings. These meetings are the opportunity for partners to discuss coherence and common activities within the three projects.



Figure 12: Logo of the WaterGovernance 2027 Synergy group

After the launch of the synergy group via a webinar in June 2023, a second webinar was organized in June 2024, labelised EU Green Week Partners Event, highlighting the role of water governance for water resilience, and discussing innovative practices and local examples.

This webinar was the opportunity to launch the synergy group's first Policy Brief « Water resilience is built with better water governance ».



Figure 13: WaterGovernance2027's first Policy Brief



## 6. KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

The following KPIs are used to monitor C&D activities of the project.

Action	КРІ	Month 18 August 2024
Project Workshops	Workshop/webinar >= 2 per year	<ul><li>4 workshops organized</li><li>2 Synergy group webinars</li></ul>
Project Webinars	<ul> <li>Organisation of workshop/webinar: twice a year</li> <li>1 webinar per Pilot site dedicated to training</li> <li>WP5 KPI: 2 webinars per year for each Pilot site</li> <li>WP5 KPI: 1 Pilot sites community webinar per year</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>1 transversal webinar</li> <li>12 Pilot Site webinars (or workshop or meeting)</li> </ul>
Press release	>= 2 per year	<ul> <li>3 for the kick-off of the project</li> <li>1 for the second general assembly in La Réunion</li> </ul>
Reviewed publications (non- scientific and non-peer)	3 specialized magazines	TBC
Participation to events	Conferences >=13 Workshops >=13 Webinars >=13	<ul> <li>Conferences: 9</li> <li>Workshops: 6</li> <li>Webinars: 1</li> <li>Project meetings with external partners, except PS webinars: 8</li> </ul>
Social media	Once a week	<ul><li>99 posts on LinkedIn</li><li>92 posts on X</li></ul>
Website	2 updates per month	<ul><li>10 News</li><li>6 project's Articles</li></ul>
Video-interviews	>= 17	<ul><li>6 videos to promote the project and events</li><li>3 videos interviews of external partners</li></ul>
Press campaign	>=1 per year	The first year, information was given on the project, describing partners and their activities. In 2024, the focus was on raising awareness on the main concepts of the project.
E-book	1	/



Social innovation factsheet	1	/
Policy briefs	3	<ul> <li>Policy Brief #1 with a 4 pages format</li> <li>1 Synergy group Policy Brief</li> </ul>
Summer school (online)	1	/
Roadshow (online)	1	/



#### CONCLUSION

The first 18 months of the project were used to build the C&D strategy, main material and support, and to start communicate widely and in various ways on the InnWater project (articles, posts, videos, diagrams...). InnWater communicates via its main channels (website, social media), but also via its partners' own networks.

The WaterGovernance2027 Synergy Group is also actively sharing information on the three projects, reaching a wider audience.

As the second period of the project will see many results and tools delivered, the focus will also be on the Dissemination and Exploitation activities of the project. Different contents and activities planned will offer valuable opportunities, such as the summer school, the road show, the e-book, the launch of two other Policy Briefs, the factsheet, all of this under the social innovation approach. Pilot Sites will also have many feedbacks to share, and the InnWater governance platform, including Artificial Intelligence, will be a central tool to promote.

Some challenges may arise, like making all the results of the project easily accessible, allowing for their Dissemination. The co-creation work, inside the project and with the Pilot Sites Communities, as well as the Exploitation roadmap, will serve as a strong basis to succeed in this task.

The gender and social inclusion will also continue to guide our C&D activities.



## **ANNEXES**

## **Annex 1: Main Communication activities**

Type of activity	Description	Partner	Main Target Audience	Date
Article	Article on the kick-off meeting and highlighting the local TV report made on this occasion.	OiEau	Regional authorities	27/04/2023
Article	Presentation of the project	EUI	Research communities	01/04/2023
Article	Presentation of the project	Eurecat	Research communities	01/04/2023
Article	Presentation of the project	URN	Research communities	01/04/2023
Article	Presentation of the project and link with the Italian territory	Etiffor	Research communities	01/05/2023
Article	Launch of the Water Governance 2027 cluster	OiEau	Local authorities	15/06/2023
Poster	EUI displayed a poster during another EU project meeting (BWaterSmart)	EUI	Research communities	19/09/2023
Oral presentation	Presentation of the Micro Simulation Model and Citizen science experiments during the 2023 European Researchers Night (29/29/2023) in La Réunion	UR	Citizens	29/09/2023
Article	Article in the Figueres website presenting InnWater	Figueres	Citizens	11/10/2023
Video	A video explaining how InnWater will use date to support action, created in the framework of the Cassandra conference 2023.	OiEau	Research communities	11/2023
Oral Presentation	Tisza River Sub-Catchment Council meeting. Introduction of the InnWater program	KÖTIVIZIG	National authorities	08/11/2023
Discussion	Presentation of the project to the Leader of the Jász-Nagykun-Szolnok County Assembly	KÖTIVIZIG	Specific end-users communities	08/11/2023
Call for contribution	Abstract submitted for the "Call for contribution Handbook for the Local Implementation of the OECD Principles on WG" (5 min)	EUI	Specific end-users communities	10/11/2023



Discussion/Meeting	Presentation of the project and the pilot site research/activity plan	KÖTIVIZIG	Industry, business partners	16/11/203
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Discussion/Meeting	Presentation of the project and the pilot site research/activity plan	KÖTIVIZIG	Specific end-users communities	16/11/2023
Seminar/Meeting	A seminar of the European InnWater project at the Integrated Training Centre. The aim is to discuss water governance in the Muga basin, to gain an in-depth knowledge of water availability and to study future scenarios in the context of climate change.	Figueres	Local authorities	17/11/2023
Discussion/Meeting	Presentation of the project and the pilot site research/activity plan to the president of the Middle-Tisza Regional Anglers' Association	KÖTIVIZIG	Civil society	30/11/2023
Discussion/Meeting	Presentation of the project and the pilot site research/activity plan to Head of the Nature Protection department of the County-level Government Office (Jász-Nagykun-Szolnok Vármegye Kormányhivatala)	KÖTIVIZIG	National authorities	30/11/2023
Discussion/Meeting	Presentation of the project and the pilot site research/activity plan to County level department of the Water Management Office of the General Directoreate of Disaster Management of the Ministry of Interios	KÖTIVIZIG	National authorities	30/11/2023
Discussion/Meeting	Presentation of the project and the pilot site research/activity plan to NGOs. Advisor of the local angler association; local development	KÖTIVIZIG	National authorities	30/11/2023
Video	Video presenting the CEMOI laboratory, including a short presentation of InnWater	UR	Research communities	2023
Article	OiEau published an article highlighting several projects for the World water Day 2024.	OiEau	International organisation	22/03/2024
Poster	For the second year running, the Office de l'eau Réunion and the Département have organised the "Rencontres de l'eau". This annual event is an ideal opportunity for all those involved in water issues in the region to exchange ideas and share their knowledge. Our partners from UR made a presentation on "The determinants of household water consumption and the impact of the price of water: the MMS	UR	Regional authorities	22/03/2024



	Newts-Run1 (prototype)", and essentially set out to show that this tool was a good lever for "fuelling reflection on the use of scientific knowledge as an aid to decision-making and a lever for changing practices" where they talked about InnWater. They also displayed a poster of the project.			
Article	An article on the OiEau website for the World Creativity and Innovation Day + posts on social media highlight Social Innovation in InnWater	OiEau	Regional authorities	19/04/2024
Oral presentation	Presentation of the InnWater project at the World Water Forum 2024 in Bali, in a session dedicated to Water governance.	OiEau	International organisation	21/05/2024
Video	2 videos: one in English, one in French, to promote the first Policy Brief.	OiEau	Regional authorities	22/05/2024
Video	2 videos: one in English, one in French, where Natacha Amorsi, coordinator of the project, tells us about the challenges and special features of the second General Assembly in La Réunion.	OiEau	Regional authorities	24/05/2024
Video	2 videos: one in English, one in French, to promote the EU Green Week Partners Event for InnWater, held in June 2024	OiEau	Local authorities	27/05/2024
Green Week Partners Event	In the context of the second physical general assembly of the project held in La Réunion, the University of La Réunion (UR) and International Office for Water (OiEau) organized a 4 hours event to exchange on water governance challenges and solutions between Pilot Sites leaders coming from several European countries, La Réunion local stakeholders coming from different sectors (water and sanitation services, agriculture, food, health, industry, natural areas, civil society, citizens, policy makers, researchers), and partners from Southern Africa region.	UR, OiEau	Local authorities	05/06/2024
Video interview	Alessandro Leonardi, CEO of Etifor, speaks about InnWater and other projects in this video, as part of the "After-Life Brenta" Strategy lauching event for the Brenta pilot site.	Etifor	Regional authorities	18/07/2024



# Annex 2: Main events organization and/or participation

Title	External or InnWater event	Type of event	Main focus	Main audience	Date
National Technical Group on the Sub-basin Management Plans (France)	External event	Workshop	Discussing with french water managers on water governance and introducing InnWater.	National authorities	08/06/2023
WaterGovernance 2027 Cluster online launch	InnWater (cluster) event	Webinar	Launch of the WG2027 Cluster	EU institutions, National authorities	19/06/2023
Euro-INBO Conference	Cluster event open to external partners	Workshop	European water related Directives - a half day of the conference was dedicated to an event organized by the WaterGovernance2027 Synergy group, to introduce the work of the three projects and start engage discussions with river basin managers	Specific end-users communities, National authorities	18/10/2023
Annual meeting of the Tisza Sub-basin Water Management Council		Workshop	Dissemination of project plans, consultation with the members of the council	Regional authorities	08/11/2023
Cassandra Conference	External event	Conference	Scientific, technological and socio-political answers to the effects of climate change on migration, health. A video was created by OiEau, who also participated in a panel discussion on the topic « Data to Action ».	Research communities	14/11/2023
EU Green Week Partners event: "Sustainable water governance: Insights from InnWater and beyond"	InnWater event open to external partners	Seminar / Workshop	In the contex of its General Assembly, the InnWater European project has organised an event in Saint-Denis de la Réunion, aiming to address governance issues through lively conversations and exchanges among European stakeholders, including outermost regions, and partners from Southern Africa region.	Regional authorities	05/06/2024



			This 3,5 hours physical event featured discussions on managing water crises for a first part, including insights from Mayotte and Cape Town.		
WaterGovernance 2027 Cluster Webinar to launch the first joint Policy Brief	InnWater (cluster) event	Webinar	Launched of the first joint Policy Brief through a webinar, during which we looked at the central role of governance in building water resilience in the EU, with a a panel of leading experts involved in the three Horizon Europe projects.	EU institutions	13/06/2024
Conference of the Hungarian Hydrological Society	External event	Conference	Scientific conferences on water management, water governance (in Hungarian language)	Regional authorities	03-05/07/2024



