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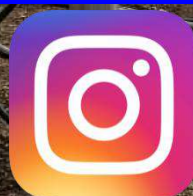
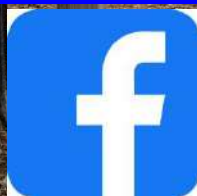










































15-19 September 2025






















(15-16 Sept. **online** – 17-19 Sept **in presence or hybrid**)



















































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INDICATIVE TIME – CHECK THE AGENDA	Mon 15 Sept ONLINE	Mon 15 Sept ONLINE	Tue 16 Sept ONLINE	Tue 16 Sept ONLINE
 CEST 09:00-11:00  AEDT 17:00-19:00  CST 15:00-17:00  IST 12:30-14:30		 CL:AIRE <small>LEADING SUSTAINABLE LAND REUSE</small> Soil-Matters - Sustainable Materials Reuse 2	 ALGA <small>AUSTRALASIAN LAND - GROUNDWATER ASSOCIATION</small> Site Assessment for Vapour Intrusion 10	 NICOLA <small>Network for Industrially Contaminated Land in Africa</small> Management of contaminated sites in Africa 11
 CEST 11:30-13:30  CST 17:30-19:30  IST 15:00-17:00  WAT 09:30-11:30	Policy and Research on Soil Pollution 1	 ITVA Nachhaltigkeit bei der Altlastensanierung 3	 CL:AIRE <small>LEADING SUSTAINABLE LAND REUSE</small> Soil Passports for Demonstrating Circular Economy in Soil Reuse 12	 RNEST <small>Réseau National d'Expertise Scientifique et Technique sur les sols</small> Agroécologie et santé des sols 13
 CEST 14:30-16:30  WAT 12:30-14:30  EDT 08:30-10:30  BRT 09:30-11:30	 US Army Corps of Engineers	 NICOLE <small>network for industrially co-ordinated sustainable land management in europe</small> Sustainable Solutions for Soil Pollution 6	 CARUS In Situ Adsorption and Destruction Technologies 4	 ASTM Climate and Community Mapping 14  ASTM MStC for Petroleum UST Releases 15
 CEST 17:00-19:00  WAT 15:00-17:00  EDT 11:00-13:00  BRT 12:00-14:00	In-Situ Thermal Remediation 5	 INTERSTATE COUNCIL OF TECHNOLOGY REGULATORY P&T optimization Training 7	 DTSC <small>Department of Toxic Substances Control</small>  National Institute for Public Health and the Environment <small>Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport</small> Safe and efficient reuse of wastewater 18	 ASTM PFAS Site Screening and Initial Characterization 16  ASTM Responding to Industry Needs in Standards for Microparticles and Microplastics 17
 CEST 20:00-22:00  EDT 14:00-16:00  BRT 15:00-17:00  PDT 11:00-13:00	 eurecat <small>Centre Tecnològic de Catalunya</small>  Institut de Recerca de l'Aigua (IdRA) <small>UNIVERSITAT DE BARCELONA</small> Soluciones sostenibles para la descontaminación 8	 INTERSTATE COUNCIL OF TECHNOLOGY REGULATORY PFAS introductory Training 9		

INDICATIVE TIME – CHECK THE AGENDA	Wed 17 Sept WHITE ROOM- 1 st floor	Wed 17 Sept EUROPE ROOM – 2 nd floor	Wed 17 Sept OTHER ROOMS
 CEST 09:00-11:00  AEDT 17:00-19:00  CST 15:00-17:00  IST 12:30-14:30  TRT 10:00-12:00	Mining Legacies 2023 19	Solutions for POPs and Pesticides 2023 22	 20 PFAS Under the Lens: Science, Solutions and Society – H2020- SCENARIOS Blue Room, 09:00 – 17:00
 CEST 11:30-13:30  CST 17:30-19:30  IST 15:00-17:00  TRT 12:30-14:30  WAT 09:30-11:30	In Situ Soil Remediation 2023 23	Circular Economy Solutions for Environmental Remediation 2023 24	
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 CEST 17:00-19:00  WAT 15:00-17:00  EDT 11:00-13:00  BRT 12:00-14:00  PDT 08:00-10:00	AI and Data Innovations in Remediation 2023 28	Bioremediation for Challenging Environments 2023 29	

INDICATIVE TIME – CHECK THE AGENDA	Thu 18 Sept WHITE ROOM- 1 st floor	Thu 18 Sept EUROPE ROOM – 2 nd floor	Thu 18 Sept OTHER ROOMS
 CEST 09:00-11:00  AEDT 17:00-19:00  CST 15:00-17:00  IST 12:30-14:30  TRT 10:00-12:00	<p>PFAS Soil Remediation</p> <p>31</p>	<p>Phytoremediation Strategies for Contaminated Soils</p> <p>32</p>	<p>NYMPHE  30</p> <p>Innovative Microbial Solutions for Environmental Remediation: Technologies and Strategies from the NYMPHE Project</p> <p>Pavillion 5/6 - 09:00 – 13:00</p>
 CEST 11:30-13:30  CST 17:30-19:30  IST 15:00-17:00  TRT 12:30-14:30  WAT 09:30-11:30	<p>Groundwater remediation</p> <p>33</p>	<p>HRSC and 3D Site Characterization</p> <p>34</p>	
 CEST 14:30-16:30  TRT 15:30-17:30  WAT 12:30-14:30  BRT 09:30-11:30  EDT 08:30-10:30	<p>PFAS Management Strategies</p> <p>36</p>	<p>Chlorinated Solvent Remediation</p> <p>37</p>	<p>25  25</p> <p>ITALIAN TRADE AGENCY</p> <p>Business Opportunity in Ethiopia, Uganda and Ruanda. Urban Regeneration, Natural Risks protection</p> <p>White Room 13:30 – 14:30</p>
 CEST 17:00-19:00  WAT 15:00-17:00  BRT 12:00-14:00  EDT 11:00-13:00  PDT 08:00-10:00	<p>PFAS Water Treatment</p> <p>38</p>	<p>Sustainable Strategies for Pollution Management</p> <p>39</p>	

INDICATIVE TIME – CHECK THE AGENDA	Fri 19 Sept WHITE ROOM- 1 ^o floor	Fri 19 Sept EUROPE ROOM – 2 ^o floor	Fri 19 Sept - 24-25 Sept ONLINE or WHITE ROOM
 CEST 09:00-11:00  AEDT 17:00-19:00  CST 15:00-17:00  IST 12:30-14:30  TRT 10:00-12:00	Integrated Strategies for Soil Bioremediation 41	 OECD 40 IED 2.0 in Action: Evolution, Challenges and Tools for Implementation	SUSTAINATHON  Sustainability the road to global value 24 Sept. 14:00 - 24:00 CEST 25 Sept. 08:00 - 14:00 CEST
 CEST 11:30-13:30  CST 17:30-19:30  IST 15:00-17:00  TRT 12:30-14:30  WAT 09:30-11:30	Human Health and Environmental risks 43	 ECHA <small>EUROPEAN CHEMICALS AGENCY</small> New hazard classes under CLP Regulation 42	 COP30 BRASIL AMAZÔNIA 44 Business opportunity in Brazil, Road to COP30 White Room 13:30 – 14:30
 CEST 14:30-16:30  TRT 15:30-17:30  WAT 12:30-14:30  BRT 09:30-11:30  EDT 08:30-10:30	Biochar Applications in Soil Remediation 45	Waste-Based Approaches for Soil Recovery 46	 Human Health Risk Assessment for Regional Environmental Disasters 47 26 Sept. 14:30 - 16:30 CEST
 CEST 17:00-19:00  WAT 15:00-17:00  BRT 12:00-14:00  EDT 11:00-13:00  PDT 08:00-10:00	Smart Farming and Climate Solutions 49	Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Strategies 48	 CCS - Carbon Capture and Storage 50 19 Sept. 16:30 – 18:30

CONFERENCE

RemTech Europe, the International Conference and Exhibition on land and water remediation markets and technologies, is set for **September 15-19, 2025**.