# **Annex 3: Projects webinars/workshops**

Title	Organiser	Main focus	Main audience	Date
PS1 La Réunion - Local webinar #1	UR	Presentation of the InnWater project & Creation of the InnWater La Réunion working group	Regional authorities	08/06/2023
PS2 Middle Brenta Basin - Local webinar #1	Etifor	Meeting with the local municipalities to inform them about the recent progress in the governance process activated through the LIFE Brenta 2030 project, and introducing InnWater in this contect.	Local authorities	19/09/2023
PS4 Westcountry - Local webinar #1	WRT	Presenting InnWater and review of Citizen Science across the region	Regional authorities	25/09/2023
PS3 Figueres - Local meeting #1	Figueres	Presenting InnWater and discussing engagement in water governance	Local authorities	17/11/2023
PS5 Tisza - Local webinar #1	REKK & KÖTIVIZIG	Presenting the InnWater concept and the pilot site research strategy	National authorities	15/11/2023
Transversal Webinar #1	OiEau & WRT	Discussing with PS stakeholders on challenges and expectations + introducing the work on water governance assessment	Regional authorities	23/11/2023
PS5 Tisza - Local workshop #2	REKK & KÖTIVIZIG	The workshop was organised at the Karcag office of the National Agricultural Chamber. Presentation of the project concept, our activities and consultation with the farmers and water managers on some of the regional water management aspects of agriculture, their challenges, experience from the 2022 drought and EU CAP reform related to land use.	Specific end-users communities	13/02/2024
PS1 La Réunion - Local meeting #2	UR	Presentation of InnWater project and consolidation of the workplan with the involved stakeholders working group	Regional authoritie	16/02/2024
PS4 Westcountry - Local meeting #1	WRT	Automatic data analysis	Local authorities	23/04/2024
PS1 La Réunion - Local workshop #3	UR	The aim was to take a first step towards identifying the issues on which the group will work in the frame of the InnWater project, making use (as far as possible) of economic modelling tools adapted to La Réunion.	Regional authorities	26/04/2024



PS1 La Réunion - Local workshop #4	UR	In the context of the general assembly of the project, a whole day was dedicated to working with the PS Community group: half of the day on water governance assessment with EUI, the other half on citizen engagement.	Regional authorities	10/06/2024
PS3 Figueres - Local seminar #2	Figueres	Seminar on water governance, On 14th June, our partners from the City Council of Figueres and from Eurecat facilitated discussions with 14 participants representing the main agents involved in the study and management of water in the Muga bassin.	Local authorities	14/06/2024
PS2 Middle Brenta Basin - Local meeting #2	Etifor	Presentation of the project ambitions for the Brenta river and discussion with the local water utility on how to improve the communication to the final users.	Local authorities	20/06/2024



# Annex 4: Posts published during the first 18 months of the project

#### General Assembly - Interview of Geneviève PAYET

LinkedIn

26/08/2024

Posted by: InnWater

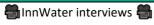
InnWater interviews

The last video of the series gives the floor to Geneviève Payet, substitute to the Deputy Perceval Gaillard. She gives some thoughts on the water challenges in #LaRéunion, like inequality in access to water, water #quality, or the impact of #climatechange.

She also emphasizes the importance of InnWater's #EUGreenWeek event, which allowed the sharing of inspiring experiences from different countries, thus providing ideas and resources enabling stakeholders to revisit their local issues and ensure for #adaptation.

#EUGreenWeek #horizoneurope #innovation #EUResearchArea #stakeholders #HorizonEU #WaterManagement

Twitter 26/08/2024 Posted by : InnWater



3rd video of the series. Geneviève Payet, substitute to the Deputy Perceval Gaillard, shares some of #LaRéunion water challenges, and highlights the interest of the InnWater #EUGreenWeek event, sharing inspiring experiences from different countries.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7qStAuqwsxU&list=PLMDb\_q2pav\_P4ROnydmb1IWK4KNhq2jUL&index=4

#### General Assembly - Interview of Gilles HUBERT

LinkedIn 13/08/2024 Posted by : InnWater InnWater interviews For this 2 Ind video of the series, Gilles Hubert, vice-President of La Réunion Departement and Deputy Chairman of #LaRéunion Water Agency, shared some examples of investments made to finance major water infrastructures in the island. He also highlighted the importance of #citizen engagement in water management, with the need to work on raising public awareness, especially on water consumption. The work of InnWater on citizen engagement methods and #economic tools will be of particular interest for this territory. #EUGreenWeek #innovation #EUResearchArea #stakeholders #HorizonEU #horizoneurope #WaterManagement 23/08/2024 **Twitter** Posted by : InnWater InnWater interviews 2nd video of the series. Gilles Hubert, vice-President of #LaRéunion Departement, highlighted the importance of #citizen engagement in water management.



InnWater tools will be very useful for the island!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gSNX1PAOpYI&list=PLMDb q2pav P4ROnydmb1IWK4KNhq2jUL&index=1

#### General Assembly – Interview of Faïçal BADAT

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Posted by: InnWater

Water is central in the island of #LaRéunion, one of the 5 Pilot Sites of the project.

During our last General Assembly, local stakeholders involved in water management answered some questions about water issues in their territory and actions undertaken.

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WaterManagement

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ughrbsiQCb4&list=PLMDb q2pav P4ROnydmb1IWK4KNhq2jUL&index=9

#### General Assembly - General Video

LinkedIn 30/07/2024 Posted by: InnWater From 4 to 6 June 2024, InnWater held its second General Assembly in the French island of #LaRéunion. 3 days full of discussions, brainstorming, review of project achievement and perspectives for **#future** actions. A #EUGreenWeek Partner Event was also the opportunity to exchange with local stakeholders on water challenges. Back to this meeting in few images. Université de La Réunion #innovation #EUResearchArea #stakeholders #watergovernance #horizoneurope #inclusive #watermanagement #HorizonEU 30/07/2024 **Twitter** Posted by : InnWater From 4 to 6 June 2024, InnWater held its 2General Assembly in the French island of #LaRéunion. 3 days full of discussions, review of project achievement and perspectives for #future actions, with also a #EUGreenWeek Partner Event. Back to this meeting in few images.



#### Call for good practices on water governance

LinkedIn 26/07/2024 Posted by : InnWater (2) 📢 Exciting opportunity to contribute to water governance #innovation! As part of InnWater #HorizonEU project activities, we are enhancing the #OECD Governance Assessment Framework, evaluating governance practices and identifying gaps, but also analysing solutions to address these governance gaps. Coming : a Reference #Guide for Programming, to provide water managers and practitioners structured guidance on existing approaches promoting #governance, illustrated by #examples of how they are operationalized in different contexts. We are then seeking diverse case studies on **#watermanagement** practices, including those with unexpected outcomes, for potential inclusion in our guide. Share your experiences and insights! **→** Submit study 15 September 2024: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeML0U2AGICDgK0\_u7GJh9iod6cnhEjCApHyehIFahhPxO5Eg/viewf orm Let's collaborate to shape the future of water governance! #WaterInnovation #HorizonEurope #SocialInnovation Office International de l'Eau Université de La Réunion **Etifor | Valuing Nature** Université de Rouen Normandie **Eurecat - Technology Centre** SIWI - Stockholm International Water Institute **REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research** WAREG - European Water Regulators **European University Institute Westcountry Rivers Trust Twitter** 26/072024 Posted by : InnWater Contribute to water governance innovation! #HorizonEU InnWater project enhancing #OECD Governance Assessment Framework. Creating Reference Guide with #watermanagement examples across Europe. Submit your case study by Sept 15, 2024: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeML0U2AGICDgK0\_u7GJh9iod6cnhEjCApHyehIFahhPxO5Eg/viewf

#### Article #6 - Citizen engagement

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LinkedIn	23/07/2024	Posted by : InnWater
Citizen engagement in water go decision-making, transparency, and	vernance is essential for sustainable accountability.	development, as it ensures inclusive



The 6th #InnWaterArticle details the benefits of such engagement, and exemplifies it with Figueres La Muga basin in #Spain Es, a Pilot Site of InnWater which will engage #citizens through multiple phases,						
	ies, brainstorming with expert panel					
#resilient and adaptive water manage	gement <b>#strategies</b> .					
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https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#project_articles						

#### Article #5 WEFE Nexus & Brenta

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By integrating water $\Diamond$ , energy $\spadesuit$ , food $\bigcirc$ , ecosystem $\bigcirc$ and health $\boxed{\$}$ considerations, the <b>#WEFE</b> Nexus approach ensures that policies and practices in one sector do not negatively impact the others, leading to more efficient and <b>#resilient</b> resource use.					
The 5th #InnWaterArticle discusses the challenges faced by the Middle Brenta Pilot Site due to fragmented management and conflicting land use policies, and shows the first steps taken towards a more Nexus-oriented governance linking water resource management with biodiversity conservation.					
<u>InnWater</u> will now be the opportunity for the pilot site area to explore ways to apply the integrated approach to other sectors, such as <b>#agriculture</b> , as well as to improve communication to raise awareness and inform citizens about the importance of water, ecosystems and their services.					
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Twitter 09/07/2024 Posted by : InnWater					
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### Figueres second meeting

LinkedIn	04/07/2024	Posted by : InnWater
A second Pilot Site Community mee	ting for <b>#Figueres!</b> ES	



On 14th June, our partners from the City Council of Figueres and from Eurecat facilitated discussions with 14 participants representing the main agents involved in the study and management of water in the Muga basin.

♦ The main focus was on co-identifying factors of change in water governance in the Muga basin : Would it be feasible to create a Water Users' Community in the Muga basin ? How to involve citizens in water governance ?

First questions, statements and propositions have emerged, stay tuned for further feedbacks!

#euproject #watergovernance #stakeholders

Twitter 04/07/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Figueres held its second Pilot Site Community meeting in June! ES

Discussions with agents involved in the study and management of water in the Muga basin.

♦ Main focus was on co-identifying factors of change in #watergovernance in the Muga basin.

#euproject #stakeholders

#### Highlighting WG2027 initiatives

LinkedIn 02/07/2024 Posted by : InnWater

With Europe facing increasing water challenges, the need to ensure water resilience has become more and more pressing. Strengthening **#Europe's #WaterResilience** requires improved water governance.

This last month, the **#WaterGovernance2027** Synergy group, composed of three European projects <u>InnWater</u>, <u>GOVAQUA project</u> and <u>RETOUCH NEXUS project</u>, has taken action on this topic, by sharing common key findings and innovative practices through:

- a **#PolicyBrief** "Water resilience is built with better water governance": https://www.innwater.eu/sites/default/files/delivrables/WaterGovernance2027SynergyGroup\_PolicyBrief\_202 4.pdf
- a **#Webinar** to launch this Policy Brief, and share with leading experts on **#innovative** governance practices and **#local** perspectives to use water governance as a basis for water resilience: https://www.youtube.com/watch?time\_continue=240&v=ck7Yng2GlOo&embeds\_referring\_euri=https%3A%2F%2Fretouch-

nexus.eu%2F&source\_ve\_path=MzY4NDIsMzY4NDIsMzY4NDIsMzY4NDIsMzY4NDIsMzY4NDIsMzY4NDIsMjg2NjY&feature=emb\_logo

Working together to a sustainable water future!

#EUResearchArea #policyimpact #euproject #watermanagement #HorizonEU

More information: https://www.innwater.eu/node/513

#### WaterGovernance2027 Policy Brief

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Together with our sister projects, <u>InnWater</u>, <u>RETOUCH NEXUS project</u> and <u>GOVAQUA project</u> have just released a new Policy Brief "Water resilience is built with better water governance."

Whether you want to be inspired with cutting-edge **#watergovernance** practices, or grasp key **#recommendations**, don't wait, have a look at it \( \bar{\phi} \)

#WaterGovernance2027 #innovation #EUResearchArea #WaterResilience

Twitter 27/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Our new cluster Policy Brief is out: Water resilience is built with better water governance! Check it now

#### WaterGovernance2027 webinar

LinkedIn	20/06/2024	Posted by : InnWater				
Did you miss our <u>hashtag#WaterGovernance2027</u> webinar last week ?						
The recording is now available	The recording is now available! •					
Twitter xx/11/2023 Posted by : InnWater						

#### Thanks after the GA

LinkedIn 12/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Back to France, a big thank you to all the partners present at our general assembly hosted by <u>Université</u> de <u>La Réunion</u> for our fruitful discussions and external speakers <u>Astrid Guiffart Bertrand Vallet Maria Vrachioli</u> GOVAQUA project RETOUCH NEXUS project

We are thrilled to carry on altogether our <a href="InnWater">InnWater</a> journey and looking forward for the development of our <a href="hashtag#watergovernance">hashtag#watergovernance</a> assessment, economic modeling, <a href="hashtag#citizenengagement">hashtag#citizenengagement</a> and pilot sites activities

Dr Natacha Amorsi Julie Magnier Ananda Rohn

#### WaterGovernance 2027 webinar for the #EUGreenWeek Partner Event

LinkedIn 11/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater

D-2! This Thursday 13 June 2024, from 10am to 11.30am, join us for an immersive online workshop on "Cutting-edge water governance for water resilience", a **#EUGreenWeek** Partner Event.

Hosted by the **#WaterGovernance2027** synergy group, this webinar will feature three Horizon Europe research projects - <u>InnWater</u>, <u>GOVAQUA project</u>, and <u>RETOUCH NEXUS project</u> NEXUS - exploring multi-level and cross-sectoral water governance.

Leading water experts will offer perspectives and innovative solutions in the field of water governance, don't miss this unique opportunity!

Register here: https://retouch-nexus.eu/2024/05/21/cutting-edge-water-governance-for-water-resilience-perspectives-from-three-horizon-europe-projects/



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#### Day 3: Third day of general meeting

LinkedIn 07/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater

- It's a wrap! Our second <u>InnWater</u> General Assembly ended yesterday with a day packed with pivotal discussions and insights into shaping the future of water governance.
- Our morning kicked off with a focused exploration of #CitizenEngagement methods.
- ♦ Following this, we were privileged to host Bertrand Vallet from **#EU** DG RTD, to reflect on the rich discussions from our recent **#EUGreenWeek** Partners Event.
- ♦ As the day unfolds, we turned our attention to the WaterGovernance 2027 synergy group, with updates from GOVAQUA project and RETOUCH NEXUS projects on Pilot Site progress and the development of project tools.
- A focus on Pilot Sites #Replication and a Project Management Team Meeting closed these 3 days, full of enriching discussions, valuable connections, and impactful outcomes.

Stay tuned for the exciting forthcoming phase of our endeavor towards sustainable water governance!

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#### #WaterGovernance #SustainableWater #LaRéunion

Twitter 07/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Our @InnWater EU 2nd General Assembly is now over!

Citizen Engagement, EU Water Policy, updates on WaterGovernance 2027 for the last day.

Stay tuned for our exciting forthcoming plans for the future! 💬 #WaterGovernance #LaRéunion

#### Day 2 : Green Week Partner Event

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#EUGreenWeek Partner Event InnWater: "Sustainable Water Governance - Insights from InnWater and Bevond"!

🔭 💝 We are delighted to announce that, as part of our second InnWater General Assembly, we hosted today a special event to discuss #watergovernance from a variety of perspectives.

Insightful presentations focusing on #Mayotte and #CapeTown, addressing #water crisis management.

Then, open dialogue on #waterchallenges faced by InnWater Pilot Sites, with local stakeholders from #LaRéunion, representing various sectors such as water and sanitation services, #agriculture, #food, #health,

A meaningful opportunity to share, learn, and drive collective action towards a resilient and sustainable future water systems!

#WaterGovernance #GreenWeek2024

05/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater **Twitter** 

#EUGreenWeek Partners Event on Sustainable Water Governance was today in La Réunion!

Addressing #watercrisis with experts from #Mayotte & #CapeTown, and discussing water challenges with local stakeholders.

#SustainableWater #WaterGovernance #LaRéunion #GreenWeek2024

#### Day 1: General Assembly begins

LinkedIn 04/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater

🎇 Today marks the beginning of the InnWater General Assembly at the University of #LaRéunion! 🕜



- ♦ Morning Session: Setting the Stage
- · Opening remarks by University officials. Welcome and objectives of the assembly outlined by Dr Natacha Amorsi, our Project Coordinator.
- · Key messages for the good management of #EU projects, highlighting the importance of #Impact assessment, presented by Astrid Guiffart, our Project officer.
- · Overview of InnWater's progress over the first period and taking stock of what lies ahead.
- ◆ Afternoon: Delving into Working Sessions
- · A #collaborative session on the progress and futures activities of #PilotSites.
- · A session dedicated to #watergovernance assessment, taking stock of what have been done so far and discussing next steps.
- · Exchanges on #economic modelling tools and pricing strategies.

Exciting discussions and collaborations for this first day! Stay tuned for updates. 💬

#WaterGovernance #innovation #EUResearchArea #SustainableWater

04/06/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Today kicks off the InnWater General Assembly at University of #LaRéunion! Exciting discussions ahead on #watergovernance, progress reports, and key topics like economic modeling. Stay tuned for updates!  $\triangle$ 



#### Tisza

LinkedIn 31/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater

The series of InnWater #PilotSites ends this week with the Hu Tisza Pilot Site.

#### 4Area Description

- · Located in the flat region of the Tisza River Basin in the Hungarian Great Plain
- · Covers an area of 2,900 km<sup>2</sup>, getting water from Lake Tisza
- · Main water bodies are the Tisza River and Lake Tisza, the largest artificial surface water in Hungary
- · Low elevation area (80-89 meters above sea level), mostly used for crop agriculture with a mix of soil ypes
- Main Water Governance #Challenges
- $\cdot$  Seasonal and periodic water extremities, with successful adaptation to major **#floods** but ongoing challenges from **#droughts**
- · Allocation of water resources among competing uses (drinking water, tourism, ecology, agriculture, industry, hydropower, micro-climate)
- $\cdot \ Allocation \ decisions \ are \ mainly \ administrative, \ lacking \ economic \ instruments \ and \ in-depth \ stakeholder \ consultation$
- · Lack of cost recovery for most water services

#### #Key Stakeholders

Citizens and civil society, farmers and associations, municipalities, regional authorities, water utilities, tourism sector, anglers, hydropower plant

#### ∏ InnWater Governance #Innovation

- $\cdot$  Develop an improved water and landscape management decision methodology, incorporating geographical, hydrological, land use, and economic data
- $\cdot$  Analyze the complex system of competing water uses to identify **#opportunities** for improved management
- · Implement multi-stakeholder conflict resolution to support policy realization

To know more: https://www.innwater.eu/pilot-sites/ps5-middle-tisza-hu

Now heading to the general assembly to discuss all the InnWater activities, focusing on the 5 Pilot Sites!

#### #WaterGovernance #Sustainability #Innovation #EUResearchArea

Twitter 31/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater #PilotSite 5: Tisza HU



-Area: Hungarian Great Plain, low elevation

-Challenges: #water extremities, allocation of water resources

-Innovations: Multi-stakeholders water & landscape management

#### Green Week Partners Event 2024

LinkedIn 27/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater

A #EUGreenWeek Partners Event for InnWater: "Sustainable Water Governance - Insights from InnWater and Beyond"!

We're excited to announce that, in the context of our second general assembly of <u>InnWater</u>, taking place in the beautiful island of La Réunion, we organize a special event on Wednesday 5 June 2024, to discuss **#watergovernance** from different points of view.

Our agenda is packed with, in a left part, insightful talks from speakers hailing from **#Mayotte** and **#CapeTown**, addressing the intricacies of **#watercrisis** management.

In a 2nd part, the event will also spotlight the unique water **#challenges** faced by InnWater Pilot Sites, followed by an open **#dialogue** with participants, most of them being **#LaRéunion** local stakeholders coming from different sectors (water and sanitation services, **#agriculture**, **#food**, **#health**, **#citizens**, researchers...).

It's a chance to share, learn, and drive collective action towards a resilient and sustainable future for our water systems.

Date: June 5, 2024

Location: University of Saint-Denis de La Réunion

More information: https://green-week.event.europa.eu/partner-events/sustainable-water-governance-insights-european-innwater-project-and-beyond-2024-06-05\_en

#WaterGovernance #Sustainability #Resilience #GreenWeek2024 #LaReunion #EUResearchArea #innovation #WaterResilience #GeneralAssembly

Twitter 24/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Join us at La Réunion on June 5, 2024, for InnWater's #EUGreenWeek Partners Event on sustainable #watergovernance!

Insightful talks, pilot site challenges, and stakeholder dialogue.

More info: https://www.innwater.eu/node/505

#### La Réunion General Assembly - J-10

LinkedIn 24/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater

2 10 days left until the 2nd InnWater physical General Assembly!

31 4-6 June 2024



Saint-Denis de La Réunion (French oversea territory)

InnWater (2023-2026) brings together 13 partners from 6 countries to support tailored multi-level and cross sector #watergovernance.

Natacha Amorsi, the coordinator of the project, presents the challenges and specificities or our next general assembly.

#watergovernance #inclusive #innovation #EUResearchArea #EUGreenWeek

EU Science, Research and Innovation

**Twitter** 24/05/2024 Posted by: InnWater

#### Policy Brief #1 - 4 pages version

LinkedIn 22/05/2024 Posted by: InnWater ∜ ♥ The 4 pages version of our InnWater 1st Policy Brief is out « Europe at a fork in the River – a chaging water context »! With water challenges becoming increasingly complex and urgent across #Europe, this first Policy Brief proposes a general approach to the #challenges of water governance, and highlights how the project's solutions can support the implementation of water-related policies and make recommendations for updating them. Don't have wait any longer, а look: https://www.innwater.eu/sites/default/files/delivrables/Policy%20Brief%20InnWater%20VF.pdf #WaterInnovation #SustainableFuture #PolicyBrief #EUResearchArea 22/05/2024 **Twitter** Posted by : InnWater ☆ ☐ The 4 pages version of our InnWater 1st Policy Brief is out « Europe at a fork in the River – a chaging water context »! Don't wait any longer, have а look: https://www.innwater.eu/sites/default/files/delivrables/Policy%20Brief%20InnWater%20VF.pdf

#### WestCountry

#WaterInnovation #SustainableFuture #PolicyBrief #EUResearchArea

LinkedIn 15/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater Let's continue the series of InnWater #PilotSites with the GB Westcountry Pilot Site.

4 #Area Description

- · Covers the Western Peninsula of the UK from Bristol and Wiltshire to Devon and Cornwall, an area of 23 000 km2 with a population of 4.7 million people
- · Important agriculture and livestock industry, including a significant dairy sector



- Main Water Governance# Challenges
- · Sufficient water quantity in surface and groundwater zones, but water quality is highly variable and impacts treatment costs
- · Coordination of water quality management under the WFD through Catchment Partnerships is not so strong at the regional scale
- Key #Stakeholders
- · Water companies (South West Water, Wessex Water, Bristol Water)
- · Local authorities (Somerset, Dorset, Devon, Cornwall)
- · Environment Agency
- · Abstractors (National Farmer Union)
- · River catchment partnerships
- InnWater Governance #Innovation
- · Develop a regional River Basin Water Forum (RBWF) to coordinate Catchment Partnerships and ensure management of both water quantity and quality
- · Increase data collection through #citizenscience alongside public and private sources, and share this through a common data platform
- · Aim to better link local water quality solutions to future resource availability at the regional scale

**Westcountry Rivers Trust** 

#WaterGovernance #Sustainability #Innovation #EUResearchArea

17/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater **Twitter** 

#PilotSite 4: Westcountry

- -Area: West of UK. 4,7 M people. Agriculture & Dairy sectors.
- -Challenges: #Water quality. Weak regional coordination under #WFD
- -Innovations: Develop regional River Basin Water Forum. Sharing water quality #data from #citizenscience.