The first two days, September 15-16, will be **fully digital** and **streamed online**. The following three days, **September 17-19**, will be hybrid, allowing **in-person attendance** as well as **Zoom broadcasts**. This format enables global participation, allowing anyone to follow nearly every session throughout the five-day event.

The conference aims to share knowledge, innovations, and case studies, fostering the development of remediation processes and the application of new, sustainable technologies. It also serves as a platform for suppliers and clients to connect and discuss available services and technologies.

The agenda is packed and designed to promote the exchange of knowledge and communication among all relevant parties, involving leading European stakeholders.

The annual RemTech Europe conference provides an overview of the European market and emerging trends. Participation is **free of charge**.

EXHIBITION

RemTech Europe will be held as part of the RemTech Expo, Europe's leading Environmental Technological Hub, specializing in the rehabilitation, regeneration, and sustainable development of territories. The event takes place annually in Ferrara, Italy, this year from September 17-19, 2025.

RemTech Expo is more than just a platform to present the current state and future outlook of the industry. It is a dynamic network of international experts working year-round to foster constructive and effective collaboration between the public and private sectors. This collaboration supports the development of ideas and projects that benefit Europe. The event is organized each year in partnership with major international authorities.

The Hub features a diverse community, including representatives from public administration, regulatory bodies, private companies, innovative start-ups, universities, research centers, trade associations, and professionals. These participants engage in discussions and intensive networking through conference sessions, workshops, working groups, refresher courses, educational workshops for schools, technological pilot tests, and cultural evenings.

RemTech Expo comprises ten thematic segments and ten public-private Scientific Technical Committees, involving over five hundred experts.

More than three hundred significant companies from various supply chains participate. The event includes two hundred national and international congressional proposals and appointments, with two thousand ambassadors and speakers from one hundred countries across all six continents.



WHO WILL PARTICIPATE?

RemTech Europe will attract leaders and key stakeholders from academia, government, regulatory agencies, site owners, private consulting firms, and various other environmental professionals. Some of the job titles represented include CEOs, Chief Scientists, Chief Hydrogeologists, Directors of Environmental Projects, Drinking Water Treatment Engineers, Environmental Chemists, Environmental Remediation Engineers, Environmental Project Scientists, Field Environmental Engineers, Principal Geochemists, Project Directors, Regulators, Remediation Engineers, Research Microbiologists, Restoration Project Managers, Senior Engineering Geologists, Toxicologists, Vice Presidents of R&D, and Wastewater Treatment Engineers.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE TO ONLINE AND HYBRID SESSIONS?

Participation as attendant is free upon registration for everybody. You may register yourself in your favorite sessions, submitting your details in the **Google Modules** provided not later than **9 September** before the starting of Remtech Europe. Our secretariat will send you the link and the password to connect at the email you provided. For the Certificate of Attendance, it is necessary two months at least. It will be sent to the same email of your registration.



Soil Pollution: policies and data

* Indica una domanda obbligatoria

First Name *

La tua risposta

Last (Family) Name *

La tua risposta



HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN PRESENCE?

For who is joining us physically us in Ferrara (Italy), you have to register here not later than **12 September 2025** <https://ticket.remtechexpo.com>. **Don't wait till the last week, the system may be overloaded with requests.** You will then have to print your ticket and bring them in Ferrara and in this way you would avoid the queue at the desk, going directly to the entrance gate. This is your **FREE TICKET**.

You may also register on site but in this way, you have to pay a secretariat fee of 15 €/day not a big amount, but there could be the queue at the ticket office.

If you come by car, the parking has a cost of 7€/day. Exhibitors and sponsors would park for free.

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Then you have to read and agree/disagree on the treatment of your data.

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Registrazione avvenuta con successo

Grazie **Marco** per esserti registrato all'evento "RemTech Expo 2024", puoi già ora ottenere il biglietto da questa pagina cliccando l'apposito pulsante oppure scaricarlo dalla mail che ti abbiamo inviato all'indirizzo indicato (controlla anche nella cartella spam).

Thank you **Marco** for registering for the "RemTech Expo 2024" event, you can already get the ticket from this page by clicking the appropriate button or download it from the email we sent you to the address indicated (also check your spam folder).

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COME ARRIVARE HOW TO GET HERE



AEREO - AIRPLANE

L'aeroporto Guglielmo Marconi di Bologna dista 45 Km dal Quartiere fieristico di Ferrara. Chi sbarca al Marconi può usufruire del servizio di bus-navetta "Ferrara Bus&Fly" e arrivare in soli 60 minuti a Ferrara. Il trasferimento da e verso l'aeroporto prevede 8 corse giornaliere. Per maggiori informazioni, visitate il sito www.ferrarabusandfly.it.
The Guglielmo Marconi airport of Bologna is 45 km from the Ferrara exhibition center. Those who disembark at the Marconi can take advantage of the shuttle bus service "Ferrara Bus & Fly" and arrive in Ferrara in just 60 minutes. The transfer to and from the airport includes 8 trips a day. For more information, visit the website www.ferrarabusandfly.it.



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This ticket is strictly personal and non-transferable and must be kept for the entire duration of the event. The staff at the entrance will be able to carry out random checks by verifying an identity document.

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NOTE

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ORGANIZE YOUR TRIP TO FERRARA (GMaps

<https://goo.gl/maps/nKBmiF9FqVUzYToe9>)

From Bologna Airport (BLQ)

Bologna's Guglielmo Marconi Airport is 45 km from the Ferrara Exhibition Centre.

'Ferrara Bus&Fly' shuttle bus service and arrive in Ferrara in just 60 minutes. The transfer to and from the airport includes 8 trips per day. For more information, visit <http://www.ferrarabusandfly.it/en/> or call +39 333 2005157. Cost is 17€ online, 20€ on board

Taxi is the fastest way as it takes 30 minutes and costs around 80-100 € (<http://www.taxiferrara.it/>, tel. +39 0532 900900)

Train takes from 35 to 50 minutes and is the cheapest way, the cost of regional train from Bologna to Ferrara is 5,20 € with more than 30 runs per day (<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>). To go from the Bologna Airport to the Bologna train station it takes around 25 minutes with the city bus BLQ with a cost of 6,00 €



From Venice Airport (VCE)

Train takes around 1h15 and is the cheapest way, the cost of train from Venezia Mestre to Ferrara is from 9,00 to 23,90 € depending on train type and service. There are more than 30 runs per day (<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>). To go from the Venice Airport to the Venezia Mestre train station it takes around 20 minutes with the ATVO Airport Express Bus or Line 15 with a cost of 9,00 €.

From Milan Malpensa Airport (FCO)

Train takes around 2h20 and is the cheapest way, the cost of train from Milano Centrale to Ferrara is from 25,00 to 50,00 € depending on train type and service. There are more than 20 runs per day (<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>). To go from the Milan Malpensa Airport to the Milano Centrale train station it takes around 50 minutes with the Malpensa Express Train with a cost of 13,00 € (<https://www.malpensaexpress.it/en/>).

From Rome Fiumicino Airport (FCO)

Train takes around 2h50 and is the cheapest way, the cost of train from Roma Termini to Ferrara is from 50,00 to 75,00 € depending on train type and service. There are more than 20 runs per day (<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>). To go from the Rome Fiumicino Airport to the Roma Termini train station it takes around 45 minutes with the Terravision Bus with a cost of 6,00 € (https://www.terravision.eu/airport-transfer/bus-fiumicino-airport-rome/?noredirect=en_US).

From Bergamo Orio al Serio Airport (BGY)

Train takes around 3h20 and is the cheapest way, the cost of train from Bergamo to Ferrara is from 28,00 to 60,00 € depending on train type and service. There are more than 20 runs per day (<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>). To go from the Bergamo Orio al Serio Airport to the Bergamo train station it takes around 15 minutes with the Airport Bus with a cost of 2,60 € (<https://www.atb.bergamo.it/en>).