#### Green Week Partners Event 2024 – Cluster event

LinkedIn 13/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Save the date for our <a href="https://www.nashtag#WaterGovernance2027">hashtag#WaterGovernance2027</a> cluster event!

An online workshop to delve into the pivotal role of <a href="hashtag#governance">hashtag#water</a> in bolstering <a href="hashtag#water">hashtag#water</a> resilience within the EU. EU



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#### InnWater second GA

LinkedIn 03/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater

InnWater project 2nd physical General Assembly

31 4-6 June 2024

💓 Saint-Denis de La Réunion (French oversea territory)

Our consortium of 13 European partners, funded by the European Commission under the **#HorizonEurope** Research & Innovation programme, is having its 2nd face-to-face General Assembly in **#LaRéunion** island.

After a first year where partners started discussions, gathered information and #data, shaped our approach and built the 5 #PilotSites Communities with local stakeholders, time has now come to go a step further and dive into the main outcomes of the projects: #watergovernance assessment, #citizen engagement, #economic modelling, capacity building and #awareness.

A special event will also allow exchanges between external speakers and project partners on water #challenges, with a dedicated #session labelled Green Week Partner Event. 

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InnWater aims at promoting social **#innovation** to renew multi-level and cross sector **#wategovernance** and will provide a set of digital tools and services that will be gathered in the InnWater Governance Platform.

#### #EUGreenWeek #innovation #EUResearchArea

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31 4-6 June 2024

Saint-Denis de La Réunion FR

Further work and discussions on social #innovation to renew #watergovernance! #HorizonEU #EUResearchArea #WEFEnexus #Event #EUGreenWeek

#### Figueres Pilot Site

LinkedIn 02/05/2024 Posted by : InnWater

The series of InnWater #PilotSites brings us this week to ES, with the Figueres Pilot Site.



#### **4Area** Description

- · Figueres is the county capital of the Alt Empordà region in northeast Spain, with a population of over
- · 84% of Figueres' water comes from the Boadella reservoir, with the remaining 16% from groundwater
- · Water quality is high, but drought and high summer demand from #tourism and #agriculture are key

#### Main Water Governance #Challenges

- · Figueres has a Mediterranean climate with mild winters and hot, humid summers
- · Water #scarcity is the primary challenge, with peak summer demand reaching 10,000 m3 per day
- · Public awareness of water issues wanes after extreme events like the 2007-2008 drought
- #Coordination between Figueres and neighboring municipalities on the Muga river system is not always coherent



#### Key #Stakeholders

- · Figueres city council
- · Water/transport utility FISERSA, Catalan Water Agency (ACA), local environmental group IAEDEN
- · The Environment Network of the Urban Area of Figueres
- · The Irrigation community of Muga river



#### √ InnWater Governance #Innovation

- · Increase transparency and #crosssectoral approaches through the River Basin Water Forum (RBWF) and reinforcing the local Environment Network
- · Employ the Water Governance Diagnostic Tool to monitor progress
- · Publish recommendations on policy, regulations, and economic factors for more effective #governance
- · Raise citizen and professional awareness,
- · Expand the RBWF model to the Fluvia and Ter river basins in Girona province

#Catalonia, the Spanish region where Figueres is located, is badly affected by #drought. The need for a more #concerted and coherent #watermanagement approach is more relevant than ever.

#### #WaterGovernance #Sustainability #Innovation #EUResearchArea

xx/11/2023 Posted by : InnWater **Twitter** 

#PilotSite 3: Figueres ES

- -Area: Northeast of Spain, 84% of Figueres' water from the Boadella reservoir
- -Challenges: Water scarcity, high summer demand from tourism & agriculture
- -Innovations: Increase transparency, cross-sectoral approaches

#### Second La Réunion PS Community meeting

30/04/2024 LinkedIn Posted by: InnWater A successful second Pilot Site Community meeting for #LaRéunion!



Last week and for the second time, <u>Université de La Réunion</u> convened its stakeholders group **2**, coming from various sectors (#agriculture 🚇, environment 🖣, health 🔨, #energy 👉), to start identifying key issues to work on in the context of the <u>InnWater</u> project, especially by using **#economic** modelling tools.

First topics emerged like **#governance**, **#pollution**, water use, **#infrastructure** investment. Further meetings are scheduled to refine the focus areas.

#Anticipation is high for these upcoming gatherings!

#watergovernance #horizoneurope

#waterenergyfoodecosystems #inclusive #innovation #EUResearchArea

30/04/2024 Posted by : InnWater

A successful second Pilot Site Community meeting for #LaRéunion!

Last week and for the 2nd time, @Univ Reunion convened its stakeholders group to identify key issues to work on.

Fruitful exchanges and first topics highlighted 💧

#### **Article #4 OECD Principles**

LinkedIn	29/04/2024	Posted by : InnWater	
The <b>#OECD</b> highlights that robust policies, clear roles, and stakeholders <b>#engagement</b> are key to tackling <b>#waterchallenges</b> .			
Assessment Tool as a foundation for	The 4th #InnWaterArticle introduces how the InnWater project will use the OECD Water Governance Assessment Tool as a foundation for an enhanced methodology, integrating #sustainability and #resilience to address pressing global challenges like #climatechange.		
Stay tuned to know more about twatergovernance is ready for today	out this methodology that bridge by's and tomorrow's #challenges.	es policy and practice, ensuring	
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#### **Brenta Pilot Site**

LinkedIn	19/04/2024	Posted by : InnWater
In the series of InnWater Pilot Sites	, let's focus this week on the Brenta P	ilot Site.



IT The middle basin of the Brenta River is nestled in Italy's Veneto region. The Consiglio di Bacino Brenta unites 68 municipalities, focusing on water management and biodiversity conservation.

- Area Description
  - Natura 2000 area with 3,848 ha of riparian forests and wetlands
  - Water withdrawals impacting farming and Natura 2000 ecosystems
- A Main Water Governance Challenges
  - LIFE Brenta 2030 project reveals conflicts and synergies in water & biodiversity management
  - Implementing Environmental and Resource Costs for sustainable water management
  - Establishing a participatory Committee for integrated water-Natura 2000 management
- Key Stakeholders
  - Consiglio di Bacino Brenta, ETRA, Consorzio di Bonifica Brenta, Regione Veneto, municipalities, environmental groups, citizens
- InnWater Governance Innovation
  - Integrated water-biodiversity governance through a participatory Committee
  - Applying ERC costs in drinking water tariffs for sustainability
  - Enhancing communication on ERC impact for households
  - Assessing synergies between water and biodiversity governance
  - Revamping user advisory committees for enhanced local participation
  - Introducing a smartphone app for ERC awareness among drinking water users

Join us in shaping a sustainable future for the Brenta River Basin!



#WaterManagement #BiodiversityConservation #Sustainability #Innovation #EUResearchArea

19/04/2024 Posted by : InnWater

#PilotSite2: Brenta IT

- -Area: Natura 2000 area in Italy's Veneto, facing water withdrawal impacts
- -Challenges: implementing ERC, participatory committee
- -Innovations: integrated governance, ERC in tariffs, communication, user engagement

#### Article #3 - Water Governance

LinkedIn 17/04/2024 Posted by : InnWater ▲ Effective water #governance, multi-stakeholder engagement, and context-specific solutions, are crucial for navigating the complex and interconnected water challenges, thus ensuring the sustainability of Europe's water. The 3rd #InnWaterArticle proposes to go through the definition and main challenges that water governance can address, and how InnWater helps this way.

Water also needs #innovative governance!

https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#project articles



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#### La Réunion Pilot Site

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LinkedIn	11/04/2024	Posted by : InnWater
#PilotSites		·
accross Europe. Let's ha	ve a closer look at these sites, starting	ested and co-developped in 5 Pilot Sites, spread with #LaRéunion.
•	nd uneven rainfall	
<ul> <li>75% of 860 ,000 residents live in narrow coastal strip</li> <li>200 million m³ of water withdrawn annually for drinking, agriculture, and industry</li> </ul>		

- Main Water Governance Challenges
  - Improve water pricing and infrastructure investment for sustainable cost recovery
  - Harmonize policies across the local water authorities
  - Maintain water supply and quality, especially in drier regions impacted by climate change
  - Address saline intrusion in coastal aquifers
- Key Stakeholders
  - · Local water agency, environmental agencies, local government, utilities, industry/agriculture groups
- ☐ InnWater Governance Innovation
  - Using economic modeling to optimize pricing policies and improve stakeholder coordination
  - Promoting vertical and horizontal dialogue to support efficient, equitable water use
  - Citizen engagement

#WaterGovernance #ClimateResilience #horizoneurope #EUResearchArea #stakeholders #WaterManagement #Sustainability

(https://pixabay.com/fr/photos/ile-de-la-r%C3%A9union-ville-mer-6268278/)

Twitter	11/04/2024	Posted by : InnWater
#InnWater tests innovative tools in 5 EU sites.		
#PilotSite1:La Réunion FR		



Area: Volcanic island, 200M m3 water use/y

Challenges: pricing, policy harmonization, supply/quality, saline intrusion

Innovations: economic modeling, stakeholders dialogue

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#### La Réunion "Rencontres de l'Eau"

LinkedIn

27/03/2024

Posted by: InnWater

For the second year running, Office de l'eau Réunion and Département de La Réunion have organised the "Rencontres de l'eau" (Water Meetings). This annual event is the opportunity for all those involved in #water issues in the region to exchange #ideas and share their #knowledge.

On Friday 22 March, our partners from <u>Université de La Réunion</u> presented how the Micro Simulation Model which will be used in <u>InnWater</u>, is useful for encouraging reflection on the use of **#scientific** knowledge to support **#decisionmaking**, and as a lever for changing practices.

They also displayed a **#poster** of the project, which led to fruitful **#discussion** with local stakeholders.

Sharing knowledge and ideas, a key to support a **#sustainable #water** future! **(** 

#science #stakeholders #watermanagement #HorizonEU #WaterEconomy

Twitter 27/03/2024 Posted by : InnWater

For the 2nd year, <u>@eaureunion</u> and <u>@departement974</u> organized the "Rencontres de l'Eau".

On March 22, <u>@Univ Reunion</u> partners presented how the Micro Simulation Model used in <u>#InnWater</u>, encourages reflection on using <u>#science</u> to support <u>#decisionmaking</u>.

Sharing for progress!

#### World Water Day & 1 year of the project!

LinkedIn 22/03/2024 Posted by : InnWater

**b** We celebrate today the World Water Day 2024 together with the 1-year anniversary of the InnWater project!

As this year's WWD topic is Water for Peace, let's remind the central role of a sound water governance for a more peaceful world.

By supporting innovative and inclusive governance considering different sectors and management levels, European projects like InnWater contribute at their own level to a transition to sustainable water systems.

In this context, let's take a moment to come back on the achievements and progress made over the last year.