From Munchen Airport (MUC)

Train takes around 7h and is the cheapest way, the cost of train from Munchen HBF to Ferrara is from 45,00 to 60,00 € depending on train type and service. There are 3 runs per day (<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>). To go from the Munchen Airport to the Munchen HBF train station it takes around 40 minutes with different means of transport and with a cost of 11-15 € (<https://www.munich-airport.com/public-transport-260822>).

Where to sleep? Suggested accommodation

PRICES ARE INDICATIVE AND CAN BE SUBJECT TO CHANGES



HOTEL	SINGOLA	DUS	DOPPIA	TRIPLA	CONTATTI
	<i>SINGLE</i>	<i>DOUBLE SINGLE USE</i>	<i>DOUBLE</i>	<i>TRIPLE</i>	
HOTEL DE PRATI	€ 86,00	€ 120,00	€ 130,00		info@hoteldeprati.com +39 0532 241905
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	€ 129,00	€ 149,00	€ 169,00	HOTEL CLASSIC	
		€ 169,00	€. 189,00	HOTEL DELUXE	
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How to arrive from downtown Ferrara to the conference venue

FREE REMTECH COUCH

The most convenient way is the couch of Remtech, that will leave from the city centre, pass to the train station than it will arrive to the venue. Frequency is every 50 minutes starting from 8:10 and it is free. The bus stop named **"Stazione Ferroviaria"** is located at the exit of the railway station, on the left side, next to the bike parking (<https://goo.gl/maps/Bkzi57UHhduQ63Vy5>).

The bus stop named **"Castello Estense"** is in the city centre in Viale Cavour, in front of the Hotel Touring, behind the public gardens (<https://goo.gl/maps/M4AKxc9kYbqXpXrZA>).

You can easily recognize the shuttle by the RemTech logo.

The timetable could change according to the traffic, best choice is to take the first run.

Castello Estense Hotel Touring	Stazione Ferroviaria Railway Station	Quartiere Fieristico Exhibition center
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9.00	9.10	9.25
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18.20	18.30	18.45
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19.55	20.05	-



BUS n.11

Bus n.11 from the Train Station **"Stazione FS"** (<https://goo.gl/maps/W3cvZhctmL6CCgfT8>) or from the Estense Castle **"Cavour Giardini"** stop (<https://goo.gl/maps/YasF8mKbm3das3DG8>) in the direction **"Chiesuol del Fosso"**. The nearest stop to Ferrara Fiere is **"Centro Congressi"** (<https://goo.gl/maps/NzsNWCPR4Fgvax6P7>) cost is **1,50 €**. Runs from the central station (from Cavour Giardini add 5 minutes) 05:17 06:15 06:30 06:54 07:09 07:24 07:47 08:12 08:37 08:57 09:17 09:37 09:57 10:17 10:37 10:57 11:17 11:37 11:57 12:17 12:37 12:57 13:17 13:37 13:57 14:17 14:37 14:57 15:17 15:37 15:57 16:17 16:37 16:57 17:17 17:37 17:57 18:17 18:37 18:57 19:17 19:37 19:57 20:17 20:31 20:49. Timetable could change (<https://www.tper.it/fe-11>),.

TAXI

Fastest way from downtown to the venue is the taxi, the cost is around **12,00-15,00 €** and the time is around 10 minutes according to the traffic (<http://www.taxiferrara.it/>, tel. +39 0532 900900)



WALKING

Walking is the most environmental sustainable way to reach the venue. It is 4 km from the City Centre, it takes around 50 min, but it is not suggested in hot hours and when you have luggage with you.

NOT ONLY REMTECH EUROPE – ENJOY FERRARA AND ENJOY ITALY- ACTIVITIES & IDEAS

CYCLETOURISM

Ferrara is the 'Italian city of bicycles'. Flat and surrounded by the water of the river Po and its tributaries, the entire Province of Ferrara is a richly evocative landscape in which land and water are the protagonists. From Cento to Comacchio, from the hinterland to the sea, there are hundreds of kilometres marked by a formidable network of cycling routes that wind between the city and the countryside, between protected oases and villages on the plains. There are simple and evocative routes such as the one along the banks of the Po River with restaurants along the way. The daily bicycle rental is 8 €. [LINK FOR MORE INFO](#)



FERRARA CITY CENTRE IS UNESCO WORLD CULTURAL HERITAGE

Ferrara's historic centre was awarded from UNESCO the prestigious title of 'Renaissance City' in 1995 as an '*admirable example of a city designed in the Renaissance, which preserves its historic centre intact and expresses urban planning canons that have had a profound influence on the development of town planning in the following centuries*'. Some truly characteristic streets such as Via delle Volte, as well as the main square (today Piazza Trento e Trieste), beside which stands the Romanesque-Gothic Cathedral (1135). An extraordinary period began in the 12th century when the Este family settled in Ferrara, with the construction of the Castello Estense (1385), Palazzo Schifanoia (1385) and Palazzo dei Diamanti (1492). <https://whc.unesco.org/en/list/733> Guided tour costs 12€/person, [LINK FOR MORE INFO](#)



THE HEART OF PO DELTA PARK ON HORSEBACK

The Delta breed horses, present at the Spiaggia Romea stud farm and of Camargue derivation, are ideal for peaceful walks immersed in the nature of the Po delta, thanks to their meek and docile temperament. Accompanied by a specialized guide, you can go horseback riding in an environment of extraordinary charm. Cost is 24€ [INFO LINK](#)



THE COMACCHIO'S LAGOONS BY BOAT

Boat trips along the inner waterways of the mirror lagoon, a unique environment and spectacular home to flamingos. The guided tour includes a visit to the fishing stations. Cost is 14€. [INFO LINK](#)



RELAX IN THE BEACHES IN “LIDI FERRARESI”

26 km of coast with beaches of white and thin sand, the seven Lidi Ferraresi are an ideal destination for a vacation at the sea with children, for the lover of open air activities and to relax. On its 26 km of coast 7 lidos follow one another: Volano, Nazioni, Pomposa, Scacchi, Porto Garibaldi, Estensi and Spina. All of them are characterized by safe beaches and equipped for families, with golden sand and a sea which reverses gently. [INFO LINK](#)



VISIT BOLOGNA, VENICE, PADUA, FLORENCE, PISA, ROME

All these destinations are easily reachable by train from Ferrara (<https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html>)



Bologna 35 min



Venice 1h15min



Padua 40 min



Florence 1h40min



Pisa 2h30min



Rome 2h50min



SESSION 1

Soil Pollution: policies and data

MONDAY 15 SEPTEMBER

09:00 – 13:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

09:00 Inauguration of Remtech Europe 2025

Marco Falconi (Remtech Europe), Greet Maenhout (Deputy Director of the Sustainable Resources Directorate, European Commission, JRC, tbc), Silvia Paparella (Remtech Expo)

09:20 Introduction from the Chairs

Piotr Wojda (European Commission, DG JRC D1) Marco Falconi (Remtech Europe)

09:30 Session 1 “Policy evidence on Soil Pollution”

9:30-9:50 Remediation and soil pollution in the Soil Monitoring Law

Bavo Peeters (European Commission, DG ENV D1)

9:50-10:10 Zero Pollution Monitoring and Outlook Report 2025

Eylem Dogan Subasi, Karin Aschberger (European Environment Agency and European Commission Joint Research Centre)

10:10-10:30 The Mission Soil: Soil Pollution Cluster

Jelena Vidovic (European Commission DG AGRI F2)

10:30-10:50 Soil Pollution at Global Scale

Natalia Rodríguez Eugenio (FAO)

10:50 Panel discussion, stakeholders questions and wrap up, Piotr Wojda (EC DG JRC D1)

11:10 Coffee break

11:30 Session 2 “Prioritization & standardization needs: point and diffuse soil pollution”

11:30-11:45 Development of a list of substances to tackle Soil Pollution in the EU,

Diana Vieira (European Commission DG JRC D1)

11:45-12:00 Point sources soil pollution in the Western Balkans

Dragana Vidojevic (Environmental Protection Agency, Republic of Serbia)

12:00-12:15 From PFAS Monitoring to identification of vulnerable zones

Joel Fabregat-Palau (University of Tübingen).