- ♦ Dynamic Exchanges: Throughout this year, our team has fostered vibrant discussions, knowledge sharing, and innovative ideas to address water governance challenges head-on, with the Pilot Sites communities all across Europe but also within the project consortium. These dynamic exchanges have been instrumental in shaping our approach and driving meaningful outcomes.
- ♦ First Deliverables: From a report reflecting the development of citizen engagement to policy brief, our first deliverables pave the way for driving change and promoting sustainable water management practices. Each deliverable achieved is a testament to our dedication and commitment to making a positive impact.



Synergy Across Work Packages: The synergy among our work packages is also a key element to reach our objectives. By working collaboratively and leveraging each other's strengths, we are working towards creating a more holistic approach to improving water governance.

#### Looking Ahead

As we celebrate this significant step, let's reaffirm our commitment to #innovation, #collaboration and #inclusion. The journey ahead may be challenging, but with our shared vision and collective efforts, we can continue to help building a more sustainable future, where water governance is a lever for peace.

Stay tuned for this second year with a lot of important outputs to come!



#InnWaterProject #WaterGovernance #Sustainability #Collaboration #inclusive #OneYearAnniversary #EUResearchArea

Office International de l'Eau

22/03/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Today we celebrate #WorldWaterDay 2024 & the 1-year anniversary of #InnWaterProject!



Let's remind the crucial role of sound #watergovernance for a peaceful world.

Through dynamic exchanges and collaboration, a lot has been done in the project already.

Stay tuned!

#### Article#2 Water Challenges

LinkedIn	07/03/2024	Posted by : InnWater
♦ Addressing water challenges in the face of climate change is crucial for a #sustainable future. Such a task		
requires a comprehensive and mult	i-faceted approach.	
The 2nd #InnWaterArticle proposes an overview of the main #challenges related to water, with some key to address it, including how InnWater intends to bring some answers through innovative #governance tools.		
Together, let's pave the way for a #	resilient water future!	
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#### Publication from URN

LinkedIn 29/02/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Paper publication!

Our partner, Oliver Beaumais from Université de Rouen Normandie, recently published a paper in Water Resources Research on Modeling Quality and Price Perception in Drinking Water Choice in France: A Hybrid Choice Model Approach.

Check out the abstract and full paper here: https://doi.org/10.1029/2023WR034803.

This research sheds light on how perceptions of water quality and price influence drinking water choices in France, revealing intriguing insights with potential implications for water governance.

#WaterResources #Research #WaterGovernance

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#WaterResources #Research #WaterGovernance



#### Stakeholders' workshop

LinkedIn 23/02/2024 Posted by: InnWater

Last week, our partners REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research and Central Tisza Region Water Directorat (KÖTIVIZIG) held their 2nd Pilot Site Community #workshop at the Karcag office of the National Agricultural Chamber.

The discussion with the #farmers and water managers revolved around some of the regional water management aspects of #agriculture, related challenges, and experience from the 2022 #drough, in connection with InnWater activities.

Regular #exchanges will feed the project and give the stakeholders pathways to address their challenges, a

#stakeholders #water #consultation #watermanagement #partners

**Twitter** 23/02/2024 Posted by : InnWater

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The discussion focused on regional #water management in #agriculture and experiences from the 2022

These exchanges will benefit stakeholders and provide pathways to address challenges.

#### Article#1 Social Innovation

LinkedIn 15/02/2024 **Posted by : InnWater** 

Want to know more about #watergovernance, integrated water resources management #IWRM, #citizenengagement or water #economy?



Every month, #InnWaterArticles will introduce a project-related concept by providing a definition & showing how it is being addressed in the project.

Let's start the series with the first one dedicated to #SocialInnovation.

https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#project articles

#article #watergovernance #horizoneurope #HorizonEU

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#### International day of women and girls in science

LinkedIn 11/02/2024 Posted by: InnWater R Happy International Day of Women and Girls in Science! Let's celebrate today all the women working in science, and their central role for #innovative and #sustainable solutions, inspiring a whole generation of young girls. A special thought for our <u>InnWater</u>'s brilliant women partners. #WomenInScience #GenderEquality #STEM #innovation **Twitter** 11/02/2024 Posted by : InnWater A Happy International Day of Women and Girls in Science! Let's celebrate today all the women working in science, their central role for #innovative and #sustainable solutions. A special thought for our InnWater's brilliant women partners. #WomenInScience #GenderEquality

#### Water Europe publication

#article #horizoneurope #HorizonEU

LinkedIn	07/02/2024	Posted by : InnWater
Dialogue and partnerships play a central role to meet <a href="#waterchallenges">#waterchallenges</a> , and especially address		



#### INBO Workshop (GOVAQUA article)

LinkedIn 02/02/2024 Posted by: InnWater

During the last Europe #INBO conference in October 2023, the #WaterGovernance2027 Synergy group hosted a workshop dedicated to #innovative water governance.

Have a look at this article from our sister project #GOVAQUA to know more about it and access the presentations.

#### D5.1 publication

LinkedIn 01/02/2024 Posted by: InnWater

Do you remember where the figliot Sites of the InnWater project are located? What are their #challenges, the #stakeholders involved?

Refresh your mind with the #Deliverable 5.1 "Preliminary Pilot Site Implementation Guide", which also presents what each Pilot Site is planning to do, in #collaboration with all the Work Packages of the project: https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#deliverables

#### **Westcountry Rivers Trust**

#watergovernance #horizoneurope #EUResearchArea #euproject #stakeholders #watermanagement #HorizonEU

**Twitter** 01/02/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Do you remember where the hilot Sites of the InnWater project are located? Their #challenges, #stakeholders involved?

Refresh your mind with the latest Deliverable of the project!

https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#deliverables

#watergovernance #horizoneurope #euproject #stakeholders #HorizonEU

#### First online General Assembly

LinkedIn 19/01/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Hello from the first InnWater online General Assembly of the year!

Happy to take stock of a fruitful 2023 and to look towards 2024, with a lot of exciting activities ahead of us: first tests of the #watergovernance diagnosis and #economic tools, exchange with #stakeholders of the different Pilot Sites, #workshops...

Stay tuned!

#waterinnovation #watergovernance #partnership #innovation ##policyimpact #euproject #nexus #WEFE #water #SDG6 #waterpolicy #governance #watermanagement #HorizonEU

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Stay tuned!

#waterinnovation #watergovernance #euproject #HorizonEU

#### New Year 2024

LinkedIn 09/01/2024 Posted by : InnWater

Happy New Year 2024 from InnWater! 🛠

After this first year of setting up the project, building the Pilot sites communities and delivering the first inputs, 2024 will be a year full of exchanges and collaborative work, for building innovative tools towards a sustainable water governance  $\Diamond$ 

International Office for Water

Université de La Réunion

Etifor

Université de Rouen Normandie

**Eurecat - Technology Centre of Catalonia** 

<u>SIWI - Stockholm International Water Institute</u>

**REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research** 

WAREG - European Water Regulators

**European University Institute** 

Central Tisza Rural Water Directorate

Consiglio di Bacino Brenta

City Council de Figueres

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#### Université de La Réunion – CEMOI video

LinkedIn 19/12/2023 **Posted by : InnWater** 

Université de La Réunion is one of the partners of InnWater, and is managing #LaRéunion pilot site.



Within this university, it is more specifically the Centre d'Economie et de Management de l'Océan Indien (CEMOI) which is involved in the project, and which will carry out activities linked to the use of **#economic** tools, or the organisation of water **#forums**.

Watch carefully the video presenting this laboratory, you may find some information about <a href="InnWater">InnWater</a> [in French].

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YIvIm6wkhDg

Twitter 19/12/2023 Posted by : InnWater

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YIvIm6wkhDg

#### Position sheet - Université Réunion

LinkedIn 05/12/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Do you want to work on innovative #watergovernance, with a nice European team of partners? EU

Université de La Réunion is hiring!

In the frame of the <u>InnWater</u> project, Université de La Réunion is looking for a developer whose main task will be to develop the architecture and computer codes needed to scale up the NEWTS micro-simulation model developed as part of a previous project.

More information below I

#data #hiring #watergovernance #economic #laréunion #innwater

Twitter 05/12/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Do you want to work on innovative <u>#watergovernance</u>, with a nice European team of partners? <u>@Univ\_Reunion</u> is hiring! More information: <u>https://ow.ly/Ep5l50QfuAy</u>

#data #hiring #watergovernance #economic #laréunion #innwater

#### Publication of D3.1

LinkedIn 01/12/2023 Posted by : InnWater

#CitizenEngagement

? You have already heard about citizen engagement but you are not clear about its definition?

You think it is an interesting process but you are not sure why it is useful?

Have a look at the InnWater Deliverable on « Citizen engagement in Europe in the 21st Century » to find answers to these questions <a href="https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#deliverables">https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#deliverables</a>

<u>Eurecat - Technology Centre of Catalonia</u> SIWI - Stockholm International Water Institute



REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research

Etifor

International Office for Water

#watergovernance #WEFENexus #Accountability #sustainability

Twitter 01/12/2023 Posted by : InnWater

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Have a look at the last InnWater Deliverable to find answers to these questions:

https://www.innwater.eu/media-center#deliverables

#watergovernance #WEFENexus

#### First transversal webinar

LinkedIn 24/11/2023 Posted by : InnWater

The first InnWater Transversal webinar yesterday was a great time to exchange between Pilot Sites local stakeholders and InnWater partners!

#Watergovernance challenges and expectations were discussed.

Interactive time slots also gave participants the opportunity to give their opinion on the changing water context.

Office International de l'Eau | Université de La Réunion | Etifor | Valuing Nature | REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research | European University Institute | Central Tisza Rural Water Directorate | Consiglio di Bacino Brenta | City Council de Figueres | Westcountry Rivers Trust

#EUResearchArea #horizoneurope #innovation #watermanagement #collaboration

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Pilot Sites local stakeholders and InnWater partners discussed #watergovernance challenges and expectations.

@OI\_Eau / @ETIFOR / @Univ\_Reunion / @WaregWater / @siwi\_water / @univrouen / @Eurecat\_news / @EUI\_EU / @WestcountryRT / @ajfigueres

#EUResearchArea #horizoneurope #innovation #watermanagement

#### InnWater first transversal webinar (on-going)

LinkedIn 23/11/2023 Posted by : InnWater

We are happy to host the first on-line @InnWater transversal webinar. Transversal to the 5 pilot sites of the project <a href="mailto:mhttps://lnkd.in/dqqj6g-v">mhttps://lnkd.in/dqqj6g-v</a>.

Each pilot site has a different focus but they are all heading into the same direction: renewing their governance mechanism to better face climate change impact.

After having started the work within their stakeholders community, today is about sharing their first feedbacks on #watergovernance and dig into the water governance framework assessment developed by



the project. <u>GOVAQUA project</u>, <u>RETOUCH NEXUS</u>, <u>Bertrand Vallet</u>, <u>Astrid Guiffart</u>, <u>Office International de</u> l'Eau

Twitter 23/11/2023 Posted by : InnWater

#InnWater 5 pilot sites are having their first transversal webinar to share their feedbacks to renew #watergovernance mechanism experiencing InnWater water governance assessment framework @RetouchNexus @GOVAQUAproject @EU Commission @OI Eau

# WaterGovernance 2027 first meeting of TF2 on Policy + Figueres seminar

#WaterGovernance2027 synergy group composed of InnWater, GOVAQUA project and RETOUCH NEXUS is having its first task force on-line meeting dedicated to policy related to #watergovernance. Partners from the 3 projects are preparing their roadmap based on the aim Create synergies to have bigger impacts!

European Commission Office International de l'Eau

Twitter 17/11/2023 Posted by: InnWater

@InnWater\_EU partners were today discussing #watergovernance, water availability and #climatechange with local stakeholders

#### Video Cassandra conference

(+Figueres post)

 LinkedIn
 16/11/2023
 Posted by : InnWater

 Have a look at the video to see how InnWater will use data to support action !

 (link to Video of Cassandra conference)

 Twitter
 16/11/2023
 Posted by : InnWater

 Repost of Cassandra conference' Tweet on session Seven with Natacha Amorsi

#### Cassandra Conference

LinkedIn

13/11/2023

Posted by: InnWater

Join us for this online #Cassandra conference, organized by our partner Eurecat - Technology Centre of Catalonia.

Dr Natacha Amorsi will represent InnWater in the panel Seven, where you will hear about how #data can support decison-making, in a context of #Climatechange, conflict or #Genderequality.

13/14th November 2023, from 14h to 16h30 CET

More information: https://lnkd.in/epSaUq7X

Twitter

13/11/2023

Posted by: InnWater

Join us for this online #Cassandra23 conference, organized by our partner @Eurecat\_news! @InnWater\_EU will be represented in the panel Seven, dedicated to #Data to action. 14th November 2023, from 14h to 16h30 CET

#### Onewater photo contest

LinkedIn	09/11/2023	Posted by : InnWater
♦ How water is present in your lives? How does it connect with the environment?		
This photo contest organized by	Onewater is a good opportunity to s	hare your views on this topic!



More details below 1

#PhotographyContest #WaterForPeace #UNESCO #PhotoStory #SustainableFuture

Twitter 10/11/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Only few days left to apply for this call on Aquatic Ecosystem Services! #water #research #science

#### WEF Nexus symposium 2023 event

LinkedIn 27/10/2023 Posted by : InnWater

♦ "Water is THE priority" The declaration for an EU Blue Deal has been released. See the 15 principles and 21 concrete actions hereafter. **#EUBlueDeal** 

Twitter 27/10/2023 Posted by : InnWater

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#### EURO INBO Workshop D Day

LinkedIn 18/10/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Today was the EURO-INBO Workshop on Innovative Water Governance, a <u>#WaterGovernance2027</u> synergy group event, with our sister projects RETOUCH NEXUS and GOVAQUA project!

After setting the scene on water governance, a focus was made on the case studies approaches in the different project, and the co-creation process.

Then, 60 participants from different countries had some time to exchange on the challenges, solutions and remaining gaps they are facing in their own jobs and territories.

#horizoneurope #watergovernance #innovation #crocreation #riverbasin #EUResearchArea International Network of Basin Organizations (INBO/RIOB)

Twitter 18/10/2023 Posted by : InnWater

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<u>@InnWater\_EU</u> and exchange with 60 participants on their challenges, solutions and remaining gaps. #HorizonEU #watergovernance #europeancommission #innovation #EUResearchArea

#### EURO INBO Workshop#1

LinkedIn 11/10/2023 Posted by : InnWater

One week left until the EUROPE-INBO Workshop on Innovative Water Governance, a #WaterGovernance2027 synergy group event!

Participants from all <u>#Europe</u> and neighbouring countries will have the opportunity to learn and discuss on the practices, challenges and solutions regarding <u>#watergovernance</u>.

31 18th October, 9h-12h30

📜 Valencia, Spain 🔑

More information: https://ow.ly/L7m750PV1yJ

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#### EU Blue Deal

LinkedIn	05/10/2023	Posted by : InnWater
#Water is a #crosscutting topic which needs ambitious actions.  Have a look at the #EUBlueDeal proposition: https://www.eesc.europa.eu/en/news-media/press-releases/eesc-urges-eu-leaders-act-now-water-crisis		
Twitter	05/10/2023	Posted by : InnWater
#Water is a #crosscutting topic which needs ambitious actions. Have a deeper look at the #EUBlueDeal proposition. Quote: EESC Industrial Change @CCMI_EESC, We call on member states to support an #EUBlueDeal! "Europe needs to recognise the importance of #water in all policies. This requires an ambitious strategy on a par with the Green Deal." Read more about our joint letter with @mepwatergroup: https://europa.eu/!QyrFDh		

#### European Researchers Night

LinkedIn	29/09/2023	Posted by : InnWater
Every year, the European Researchers Night brings together the public and researchers from all disciplines and all horizons, to discover, discuss and learn all together. In 2023, Water management is one of the items! Our partner the Université de La Réunion will present the Micro Simulation Model, which will also be used in InnWater.		
The visitors can also become #CitizenScientists: they will be given a sampling kit and instructions to analyze water and share theirs results.		
A good idea for your Friday 29 September evening! #citizens #europeanresearchersnight #research #sharingknowledge #NuitChercheurs #recherche #citizenscience		
Twitter	29/09/2023	Posted by : InnWater
The European Researchers Night  brings public and researchers together.  Our partner @Univ_Reunion will present the Micro Simulation Model.  Come and see!  Friday 29 september #citizens #EuropeanResearchersNight #research  #sharingknowledge #NuitChercheurs #recherche		

#### Word of the coordinator

LinkedIn	21/09/2023	Posted by : InnWater
Already 6 months gone! See the word of our coordinator Natacha Amorsi on the first achievements of the project.		
Want to know more about InnWater? Visit our website 1: https://www.innwater.eu/Office International de l'Eau #watergovernance #HorizonEU #innovation + Quote from Natacha		
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#### EUI presenting a poster

LinkedIn	19/09/2023	Posted by : InnWater
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Sharing ideas to progress! Our partner <u>European University Institute</u> displayed a poster of <u>InnWater</u> to discuss <u>#Watergovernance</u> during a meeting of the <u>#European</u> project <u>#BWaterSmart</u>, working towards a <u>#watersmart</u> society and economy.

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#### Cassandra conference

LinkedIn 14/09/2023 Posted by : InnWater

31 Save the date!

<u>InnWater</u> will participate in the <u>#Cassandra</u> conference, an online event organized by our partner <u>Eurecat</u>-Technology Centre of Catalonia, from 13th to 15th of November 2023.

Come hear about how <u>#data</u> can support decison-making, in a context of <u>#Climatechange</u>, conflict or <u>#Genderequality</u>.

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#### The importance of Citizen Science

LinkedIn	28/08/2023	Posted by : InnWater
#CitizenScience at the heart for research and #innovation Repost Article from EU Science, Research & Innovation		
Twitter	28/08/2023	Posted by : InnWater
#CitizenScience at the heart for research and #innovation + Repost Tweet from EU Science & Innovation		

#### **EURO-INBO Conference**

LinkedIn 17/08/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Registrations are open for the next EURO-INBO Conference on the Implementation of the European Water Directives.

Basin organizations, water directorates, representatives of EU Member States will discuss Agriculture, #Droughts, Unconventional Resources, #Floods, International Cooperation...

A session is dedicated to Innovative Water Governance.

16-19 October in Valencia (Spain) PRegister now: https://ow.ly/UF8r50PsIfF

International Network of Basin Organizations (INBO/RIOB)

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#### What is water governance

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Do you want to know more about #watergovernance?

Have a look at this article from our partner WAREG - European Water Regulators

Twitter

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Do you want to know more about water governance?

Have a look at this article from our partner @WaregWater



#### Logo of the PS Community

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Pilot Sites have a central role in InnWater.

Spread across Europe EU and addressing different water challenges, they will test and co-develop the tools undertaken in the different Work Packages.

Pilot Sites Communities will gather stakeholders of the Pilot sites, coming from different sectors (water, energy, industry) and different scales.

#WEFENexus #codevelopment #horizoneurope

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#### **Quote from UN publication**

LinkedIn 11/07/2023 Posted by : InnWater

"A blueprint for <u>#governance</u> [...] Improving policy coherence and collaboration across different sectors and national borders will magnify the effectiveness of water and sanitation management and support social cohesion and international peace."

United Nations Water <u>#SDG6</u> Synthesis Report on Water and Sanitation gives us a '<u>#blueprint</u>' - showing us how to turn the <u>#WaterAction</u> Agenda, the promises from the UN 2023 Water Conference into rapid results.

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"A blueprint for governance [...] Improving policy coherence and collaboration across different sectors and national borders will magnify the effectiveness of water and sanitation management and support social cohesion and international peace. " Quote Tweet from UN-Water @UN Water

We need to see the world's challenges from the perspective of its most precious resource. Solving the #water and sanitation crisis will drive progress in health, food, biodiversity, disaster resilience, sustainability, climate action, peace & more. https://unwater.org/publications/sdg-6-synthesis-report-2023 #SDG6

#### Presentation of WRT

LinkedIn 27/06/2023 Posted by : InnWater

#### #partners

The West Country Water Resource Group is a regional partnership looking at water resource management across the south west of the UK GB.

Whilst the group looks at large scale water issues, it is vital to scale down  $\wp$  to understand both the water quantity and quality pressures in individual catchments and streams, including where agriculture  $\bowtie$  and the water sector  $\varsigma$  is impacting flows.

To achieve this, the Westcountry Rivers Trust is pulling together the existing catchment partnerships, to help collate, analyse and scale up citizen science data find from across the area so it can be use at : - the highest level by the Water Resource Group - the area level by Flood and Coastal Committees - the county level by Local Nature Partnerships as well as the Catchment Partnerships themselves.

By participating in the InnWater project, the WRT aims to: highlight the value of collating public, private and community data demonstrate a weight of evidence approach on the state of our rivers pull together different scale of partnerships to deliver Integrated Catchment Management.



Twitter

partners

The @WestcountryRT works to protect water resource in the South West of the UK GB.

With @InnWater EU, WRT aims to: highlight the value of collating public, private and community data pull together partnerships to deliver Integrated Catchment Management.

### Launch of WaterGovernance 2027- Thanks

LinkedIn	19/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater	
An interesting #WaterGovernance2027 launch this morning!  Thanks to the participants and to RETOUCH NEXUS and GOVAQUA project  A deeper look at water governance from #OECD, views from #EU side, rich comments and inputs from the participants, have a look below  stay tuned for more information about InnWater and the synergy group			
Twitter	19/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater	
#WaterGovernance2027 launch was this morning!  A deeper look at water governance from #OECD, views from #EU side, rich comments and inputs from the participants, have a look below  Stay tuned			

### Launch of WaterGovernance 2027-invitation 3

LinkedIn	15/06/2023	Posted by : Innwater
GOVAQUA and InnWater, newly sta Monday 19 at 9h (CET). They will be of the projects including the policy of governance assessment across Euro	Five days to join WaterGovernance2027 synergy group launch event! The coordinators of RetouchNexus, OVAQUA and InnWater, newly started EU projects, are looking froward to welcoming you on next londay 19 at 9h (CET). They will be helped by EU officers and OECD representative to present the context the projects including the policy dimension, their ambitions as well as their core method in term of overnance assessment across Europe.  Full agenda https://bit.ly/3WZq0hg  Registration form: https://bit.ly/3NZMI.gl	
Twitter	/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater
5 days to register to WaterGovernance2027 synergy group launch event! With @RetouchNexus, @GOVAQUAproject, @InnWater EU: exchange on water governance challenges and solutions across Europe Full agenda <a href="https://bit.ly/3WZq0hg">https://bit.ly/3WZq0hg</a> Registration form <a href="https://bit.ly/3N2MLgl">https://bit.ly/3WZq0hg</a>		

#### Presentation of CBB

LinkedIn	13/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater
#partners		
The Consiglio di Bacino Brenta (CBB) is the Drinking water Board of the Brenta river basin in Italy 1T, representing 68 municipalities across three provinces in the Veneto region.		
The Middle Brenta area is strategic for drinking water supply 🚺 and coincides with a #Natura2000 site.		
Having worked on the synergies between the Water Framework Directive #WFD and Habitat and Birds Directives, the CBB has a very innovative background, being the 1st case at the national level of the implementation of the Environmental and Resource Costs (ERC) in the water tariff to support #naturebased investments and conservation interventions.		
By participating in the InnWater pro	ject, the CBB aims to :	
-consolidate the innovative funding	mechanism 🛚	



-explore the possibilities to apply it in other water sectors (e.g., irrigation) by the involvement of local stakeholders

-better communicate the tariff headings to the water service users.