12:15-12:30 Prioritization of Emerging Contaminants

Amélie Cavelan, Aline Coftier (ISLANDR, BRGM - Service Géologique National)

12:30-12:45 Standardisation on Soil Pollution and Remediation

Frank Lamé. (Program manager Deltares. Chairman of CEN/TC 444)

12:45 Panel discussion, stakeholders questions and wrap up, Diana Vieira, Felipe Yunta, Arwyn Jones, Piotr Wojda (EC JRC D1)

13:00 End of the session

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SESSION 2

Soil-Matters - Sustainable Materials Reuse

MONDAY 15 SEPTEMBER

09:15 – 11:15 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

09:15 Introduction from the Chairs

Nicola Harries (CL:AIRE) Marco Falconi (Remtech Europe)

09:25 The key components of materials management for construction, demolition and excavation (CDE) sustainable materials re-use, working from the ground up and starting at project design stage (Jonathan Atkinson CL:AIRE)

11:00 Panel discussion, stakeholders questions and wrap up, *Nicola Harries (CL:AIRE)*

11:15 *End of the Training*

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The soil beneath our feet matters and our use of it is critical to enabling sustainable economic growth, while managing the parallel crisis of nature depletion, flood risk, and water resources. Good practice soils management can enable sustainable development and help meet all of these challenges, while managing materials sustainably and avoiding disposal of valuable resources to landfill.



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SESSION 3

Nachhaltigkeit bei der Altlastensanierung

MONTAG, 15. SEPTEMBER 2025

11:00 - 13:00 MESZ (Mitteleuropäische Sommerzeit)

ONLINE

Opening

11:00 Präsentation der ITVA-Aktivitäten, Willkommen bei Remtech Europe, Einführung durch die Vorsitzenden

Harald Burmeier (Erster Vorsitzender des ITVA), Marco Falconi (Remtech Europe), Stephan Hüttmann (Vorsitzender der Sitzung)

11:15 Nachhaltigkeit aus Sicht eines Ingenieurbüros in der Altlastenbearbeitung

Hartmut Schmid, CDM Smith – pending

11:30 Berücksichtigung von Nachhaltigkeitsaspekten aus Sicht der Umweltbehörde

Alexander Scheffler (LUBW)

11:45 Nachhaltige Altlastensanierung aus Sicht eines Sanierungsunternehmens

Stephan Hüttmann (Sensatec)

12:00 Nachhaltigkeit in der Sanierungspraxis aus Sicht der Deutschen Bahn

Klaus Thein (DB AG) pending

12:15 SuRF-Germany – erste Ergebnisse und Aufgaben für die Zukunft

Christian Poggendorf (BIG)

12:30 Bewertung von Nachhaltigkeitsaspekten in der Altlastensanierung

Katharina Book (Ramboll)

12:45 Fragen und Antworten und abschließende Diskussionsrunde

Harald Burmeier (ITVA chair), Stephan Hüttmann (chair of the session)

13:00 Ende der Sitzung

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SESSION 4

In Situ Adsorption and Destruction Technologies for sustainable and effective In Situ Contaminated Sites Remediation

MONDAY 15 SEPTEMBER

12:45 – 14:15 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

This talk will explore advanced in situ remediation technologies that leverage adsorption and contaminant destruction mechanisms to treat groundwater and soil contamination.

These technologies are particularly suited for scenarios requiring rapid risk reduction, minimal site disturbance, and long-term passive remediation. The talk will address the key site-specific conditions that influence successful application—including hydrogeochemical parameters, contaminant type, and concentration levels. Typical use cases include deployment as reactive barriers, polishing treatments to meet regulatory targets, treatment at sites with low contaminant mass, or in complex settings with commingled plumes also at high contamination levels. Limitations and boundary conditions for effective use will also be discussed, ensuring a realistic and technically grounded perspective on applicability.

A focus will be placed on the application of colloidal formulations engineered for subsurface delivery, including colloidal activated carbon (RemSorb™), Colloidal Activated Carbons with embedded zero-valent iron (ZVI) clusters (RemSorb™+), iron oxides colloidal suspensions (RemLock™), and iron zeolites for combined adsorption and Fenton like CHP) oxidation (RemZeo™). These technologies are designed to address a wide range of organic and inorganic contaminants by combining physical adsorption, chemical reduction, and catalytic degradation processes.

Colloidal activated carbon provides immediate contaminant mass removal through high-surface-area adsorption and serves as a long-term sequestration matrix, minimizing contaminant mobility and exposure. When combined with embedded ZVI, the formulation not only adsorbs contaminants but also chemically reduces compounds such as chlorinated solvents and nitroaromatics. Iron Zeolites can adsorb organic contaminants and a second injection of Hydrogen Peroxide can effectively and safely oxidizes adsorbed organics. Iron oxides colloids can adsorb heavy metals or metalloids with an effect similar to the carbons.

An essential component of successful implementation is the accurate delineation of contamination and subsurface conditions. Advanced Membrane Interface Probe (MIP) investigations, such as those conducted by FUGRO, provide high-resolution vertical and horizontal profiles of volatile organic compounds (VOCs), conductivity, and permeability. This real-time data enables precise identification of contaminant mass distribution, supporting the design of targeted injection strategies, optimized treatment volumes, and accurate dosage calculations for the colloidal amendments. By integrating MIP data into remedial design, treatment efficiency is maximized, and unnecessary material use is minimized.

The presentation will also detail application techniques—such as direct-push injection and hydraulic fracturing—and performance monitoring. Practical case studies will illustrate how these technologies are implemented cost-effectively, with minimal site disruption, to achieve sustainable, long-lasting remediation outcomes.

Speakers: Ing. Lorenzo Sacchetti (PE) EMEA Director Carus Europe, Dr. Eugen Martac (PE): Operation manager Fugro, Dr. Sarah Suehnholz: Scientist Intrapore

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SESSION 5

In situ thermal remediation

MONDAY 15 SEPTEMBER

14:30 – 17:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

14:30 Introduction from the Chairs

Damarys Acevedo-Acevedo (USACE), Marco Falconi (Remtech Europe)

14:45 In situ Thermal remediation

Aaron Petri, Nathan Peterson (US Army Corps of Engineers)

16:15 Panel discussion

Damarys Acevedo-Acevedo (USACE)

16:30 Coffee break

16:45 In situ Thermal remediation

Aaron Petri, Nathan Peterson (US Army Corps of Engineers)

17:15 Panel discussion

Damarys Acevedo-Acevedo (USACE)

17:30 End of the session

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SESSION 6

Sustainable Solutions for Soil Pollution: Legal, Scientific, and Nature-Based Approaches

ONLINE

MONDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2025

14:15 – 16:15 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

14:15 Introduction from the Chairs

Frederic Coulon (Cranfield University, Nicole Academy), Cecile Nouet (University of Liege, Nicole Academy)

14:20 Legal liabilities regarding soil pollution and/or soil remediation

Carlos de Miguel Perales (Comillas Universidad Pontifica, Spain)

14:35 Omics sciences for biobased strategies in soil decontamination from mixed pollution: the Soilomic technology for heavy metals and total petroleum hydrocarbons

Dr. Devaki Destri (Bd biodigressioni, Italia)

14:50 Omics sciences for biobased strategies in soil decontamination from mixed pollution: the Soilomic technology for heavy metals and total petroleum hydrocarbons

José Carlos Castilla Alcántara (Universidad de Burgos, Spain)

15:05 Reconstructing genome-scale models to reveal microbial biodegradation potential

Akanksha Mishra (IDENER, Spain)

15:20 Using nature-based solutions to decrease investments in eternal remediation set-ups

Tom Bosma (Deltares, Netherland)

15:35 Panel discussion, stakeholders' questions and wrap up

Frederic Coulon and Cecile Nouet

16:15 End of webinar

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SESSION 7

ITRC: Pump & Treat Optimization Training

MONDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2025

17.00 – 19.00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

17:00 Welcome from Interstate Technology Regulatory Council (ITRC) and Remtech Europe
*Charles Reyes (ITRC), Paula Panzino (Arizona Department of Environmental Quality/ITRC),
Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)*

Presentations

17:05 ITRC: Pump & Treat Optimization Training
*Michael Sexton, P.E. (Virginia Department of Environmental Quality); Dr. Lucas Hellerich
(Woodard & Curran); Patricia (Pat) Locklin (Maine Department of Environmental Protection);
Dave Becker (Emeritus, USACE Retired); Trevor King (Woodard & Curran)*

18:50 Questions and Answers
Charles Reyes (ITRC), Paula Panzino (ITRC), Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

19:00 End of the training

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE TRAINING

ITRC's Pump & Treat (P&T) Optimization training aims to summarize existing information and best practices while also developing a systemic and adaptive optimization framework specifically for P&T well-network design and management. Pump & Treat optimization should be systematic and data-based, and the training and [ITRC Pump & Treat guidance document](#) aim to provide tools and direction to assist in this rigorous process.

P&T systems have been one of the most used methods for hydraulic containment and treatment of contaminated groundwater at sites with large groundwater plumes. This method cleans up groundwater contaminated with dissolved chemicals by pumping groundwater from wells to an above-ground treatment system that removes the contaminants. Optimization of P&T remedies is important for maintaining contaminant removal effectiveness throughout the operation lifetime and managing the system toward an exit strategy. A strategy for routine optimization of P&T remedies is key for maintaining the contaminant removal efficiency of these systems.

Key Takeaways

- Understanding the P&T project lifecycle: evaluation, optimization, and transition, as well as considerations for sustainability, resiliency, and regulatory and stakeholder entities.
- P&T optimization should incorporate adaptive site management.
- P&T systems are influenced by a diverse collection of outside factors, which should be considered throughout the entire optimization process.
- Transition and termination should both be considered during the optimization process.
- Remedial objectives dictate evaluation and optimization efforts for P&T systems.

SESSION 8

Soluciones sostenibles para la descontaminación y restauración de suelos y aguas subterráneas

LUNES 15 DE SEPTIEMBRE DE 2025

19:00 - 21:00 CEST (hora de verano centroeuropea)

ONLINE

Apertura

19:00 Bienvenida de los moderadores

Carme Bosch (Eurecat), Jofre Herrero-Ferran (Universitat de Barcelona), Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

Presentaciones

19:10 LIFE MySOIL: Un paso más en biorremediación: micorremediación para la recuperación de suelos

Jofre Herrero (Eurecat, actualmente en IdRA, Universitat de Barcelona)

19:25 REMesilient: Mitigación de los eventos meteorológicos extremos durante la remediación de acuíferos contaminados por compuestos persistentes y emergentes

Diana Puigserver (IdRA, Universitat de Barcelona)

19:40 Interacción Suelo-Planta-Microorganismos: Un Enfoque Sinérgico para la Remediación de Contaminantes

Rocío Barros (ICCRAM, Universidad de Burgos)

19:55 Biorremediación para el saneamiento de suelos crónicamente contaminados con hidrocarburos: Un caso de estudio basado en biodegradación microbiana en Chile

Roberto Orellana (UPLA, Universidad de Playa Ancha, Chile)

20:10 Micorremediación de contaminantes emergentes: antibióticos y PFAS en suelos y aguas

Begoña Mayans (UAM, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid)

20:25 Fitorremediación de pasivos ambientales mineros utilizando enmiendas y especies nativas de zona áridas, San Juan, Argentina

Gonzalo Roqueiro, Belén Heredia (INTA, Instituto Nacional de Tecnologías Agropecuarias, Argentina)

20:40 Discusión and Q&A

Carme Bosch, (Eurecat)

21:00 Fin de la sesión

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SESSION 9

PFAS Introductory Training

MONDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2025
20.00 – 22.00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

20:00 Welcome from Interstate Technology Regulatory Council (ITRC) and Remtech Europe
Charles Reyes (ITRC) and Nicole Henderson (ITRC); Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

Presentations

20:10 ITRC PFAS Introductory Training
Robert Burgess (Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation); Kristi Herzer (Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation); Mitch Olson (Colorado State); Andrew Safulko (Brown & Caldwell); Shalene Thomas (Battelle)

21:50 Questions and Answers
Charles Reyes (ITRC), Nicole Henderson (ITRC), Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

22:00 End of the training

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE TRAINING

The [ITRC Technical Resources for Addressing Environmental Releases of Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances \(PFAS\)](#) was updated in September 2023, with additional content under development for publishing December 2025. Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) are a large and complex class of anthropogenic compounds whose prevalence in the environment are an emerging, worldwide priority in environmental and human health. The ITRC PFAS Team, formed in 2017, has prepared readily accessible materials to present PFAS information to stakeholders, regulators, and policy makers. The PFAS team represents a diverse cross-section of expertise and experience working on PFAS.

This training will include emerging science on PFAS, including topics such as Properties of PFAS, Fate and Transport, Sampling and Analysis, and Treatment Technologies. The technical presentations will be focused on those who are relatively new to PFAS:

- Sources, Physical, and Chemical Properties of PFAS
- AFFF
- Fate & Transport, Site Characterization
- Sampling & Analysis
- Treatment Technologies.

SESSION 10

Site Assessment for Vapour Intrusion - Available Options and Best Practice

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2025

09:00 – 11:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

09:00 Welcome from ALGA and Remtech Europe

Matthew Potter (ALGA), Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

Presentations

09:10 Introduction to Vapour sampling methods on Contaminated Sites

- Background, concepts
- Conceptual site models
- Terminology

Dane Egelton, (CSI Australia, ALGA)

09:40 Active and Passive Soil Vapour Methods

- USEPA TO-15 (summa canisters)
- USEPA TO-17 (thermal desorption tubes)
- Waterloo membrane sampler

Dane Egelton (CSI Australia, ALGA)

10:30 Onsite Analysis using Gas Chromatography

- Discrete Sampling
- Continuous monitoring for VOCs and weather parameters

Dane Egelton, (CSI Australia, ALGA)

10:50 Questions and Answers

Matthew Potter (ALGA), Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

11:00 End of the training

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SESSION 11

Management of contaminated sites in Africa

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2025

09:00 – 11:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

09:00 Welcome, introduction to the panel members, Chair: *Dr Heidi Snyman (Network of Industrially Contaminated Land in Africa)*

Presentations

09:10 Keynote address: Environmentally sound management of hazardous and other waste through Regional Centres of the Basel and Stockholm Conventions
Ms Bianca Dlamini (Executive Director: Africa Institute)

09:25 A regulator's perspective on the environmental and societal burden of neglecting the management of contaminated land – A viewpoint from South Africa
Dr Mpho Tshitangoni (Department of Forestry, Fisheries and Environment; South Africa)

09:40 Management of contaminated land and water amongst other competing priorities – a perspective from the African Ministerial Conference on the Environment (AMCEN)
Dr Meseret Teklemariam Zemedkun (AMCEN Secretariat, Africa Regional Office of UNEP)

09:55 Local solutions to manage the impact of mining activities in the Central African Copperbelt
Dr Lameck Banda (PhD, PhD); Copperbelt University School of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Zambia

10:10 Social and economic impacts of contaminated land and water in Uganda
Mr David Kikaawa, National Environment Management Authority (NEMA), Uganda

10:25 Short reflection: Regulation and management of contaminated sites in Madagascar
Dina Haingonirina Rakotoarisoa, Cadre d'Appui Technique auprès du Secrétariat Général, Point Focal National GFC/SPP, Ministère de l'Environnement et du Développement Durable – Madagascar

10:30 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

11:00 End of the session

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SESSION 12

Soil Passports for Demonstrating Circular Economy in Soil Reuse

ONLINE

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2025

11:30 – 13:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Opening

11:30 Introduction from the Chairs

Nicola Harries (CL:AIRE) Marco Falconi (Remtech Europe)

11:40 Sustainable soils management using a quality assured system of checks and balances to enable re-use of construction, demolition and excavation (CDE) materials beneficially under a by products approach to soils management on sites and between sites. (Jonathan Atkinson/Richard Croft CL:AIRE)

13:20 Panel discussion, stakeholders questions and wrap up, *Nicola Harries (CL:AIRE)*

13:30 *End of the Training*

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Sustainable soils management under the Soil Passport Scheme enables implementation of a risk based circular economy strategy for CDE materials. The scheme comprises a robust decision-making framework with inbuilt independent checks and balances. Land owners, practitioners, and regulators will find it a tried and tested means of demonstrating lines of evidence for the re-use of materials arising from construction activities aligned with commonly accepted sustainable remediation management processes (i.e. SURF-UK Framework) whilst remaining compliant with the main aims and objectives of the European Waste Framework Directive.