Twitter 13/06/2023 Posted by: InnWater

#### #partners

The Consiglio di Bacino Brenta (CBB) IT was the 1st case at the national level implementing Environmental and Resource Costs in the water tariff.

With <u>@InnWater EU</u>, CBB aims to explore possibilities to apply this funding mechanism in other sectors (e.g. irrigation).

#### Launch of WaterGovernance 2027- Invitation 2

LinkedIn	08/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater
WaterGovernance2027 synergy group gathers InnWater, RetouchNexus and GOVAQUA EU projects		
The activities of WaterGovernance2027 will be presented at the online event on 19 June morning. Speakers are getting ready to present the funding EU programmes of the project, set the policy scene behind the water governance challenges, get an insight on the OECD water governance indicators and provide an overview of the expected results of the project. As important, the time slot for idiscussion has been extended so attendees can really get engaged and exchanges can take place!  Full agenda https://bit.ly/3WZq0hg		
Registration form: https://bit.ly/3N2MLgl		
Twitter	08/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater
WaterGovernance2027 launch event provides more space for discussion! Join us and share on water related challenges on the 19 June morning, online. Full agenda <a href="https://bit.ly/3WZq0hg">https://bit.ly/3WZq0hg</a> Registration form: <a href="https://bit.ly/3N2MLgl">https://bit.ly/3N2MLgl</a>		

### Presentation of KÖTIVIZIG

06/06/2023

#partners
The Middle Tisza District Water Directorate (so called KÖTIVIZIG) is located in the heart of the Hungarian
Great Plain, in the middle of the Tisza River Basin. HU The #TiszaRiver is the longest tributary of the
<u>#DanubeRiver</u> , and 2nd largest tributary by flow.
KÖTIVIZIG is facing seasonal water extremities, like floods and droughts. Allocation of water resources

Posted by: InnWater

KOTIVIZIG is facing seasonal water extremities, like floods and droughts. Allocation of water resources among competitive uses in a context of increasing demand is a main challenge in the region.

Thanks to InnWater KÖTIVIZIG, in a close cooperation together with Hungarian project partner REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research, aims to induce a successful adaptation process, built on a water allocation procedure supported by comprehensive information and involvement of relevant stakeholders.

Twitter 06/06/2023 Posted by : InnWater

### #partners

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Thanks to <u>@InnWater\_EU</u>, KÖTIVIZIG aims to induce a successful adaptation process, built on comprehensive information and involvement of relevant stakeholders.



# Launch of WaterGovernance 2027

LinkedIn	01/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater
InnWater EU project has 2 sisters! Indeed, RETOUCH NEXUS and GOVAQUA are also funded by the European Union's Horizon Europe Research and Innovation Programmes HORIZON.		
Altogether, the 3 projects have created a $\heartsuit$ synergy group called WaterGovernance2027. As the coordinator of InnWater, OiEau is really pleased to announce the on-line launch of WaterGovernance2027 on the 19 June morning.		
The event aims at communicating about the start of WaterGovernance2027, linking to the broader picture with a special focus on the OECD water governance indicators and providing space to discuss the foreseen organization of the synergy group, its added-value and the congruence of its objectives. The projects will be presented by their respective coordinators, and on the cake, European & OECD representatives will introduce the EU policy context and provide an overview on the indicators so discussion can take place. Full agenda <a href="https://bit.ly/3WFLjEp">https://bit.ly/3WFLjEp</a> PRegistration form: https://bit.ly/3N2MLgl		
Twitter	01/06/2023	Posted by : InnWater
Composed of <u>@InnWater EU</u> <u>@RetouchNexus</u> and <u>@GOVAQUAproject</u> , the synergy group WaterGovernance will be officially launched on the 19 June morning, online. Full agenda <a href="https://bit.ly/3WFLjEp">https://bit.ly/3WFLjEp</a> Registration form: <a href="https://bit.ly/3N2MLgl">https://bit.ly/3WFLjEp</a>		

# Presentation of SIWI

LinkedIn	23/05/2023	Posted by : InnWater
SIWI - Stockholm International Water Institute works in areas of water resources management, transboundary cooperation and water and sanitation services, aiming to generate new knowledge and practical solutions that improve the capacity of actors to play their roles in water governance and enhance the quality of their relationships for #sustainable and #resilient water. SIWI is part of the InnWater project, joining with an inter-disciplinary team, having expertise in research and policy analysis, water governance, #IWRM, water #resilience, institutional analysis and #citizenengagement, but also #gender equality and social inclusion.  SIWI's team will contribute to:  -WP2: « Water governance for sustainability and resilience »  -WP3 "Quintuple helix trust and engagement"WP6 on "Policy and regulation recommendations" #partners #horizoneurope		
Twitter	23/05/2023	Posted by : InnWater
#partners SIWI will bring its expertise for @InnWater, especially on  Policy analysis,  Water governance #IWRM  Water resilience  Citizen engagement #Gender equality and social inclusion		



#### Presentation of EUI

LinkedIn 15/05/2023 Posted by : InnWater Let's learn a bit more about one of our InnWater #partner: the European University Institute (EUI)! EUI is a leading institute in Europe dedicated to research and higher learning in social sciences and humanities. It hosts several institutions including the Florence School of Regulation IT (FSR https://fsr.eui.eu/water/) which is a centre of excellence for independent discussion and knowledge exchange with the purpose of improving the quality of European regulation and policy. The FSR Water and Waste Area is a unique environment gathering regulators, operators and academics with the goal of providing innovative thought, analysis, and discussion of EU regulations, policies and governance in the fields of water and municipal waste.  $\Diamond$ The EUI/FSR will contribute to InnWater by: -producing an enhanced methodology for water governance assessment based on the #OECD Principles on Water Governance. This methodology will be tailored to focus on #sustainability and #resilience in relation to EU environmental and water-related strategies and policy frameworks, namely the restoration of freshwater ecosystems, the polluter-pays principle implementation, and the EU #GreenDeal. -supporting the implementation of the methodology in 5 pilot case studies. **Twitter** 15/05/2023 Posted by : InnWater Florence School of Regulation IT , hosted by @EUI EU, will contribute to @InnWater EU by: -producing an enhanced methodology for water governance assessment based on the #OECD Principles on Water Governance. supporting its implementation in 5 pilot sites. #partners

#### Presentation of WAREG

LinkedIn 11/05/2023 Posted by: InnWater After the kick-off meeting, let's go back to the discovery of InnWater partners! ôô WAREG - European Water Regulators is and association formed by public authorities responsible for economic regulation in the drinking water and wastewater sector. Its primary mission is to promote closer collaboration  $\heartsuit$ , knowledge exchange, and capacity-building among its members, while supporting the implementation of European water legislation. EU Within the InnWater consortium, WAREG contributes to developing an enhanced #watergovernance assessment methodology based on the #OECD Principles on Water Governance. # WAREG will take part in the identification of relevant policies, economic instruments, and financial and business models that can improve water governance practices. **Twitter** 11/05/2023 Posted by : InnWater ôô #partners @WaregWater is the Association of European Regulators in the drinking water and wastewater sectors. # For @InnWater EU, WAREG contributes to developing an enhanced #watergovernance assessment methodology based on the **#OECD** Principles on Water Governance.

# Physical kick-off meeting Day Two

LinkedIn	27/04/2023	Posted by : InnWater
Second day of the InnWater physical kick-off meeting!  #Partners are working on the implementation of the project: shared vision of the work, connection between		
work packages, work plan 👬		
To close the event, a visit of the Office International de l'Eau training centre.		
#exchanges #innovation #watergovernance #horizoneurope		
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**♣** To close the event, a visit of the @OI\_Eau training centre. **♠** #exchanges #innovation #watergovernance #horizoneurope

### Physical kick-off meeting Day One

LinkedIn 26/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

★ After a first online kick-off meeting on the 3rd of March, #partners of the InnWater project are together for physical kick-off meeting in #Limoges today and tomorrow!

This event is organized by the Office International de l'Eau (OiEau), who is also the coordinator of the project. FR

For this first day, the morning allows European national and local representatives to give their vision on water governance at different levels.

The cluster projects GOVAQUA project and RETOUCH NEXUS were also presented.

The afternoon is dedicated to start the work for the first 18 months of the project.

At the end of the day, everyone will go on the little train to discover the city of Limoges! Office International de l'Eau Université de La Réunion Etifor | Valuing Nature Université de Rouen Normandie Eurecat - Centro Tecnológico de Catalunya SIWI - Stockholm International Water Institute REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research WAREG - European Water Regulators European University Institute Central Tisza Rural Water Directorate Consiglio di Bacino Brenta City Council de Figueres Westcountry Rivers Trust

Twitter 26/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

<u>#Partners</u> of the <u>@InnWater EU</u> project are in <u>#Limoges</u> for the kick-off meeting today and tomorrow, organized by <u>@OI Eau</u>! Official representatives gave their vision on <u>#watergovernance</u> at different levels. Partners started the work for the first 18 months.

## Physical kick-off D-1

LinkedIn 25/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

The EU project InnWater, funded by the <u>European Commission</u> under the <u>#HorizonEurope</u> Research & Innovation programme, has its 2 days kick-off meeting.

The start of 3 years on the challenges of  $\underline{\text{#watergovernance}}$ , social innovation and stakeholders' participation.

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Twitter 25/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

# It's tomorrow! InnWater project Kick Off 💥

31 26-27 April

Limoges (France)

Hear about #watergovernance challenges & InnWater vision!

@HorizonEU @EUScienceInnov

#### Presentation of REKK

LinkedIn 21/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Let's keep on discovering InnWater #partners

REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research in cooperation with another project partner KÖTIVIZIG, will be responsible of the Pilot site #5, located in the Middle Tisza region in Hungary. HU

The pilot site activities will focus on complex water management issues, among which water scarcity and improving #resilience to droughts are key problem elements.



The figure below (Source: https://www.hydroinfo.hu/en/ho/hvkgrafikonok.html) shows that the accumulated snowpack in the Tisza catchment is now close to its all-time minimum. The likelihood of spring flooding due to rapid snowmelt has been low this year, but the lack of snow accumulation is also a warning sign of low replenishment of water reserves in soil for the summer.

REKK and KÖTIVIZIG will analyze the consequences of increasingly frequent droughts in the pilot site, the resulting water allocation challenges and how economic policy instruments can be better integrated into #watergovernance.

Twitter 21/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

PinnWater #partners REKK and KÖTIVIZIG will be responsible of the Pilot site #5, in the Middle Tisza region in Hungary. HU

The focus will be on improving resilience to droughts, water allocation and the integration of economic policy instruments into #watergovernance.

#### Presentation of Eurecat

LinkedIn 19/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Let's know more about Eurecat - Centro Tecnológico de Catalunya!

Eurecat is the Catalonia's main technology centre and the second largest private research organisation in southern Europe. ES

Eurecat participates in InnWater through two units: WAS (Water, Air and Soil) leading WP3 and AAI (Applied Artificial Intelligence) leading WP4.

- -In the WP3 Quintuple Helix Trust & Engagement the objective is to show how the term 'citizen engagement'
- in has been understood and implemented throughout the #EU to this day, by:
- . Analysing the citizen engagement solutions that have been used and the work of previous projects
- . Establishing a definition of true citizen engagement
- . Creating a framework of what citizen engagement can achieve.
- -In the WP4 Digital tools for water governance work will be done to provide a #WEFE (Water Energy Food Ecosystem) digital tool  $\square$  to allow policy-based decision-making procedures that will allow for the creation of strategies beneficial to all sectors of water, energy, food, and the environment.

Twitter 19/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

**Q** InnWater #partners!

@Eurecat\_news will bring its experience in #innovative solutions (algorithms, methods, platforms) & Labased on a combination of artificial intelligence and knowledge management technologies.

Why? To provide a #WEFE digital tool. 🖵

# Physical kick-off meeting D-10

LinkedIn 17/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

31 26-27 April

Limoges (France)

<u>InnWater</u> (2023-2026) brings together 13 partners from 6 countries to support tailored multi-level and cross sector <u>#watergovernance</u>.

The whole project relies on <u>#socialinnovation</u>, which simultaneously consider dimensions for the promotion and transfer of results: technological, governance, capacity building and economics.

"By providing new methods, tools, services and recommendations, we aim at delivering a water governance assessment matrix to ensure water systems <a href="#systainability">#systainability</a> and reduce water uses conflict due to <a href="#systainability">#climatechange</a> impact." Natacha Amorsi, Coordinator of the project."

#inclusive #innovation #EUResearchArea

EU Science, Research and Innovation



Twitter 17/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

31 26-27 April

Limoges (France)

Innovative <u>#watergovernance</u> for a <u>#sustainable</u> water management.

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@HorizonEU @EUScienceInnov

# Physical kick-off D-20

LinkedIn 07/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

InnWater project Kick Off Meeting

31 26-27 April

Limoges (France)

Our consortium of 13 European partners is pleased to announce the launch of the InnWater project, funded by the European Commission under the #HorizonEurope Research & Innovation programme.

<u>InnWater</u> aims at promoting social <u>#innovation</u> to renew multi-level and cross sector <u>#wategovernance</u> and will provide a set of digital tools and services that will be gathered in the InnWater Governance Platform.

High-level speakers from European and national scale.

Office International de l'Eau Université de La Réunion Etifor | Valuing Nature Université de Rouen Normandie Eurecat - Centro Tecnológico de Catalunya SIWI - Stockholm International Water Institute REKK Regional Centre for Energy Policy Research WAREG - European Water Regulators European University Institute Central Tisza Rural Water Directorate Consiglio di Bacino Brenta Ajuntament de Figueres Westcountry Rivers Trust

Twitter 07/04/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Save the date!

InnWater Kick Off Meeting

3 26-27 April Limoges (France) Social #innovation to renew #watergovernance

#HorizonEU #EUResearchArea

@OI\_Eau @ETIFOR @Univ\_Reunion @WaregWater @siwi\_water @univrouen @Eurecat\_news @EUI\_EU @ajfigueres @WestcountryRT

#### Reaction to French news

LinkedIn 31/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Progressive water pricing ♠, one of the main measure of this French action Plan, has been applied for long in La Réunion (FR), one of the 5 Pilot sites of the InnWater project. Valuable feedbacks to rely on. Université de La Réunion With a link to the French Water action plan

Twitter 31/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

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#### Presentation of Université de Rouen Normandie

LinkedIn 24/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater



Friday, a nice day to learn more on another InnWater #partner! 👗

The Laboratoire Économie Rouen Normandie (LERN) is a research team at the <u>Université de Rouen Normandie</u> with an expertise in environmental economics.

For InnWater, LERN will bring its experience in <u>#WEFEnexus</u> modeling. LERN will work in close collaboration with the team of <u>Université de La Réunion</u>, combining water uses modeling (at the basin level with a specific focus on residential water consumption.  $\Box$ 

Twitter 24/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Friday, a day for InnWater #partner!

# The Laboratoire Économie Rouen Normandie (LERN) is a research team at the @univrouen.

For InnWater, LERN will work on combining water uses modeling 3 at the basin level with a specific focus on residential water consumption.  $\triangledown$ 

# Presentation of InnWater pillars

LinkedIn 21/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

# Let's continue InnWater discovery. The key issues addressed by the project are ● Improve efficiency, effectiveness and trust & engagement ● Provide Cross-sector approach to set sustainable management and uses based on #WEFENexus ● Support decision (including economic and water pricing) and ● Develop Policy compliance and recommendations. The 13 partners have designed 4 pillars to organise their activities and embrace these challenges. Have a ♠ to the diagram #watergovernance #horizoneurope #europeancommission #innovation

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Twitter21/03/2023Posted by : InnWater

∠ Let's continue InnWater discovery and see how the 13 partners have developed a 4 pillars approach to embrace 
 <u>#watergovernance</u> renewal challenge!

@HorizonEU @EUScienceInnov

#### Presentation of Etifor

LinkedIn 17/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

**Q** Focus on InnWater <u>#partners!</u>

<u>Etifor | Valuing Nature</u> is a spin-off company of the University of Padova that works with private and public organisations to help them put "nature at the center of their decisions, improving the social and environmental impacts of their policies, programs, and projects.

How ? With an approach based on science, innovation, and governance: the lilars that guide every project Etifor is working on.

For <u>InnWater</u>, Etifor is bringing its extensive experience to lead the Work Package 2 on water governance for #sustainability and resilience, helping the project's pilot sites identify their water governance gaps and connect them with feasible solutions.

This ambitious work will be done in collaboration with the <u>SIWI - Stockholm International Water Institute</u>, the <u>European University Institute</u> and the rest of the project partners. <u>#governance</u> <u>#innovation</u> <u>#partnership</u>

Twitter 17/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Q InnWater #partners!

@ETIFOR puts #nature at the centre of decision-making.

For InnWater, Etifor will lead WP2 on water governance <u>#sustainability</u> and resilience, identifying the <u>#watergovernance</u> gaps of pilot sites and connecting them with feasible solutions.



#### Presentation of Université de la Réunion

LinkedIn 09/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

Q Find out more on InnWater #partners!

Our partners from <u>Université de La Réunion</u> are a team of researchers: Fanny, Marian, Michel and Olivia, but also of citizens who all have in common their island, its culture and its inhabitants.

Locally, the project is relying on collective intelligence  $\clubsuit$ , with the creation of a community of users around 3 decision-making tools which will be useful for informing collective decision-making and co-constructing the content of public policies in the field of water, energy, food and ecosystems #WEFEnexus.

This project will also highlight #citizenengagement with the organization of water forums and workshops on the issues related to sustainable water management and the role of public action.

Twitter 09/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

A Have a look at InnWater #partners!

@Univ\_Reunion will involve a team of researchers and citizens.

The project will create a community of users \* around 3 decision-making tools and highlight citizen engagement \* with the organization of water forums and workshops.

# Online Kick-off meeting

LinkedIn 03/03/2023 Posted by : OiEau

- ◆ The InnWater project is having its online #kickoff meeting today!
- ★ 13 partners together to jump into the objectives, timeline, actions and pilot sites.

Also preparing the face to face kick-off meeting which will take place at the Office International de l'Eau in #Limoges (France) in April.

Very happy to start the InnWater journey!

#watergovernance #horizoneurope #europeancommission #innovation



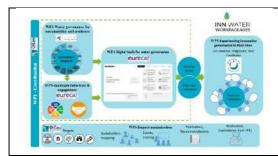
Twitter 03/03/2023 Posted by : OiEau

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Have a look at the project's work packages!

#watergovernance #horizoneurope #europeancommission #innovation





### Launch of the project

LinkedIn 01/03/2023 Posted by : InnWater

**InnWater** is starting this month!

InnWater is a <u>#EuropeanProject</u> funded by the <u>European Commission</u> under the <u>#HorizonEurope</u> Research & Innovation program EU

The main objective of InnWater (Promoting social INNovation to renew multi-level and cross sector WATER governance) is to provide a set of #digitaltools and services (that will be gathered in InnWater Governance Platform) to support tailored multi-level and cross-sector #watergovernance, associated with economic and financial mechanisms to support EU #GreenDeal transition while ensuring water systems #sustainability.

We will keep you posted!

 $\hbox{\#watergovernance \#Horizoneurope \#european commission} \ \hbox{$\frac{\#waterenergy foodecosystems}{\#EUResearch \underline{Area}\_\#innovation}$$ 



LinkedIn 01/03/2023 Posted by : OiEau

OiEau is very pleased to announce the start of InnWater EU project, addressing water governance challenges due to climate change impact.

- InnWater aims at promoting social Innovation to renew multi-level and cross sector WATER governance and will provide a set of digital tools and services that will be gathered in InnWater Governance Platform.
- ♦ On the macro scale, InnWater will support tailored multi-level and cross sector water governance, associated with economic and financial mechanisms to support EU green deal transition while ensuring water systems sustainability.
- ♦ On the micro scale, InnWater will deliver a governance assessment matrix, quintuple helix and citizen (trust) engagement framework, WEFE Nexus economic and resources allocation simulation including household water tariff and environmental costs, a self-sustaining governance community composed of 5 pilot sites in FR, UK, HU, SP, IT addressing different water challenges, a set of raising awareness and training tools, the identification of replication opportunities in at least 14 EU basins and a set of policy, regulation and economic recommendations to support EU policy implementation and new orientations.

The consortium composed of 13 partners throughout Europe, coordinated by OIEau will meet for the first on Friday 3 March. Discover the project's workpackages!

#waterinnovation #CitizenEngagement #WaterSector

L'OiEau est très heureux d'annoncer le lancement du projet européen InnWater, qui répond aux défis de la gouvernance de l'eau en raison de l'impact du changement climatique.



InnWater vise à promouvoir l'innovation sociale pour renouveler la gouvernance multi-niveaux et intersectorielle de l'eau et fournira un ensemble d'outils et de services numériques qui seront rassemblés dans la plateforme de gouvernance InnWater.

- ♦ À l'échelle macro, InnWater soutiendra une gouvernance de l'eau multi-niveaux et intersectorielle adaptée, associée à des mécanismes économiques et financiers pour soutenir la transition vers le Green deal de l'UE tout en assurant la durabilité des systèmes d'eau.
- ♠ À l'échelle micro, InnWater fournira une matrice d'évaluation de la gouvernance, un cadre d'engagement des citoyens, une simulation de l'économie et de l'allocation des ressources face au défi du nexus Eau Energie Agriculture, y compris le tarif de l'eau pour les ménages et les coûts environnementaux.
   5 sites pilotes en France, au Royaume-Uni, en Hongrie, en Espagne et en Italie, permettront le développement d'un ensemble d'outils de sensibilisation et de formation, et des recommandations politiques, réglementaires et économiques pour soutenir la mise en œuvre des politiques de l'UE et de nouvelles orientations.

Le consortium composé de 13 partenaires à travers l'Europe, coordonné par l'OlEau, se réunira pour la première fois le 3 mars. Découvrez les workpackages du projet !

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