SESSION 13

Agroécologie et santé des sols

MARDI 16 SEPTEMBRE 2025

11:45 – 13:45 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Ouverture

11:45 Bienvenue du RNEST

Laurent Thannberger (Valgo, RNEST), Jerome Cortet (Université Paul-Valéry Montpellier 3)

Présentations

11:50 Pratiques agricoles durables pour améliorer la santé du sol rhizosphérique de *Helichrysum italicum* en conditions semi-arides

Fatima-Zahraa El Balghiti (Université de Marakech, Maroc)

12:05 Effets à court terme de différents types et doses de fertilisation organique sur les communautés de la faune du sol et la productivité des cultures : étude de cas dans des agrosystèmes maraîchers à base de tomate à Madagascar

Sariaka Raharijaona (IRD, Antananarivo, Madagascar)

12:20 Échantillonnage intensif à l'échelle d'un territoire pour mettre en évidence les effets de l'occupation du sol et des pratiques agricoles sur les carabidés et les collemboles

Lucas Etienne (Université de Montpellier, CEFE, France)

12:35 Effets des pratiques alternatives sur les communautés de la faune du sol en contexte viticole méditerranéen : une approche multi-taxons

Clara Zimmermann (Université de Montpellier Paul-Valéry, CEFE, France)

12:50 Rôle des PGPR sur l'anatomie racinaire en lien avec la nutrition du riz

Miora Rakotoarivelo, Fabrice Varoquaux, Patrice Autfray, Sergi Navarro, Romain Fernandez, Julien Frouin And Christophe Perin

13:05 Nématodes – protection des cultures – santé du sol

Speaker to be confirmed

13:20 Débat d'experts

Laurent Thannberger (Valgo, RNEST), Jerome Cortet (Université Paul-Valéry Montpellier 3)

13:45 Fin de la formation

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SESSION 14

E3460-24 – Standard Guide for Climate and Community Mapping

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER
14:30 – 15:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

14:30 Welcome from ASTM International and Remtech Europe
Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

Presentations

14:35 E3460-24 – Standard Guide for Climate and Community Mapping
Cynthia Annett (Kansas State University), Barbara Maco (Wick Environmental Law), Jonathan Van Dusen (ESRI)

15:20 Questions and Answers
Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

15:30 End of the training

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SESSION 15

E3488-25 – Standard Guide for Moving Sites to Closure (MStC) for Petroleum Underground Storage Tank (UST) Releases

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER

15:30 – 16:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

15:30 Welcome from ASTM International and Remtech Europe

Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

Presentations

15:35 E3488-25 – Standard Guide for Moving Sites to Closure (MStC) for Petroleum Underground Storage Tank (UST) Releases

Thomas Schruben (US EPA), Curt Stanley

16:25 Questions and Answers

Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

16:30 End of the training

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SESSION 16

E3358-23a – Standard Guide for Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Site Screening and Initial Characterization

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER

16:30 – 17:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

16:30 Welcome from ASTM International and Remtech Europe

Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International), Molly Lynyak (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

Presentations

16:35 E3358-23a – Standard Guide for Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances Site Screening and Initial Characterization

Sriram Madabhushi (AECOM)

16:25 Questions and Answers

Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

16:30 End of the training

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SESSION 17

Responding to Industry Needs in Standards for Microparticles and Microplastics

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER

17:30 – 18:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

17:30 Welcome from ASTM International and Remtech Europe

Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

Presentations

17:35 Responding to Industry Needs in Standards for Microparticles and Microplastics

Robert Thompson (RThompson Services), Joana Sipe (Arizona State University), William Lipps (Shimadzu), Sriram Madabhushi (AECOM)

18:20 Questions and Answers

Stephanie Fiorenza (ASTM International) Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

18:30 End of the training

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SESSION 18

Safe and efficient reuse of wastewater

TUESDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2025

17:15 – 19:15 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

17:15 Introduction from the Chairs

Frank Swartjes (RIVM), Claudio Sorrentino (DTSC)

17:20 Mitigating risks and maximizing sustainability of treated wastewater reuse for irrigation in Israel

Eddie Cytryn (Volcani Institute, Rishon Lezion, Israel)

17:35 Smart wastewater reuse strategies: A Portuguese case study on irrigation

Tiago Martins (KU Leuven, Belgium / NOVA University of Lisbon, Portugal)

17:50 Comprehensive groundwater management using recycled water in California, USA

Jayne Joy (Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board, California, USA)

18:05 Urban wastewater treatment and reuse in Europe: new regulations and challenges

Luigi Rizzo (University of Salerno)

18:20 Impact assessment of wastewater use for irrigation in parts of Musi river basin, South India

Surinaidu Lagudu (National Institute of Hydrology, Roorkee, India)

18:35 Panel discussion, stakeholders questions and wrap up

Frank Swartjes (RIVM), Claudio Sorrentino (DTSC), Paula Panzino (AZDEQ, ITRC)

19:15 End of the Training

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Mining Legacies: Assessment, Risk, and Recovery

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

09:15 – 11:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

09:15 Welcome from the Chairs: Jussi Reinikainen (SYKE), Dominique Guyonnet (BRGM), Aleksandra Silijc-Tomic (UNEP)

Presentations

09:20 KAJAK – State funded investigation, remediation and development projects on closed and abandoned mining waste facilities in Finland
Nina Lehtosalo (Ministry of the Environment of Finland, FI), Antti Knuuti (Deep Scan Tech, FI)

09:35 Vermitechnology: A nature-based solution for sustainable remediation and recycling of coal mine waste into nutrient-rich organic amendments
Sumit Kumar, Pradip Bhattacharyya (Indian Statistical Institute), Pankaj Kumar Roy (Jadavpur University, IN)

09:50 Problems and solutions for investigating and remediating off-site contamination from mining and smelting sites
Graeme Miller (Senversa), Ed Burton (Southern Cross University, AU)

10:05 Leveraging Microbial DNA Analysis for Mine Management and Remediation
Dora Taggart, Sam Rosolina (Microbial Insights, US), Claudio Sandrone (BAW, IT)

10:20 The legacy of mining in the Iberian Pyrite Belt: effects on environmental quality in the Chança Reservoir
Ana Barroso, Teresa Valente, Isabel Margarida H. R. Antunes, Renato Henriques (University of Minho, PT), Amélia Paula Marinho Reis (University of Aveiro, PT)

10:35 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

11:00 End of the session

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SESSION 20**PFAS Under the Lens: Science, Solutions and Society –
H2020-SCENARIOS****WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER****09:00 – 17:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)****Blue Room
1° floor****Opening****09:00** Institutional salutation**09:15 Session 1 – Detection, Modelling and environmental behaviour of PFAS**

1. Multiscale site characterisation of a PFAS contaminated Site at Korsør Denmark – K.E. Klint
2. PFAS Transport Dynamics in the Unsaturated Zone – S. Kolade
3. Numerical modelling of PFAS fate in Korsør site – C. Tsakiroglou
4. Monitoring PFAS Migration Trends in Municipal Landfills – S. Kolade
5. Empowering water safety with a sensitive and optimized online SPE-UHPLC-HRMS method for broad spectrum PFAS monitoring – A. Fabbris
6. Ion-pair assisted SERS method for ultra-sensitive detection of PFAS in aqueous media – Z.G. Lada
7. Elastin-Like Peptides-Modified Electrochemical Sensor for PFSA – H. Ben-Yaov
8. Integrated QSAR Framework for Predicting PFAS Albumin Binding and Half-life in Humans – V. Minadakis

11:00 Coffee Break**11:15 Session 2 – Removal and destruction of PFAS, from technologies to case studies**

9. Active Foam Fractionation (SAFF®) for Regulatory-Grade PFAS Removal: Insights from the SCENARIOS Italian Demonstration – F. Dondero
10. First Application of SAFF® for PFAS Abatement in Drinking Water: Complete Removal of PFBS and Compliance with EU 2020/2184 – F. Dondero
11. Energy Efficient Destruction of PFAS in Water by Cold Atmospheric Plasma – K. Papalexopoulou
12. A Comparative Study of PFCA Decomposition by Photocatalysis, Ozonation, and Sonolysis – C. Tsakiroglou
13. Destruction of Concentrated PFAS in Groundwater Using Cold Plasma – C.A. Aggelopoulos
14. Biochar-Amended Vermicompost: An Environmentally Sustainable Option – J.C. Sanchez-Hernandez
15. Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) and antimicrobial resistance – C. Leo

13:00 Lunch Break and networking

14:00 Session 3 –Environmental Performance and Societal Impacts

16. Integrated monitoring and toxicological assessment of PFAS in aquatic ecosystems: Human exposure risks in UK and Spanish populations and insights from cellular bioenergetic profiling – I. Lynch
17. Assessment of PFAS Exposure in the Alessandria Area: Rationale and Implementation of Two Pilot Studies within the SCENARIOS Project – I. Megna
18. Soil enzymology for assessing PFAS bioavailability – J.C. Sanchez-Hernandez
19. Societal dimensions of PFAS remediation – M. Mirea Candea
20. Environmental Assessment of PFAS Treatment Technologies – M. de Giovanni
21. Designing a Decision Support System for PFAS Remediation and Management – M. de Giovanni
22. Cost-Benefit Analysis of SCENARIOS PFAS Technologies – J. Klenner

15:30 Coffee Break**15:45 SCENARIOS Governing Board meeting****16:15 Round table: Governance and Policy Uptake****17:00 End of the session**

This final session brings together representatives from European institutions, regulatory bodies, industry, and civil society to discuss how the SCENARIOS project and related initiatives can support policy development, regulatory transitions, and multi-level governance in the context of PFAS and persistent pollutants.

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SESSION 22

Solutions for POPs and Pesticides

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

09:15 – 11:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

09:15 Welcome from the Chairs: Dietmar Müller-Grabherr (Umweltbundesamt), Frank Swartjes (RIVM), Matea Grabovac (UNEP)

Presentations

09:20 Effect of selected hydrochars addition on alachlor mobility in a column packed with Danube geosorbent

Irina Jevrosimov, Marijana Kragulj Isakovski, Srđan Rončević, Jelena Beljin, Snežana Maletić (University of Novi Sad, RS)

09:35 Effects of thermal treatment on soil organic matter and bioaccessability of residual PAHs in soils from a coking factory in China

Jing Song, Haibo Yu, Wei Tang, Jingchun Yan, Yongming Luo (Chinese Academy of Sciences) Lu Feng, Xin Hong (Anhui University, CN)

09:50 Analysis of bifenthrin insecticide in surface and groundwater from the Niayes agricultural area of Senegal by classical fluorescence and automatic fluorescence monitoring

Diène Diégane Thiaré, Anta Sarr, Néhou Diouf, Coumba Faye, Astou Ndiaye, Atanasse Coly (Université Cheikh Anta Diop, SN), Philippe Giamarchi (Université de Bretagne Occidentale (UBO), FR)

10:05 MIBIREM: A Solution for Europe's Hexachlorocyclohexane Legacy

Giacomo Bernabei, Giampiero De Simone, Simona Di Gregorio (University of Pisa, IT)

10:20 Full scale treatment trial for PFAS contaminated waste water at flows up to 600 m³/h, using PFAS flocculant PerfluorAd

Helena Hinrichsen, Matthew Ingram, Dave Cliftonn (Cornelsen)

10:35 Monitoring Pesticide Contamination in Wastewater: A Strategy for Safe Water Reuse

R.S. Carvalho, J. Brinco, E.P. Mateus, A.B. Ribeiro, N. Couto (NOVA University, PT), P. Guedes (Aarhus University, DK), P. Tyrologou, N. Koukoulzas (CERTH, GR)

10:50 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

11:00 End of the session

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SESSION 23

In Situ Soil Remediation

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

11:30 – 13:10 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

11:30 Welcome from chairs: Piotr Wojda (JRC-EC), Dominique Guyonnet (BRGM), Matea Grabovac (UNEP)

Presentations

- 11:35** Preliminary results of cfd simulation of in situ thermal desorption for hydrocarbon-contaminated soil remediation
Rosario Napoli, Filippo Fazzino, Stefano Mauro, Federico G.A., Vagliasindi, Pietro P. Falciglia (University of Catania, IT)
- 11:50** Fenton's reagents as a versatile driver for in situ chemical oxidation, biological oxidation and boosted soil vapor extraction for BTEX and light TPH compounds
Lionel Counet, Jeroen Vandenbruwane, Steven Van Buggenhout (Injectis, BE)
- 12:05** A mycelium-colonized geotextile to effectively bioaccumulate and biodegrade hydrocarbons
Carmen Mirabelli, Didier Chifflet (Yphen), Patrice Cheval, Samuel Perrissoud (MPGeotex, SAPIENS group)
- 12:20** In-situ immobilization of heavy metals in estuarine pyrite ash deposits through low-pressure alkaline injection
Ibon Lekue, Eduardo Alzola, Nerea Duroudier, Bárbara Angulo, Mari Luz Artíguez, Unai Reyes, José Antonio Capón (AFESA Medio Ambiente, SP)
- 12:35** Applying Electrical Resistance Heating in Highly Occupied Areas
Thiago L Gomes, Jacob Seeman (DOXOR, BR)
- 12:50** Panel discussion moderated by chairs
- 13:10** End of the session

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SESSION 24

Circular Economy Solutions for Environmental
Remediation

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

11:30 – 13:10 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

11:30 Welcome from chairs: Dietmar Müller-Grabherr (Umweltbundesamt), Jussi Reinikainen (SYKE), Elena Stefanoni (UNEP)

Presentations

11:35 INTECH4WATER project for innovative wastewater treatment by integrated technologies: nanostructured materials design

M. Blosi, C. Artusi, A. Costa, (National Research Council, IT), S. Amadori, M. Vespignani (Parma University), S. Pancaldi, C. Baldisserotto, T. Chenet, L. Ferroni (Terra&Acqua Tech Laboratory), M. Melis, A. Senatore P. Giacò (University of Ferrara), B. Esposito (Proambiente), L. Sciubba, R. Guzzinati (ENEA), E. Carfagna (University of Bologna, IT)

11:50 Biochar-modified electrodes: advancing sustainable voltammetric sensing platforms

Nina Đukanović, Tamara Apostolović, Tijana Marjanović Srebro, Jasmina Anojčić, Sanja Mutić, Jelena Beljin (University of Novi Sad, RS)

12:05 RISE: engineering contaminated soils for re-use

Tommy Shearer (Institute of Engineers of Ireland, IE)

12:20 Combined Adsorption and Biodegradation Process for the Remediation of Chlorinated Solvent-Contaminated Groundwater: An Example of Circularity

Naima Blal, Marco Petrangeli Papini (Sapienza University of Rome, IT)

12:35 Remediation by landfill mining of the Slettebakken landfill in Bergen, Norway

Siegfried D'Haene (DEME Environmental)

12:50 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

13:10 End of the session

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SESSION 25

Business opportunities in Ethiopia, Uganda and Ruanda in Urban Regeneration, Natural Risk protection, Energy and Raw Materials

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

13:30 – 14:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1° floor

Opening

13:30 Introduction

- **Introduction & Moderation:** *Claudio Pasqualucci, Director of ITA Addis Abeba Office.*
- **Africa urban boom, shaping a prosperous, sustainable, and inclusive future:** *Mr. Giuseppe Tesoriere, Economic Affairs Officer at United Nations Economic Commission for Africa.*
- **Ethiopia:** *Hon. Fenta Dejen Wud, Ministry of Urban & Infrastructure, State Minister.*
- **Uganda:** *Mr. Sewanyana Silverius, Office of the Prime Minister, Head of Diaspora Affairs in the office of the Prime Minister*
- **Uganda:** *Hon. Tumusiime Maureen Kabanamura, The Kampala City Council Authority, Executive Secretary for Education, Sport, gender and community services.*
- **Rwanda: Natural risk protection(urban regeneration) case study of Kigali city wetland protection."** *Camille Nyamihana, Intime Green Life Company Ltd. and vice chairman of Rwanda Association of Professional Environmental Practitioners.*
- **Case history from Sogesid, Dr. Mario Iannotti:** "A methodological approach as sustainable cooperation model in Africa context"

14:30 End of the session

This session, jointly promoted by the Italian Trade Agency (ICE) and RemTech Expo, is designed to highlight the vast potential for international cooperation and business development in East Africa. Focusing on Ethiopia, Uganda, and Rwanda, it will provide participants with a comprehensive overview of strategic sectors such as urban regeneration, natural risk protection, energy, and raw materials—areas that are rapidly growing and increasingly open to international expertise and investment.

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Brownfield Redevelopment and Urban Regeneration

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

14:15 – 16:45 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1° floor

Opening

14:15 Welcome from the Chairs: Piotr Wojda (JRC-EC), Jussi Reinikainen (SYKE), Robert Jelinek (State Geological Institute of Dionyz Stur)

Presentations

14:20 Lafloras recultivation process after peat extraction
Sabina Alta (LaFlora)

14:35 RETURN, remediation guidelines for sustainable site valorization
Simone Gobber, Luca Piccapietra, Alessandra Russo, Paola Ceoloni (Stantec), Chiara Michelotti, Riccardo Puddu (ENI Rewind)

14:50 Green Industrial Areas
Per Møller (Kalundborg Kommune), Milena Sperber (Ministry of Economy, Infrastructure, Tourism and Labour Mecklenburg-Vorpommern)

15:05 From EHS to ESG: Evolution of Due Diligence Approaches
Mattia Colombo, Alessandro Intile (HPC Italia)

15:20 Cost and Material Estimations for Decommissioning and Repowering Utility-Scale PV Plants
Alberto Pico, Cara Libby, Robin Bedilion, Anand Kumar, Nicolas Marx (EPRI Europe)

15:35 Regenerating Cities, Rethinking Waste: Circular Use of Excavated Soils through On-Site Earth Block Production
Ibon Lekue, Eduardo Alzola, David Pampliega, Nerea Duroudier, Paula Garrido, Mari Luz Artíguez, Unai Reyes, José Antonio Capón (AFESA Medio Ambiente)

15:50 Former bowling terminal remediation project
Hendrik Nollet, Siegfried D'Haene (DEME Environmental)

16:05 Exploring Initial Plume Configurations to Reproduce Anomalous Transport Behavior in a Complex Urban Site. Case of Study: Colombia
Oscar D. Álvarez-Villa, Valentina Ramirez, Sarita Garcés (Emergente Sustainable Energy), Laura Cardenas, Alejandra Romero (Novambientti Soluciones Ambientales, CO)

16:20 The Las Salinas project (Chile), an example of the rehabilitation of a degraded area in the absence of specific applicable regulations
Germán Monge Ganuzas, Juan F. Mujica Alarcón (IDOM Consulting), Ricardo Labarca, Stephanie Rotella (Las Salinas – COPEC Group)

16:35 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

16:45 End of the session

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SESSION 27

Soil Health and Emerging Contaminants

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

14:30 – 16:10 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2nd floor

Opening

14:30 Welcome from the Chairs: Frank Swartjes (RIVM), Dietmar Müller-Grabherr (Umweltbundesamt), Elena Stefanoni (UNEP)

Presentations

14:35 Optimization of Soil Health and Agronomic Performance: Effects of Integrated Tillage Systems and Nutrient Management Strategies on Growth Dynamics and Yield of Lowland Rice
Clea Anne V. Corsiga, Marciano D. Tangpos (Cebu Technological University-Barili, Philippines)

14:50 Beyond Preaching to the Choir: Why Farmers' Soil Knowledge is Essential to the Agroecology and Soil Health - The Case of Termite Mounds in Cambodian Paddy Fields
Sivmey CHHOEUNG, Ratha MUON (Institute of Technology of Cambodia (ITC)), Sreypich SINH, Kimchhin SOK (Royal University of Agriculture, Cambodia), Chanrithy LAO (Sorbonne University), Pascal JOUQUET, Arun MARTIN, Nachy LY (Institute of Research for Development (IRD)), Eve Bureau-Point (National Center for Scientific Research (CNRS), France)

15:05 Shaping Tomorrow's Soil Health: A Focus on Prioritizing Contaminants of Emerging Concern (CEC) in soil and groundwater Investigations
Antoine Zanutel, Louis Druon, Laura Lefèvre, Clément Laurent, Karen Van Geert (Arcadis BE), Thomas Lambrechts (Service public de Wallonie, BE)

15:20 Soil Health Descriptors in Focus: A Case Study and a Gamified Learning Approach
Vanessa G. Correia, Raquel Carvalho, João Brinco, Eduardo P. Mateus, Alexandra B. Ribeiro, Nazaré Couto (NOVA University, PT) Paula Guedes (Aarhus University, DK)

15:35 Multiscales and Multidisciplinary approaches over multi-contaminated sites: A way to investigate the (multi)benefits of NBS in Europe
Yoann Boisson, Fabienne Tatin-Froux, Manhattan Lebrun, Guillaume Bertrand, Michel Chalot, Julien Parelle, Lisa Ciadamidaro (Université Marie et Louis Pasteur, FR), Solofoniaina Andriamihajason (Microfluidic Innovation Center, FR), Hugo Dorbes, Sophie Fabre (Université de Toulouse, FR), Kostas Iordanoglou, Efthymia Alexopoulou (Center for Renewable Energy Sources and Saving, GR), Andrea Monti, Walter Zegada-Lizarazu (University of Bologna, IT), Engracia Madejon, Paula Madejon (CSIC, Sevilla, SP), Peter Welters (Phytowelt GreenTechnologies), Nicolas Pucheux, Nicolas Manier (INERIS, FR), Aleksandra Zgorska (National Research Institute, PL)

15:50 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

16:10 End of the session

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REMTECH Europe

SESSION 28

AI and Data Innovations in Remediation

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

17:00 – 18:45 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1st floor

Opening

17:00 Welcome from the Chairs: Piotr Wojda (JRC-EC), Christian Andersen (Danish Regioner), Frederic Coulon (Cranfield University)

Presentations

- 17:05** Advanced Artificial Intelligence for On-Site Hydrocarbon, VOC and Chloride Detection: Real-Time Measurements with High Confidence
Jevins Waddell, B.J. Min (TRIUM Environmental, CA)
- 17:20** Empowering Environmental Intelligence: A Case Study in AI-Powered Knowledge Management and Data Federation for Scalable Data Governance with EQUIS
Dan Alexander (EarthSoft; US)
- 17:35** AI-Driven Predictive Analytics for Targeted Marketing in Sustainable Technologies
Artemisa Forbes (Oceanfront Agency, CA)
- 17:50** A Permanent Ground Portal for Non-Destructive HRSC UV Visualization of LNAPL Soil Contamination: From Lab to Field Studies
Julio Zimbron (E-flux, US)
- 18:05** Paradigm shift in remediation management how to go from decades to months
George A. Ivey (Ivey International Inc., CA)
- 18:20** Panel discussion moderated by chairs
- 18:45** End of the session

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SESSION 29

Bioremediation for Challenging Environments

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

16:45 – 18:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

16:45 Welcome from the Chairs: Jussi Reinikainen (SYKE), Felipe Yunta (JRC-EC), Nicola Harries (CL:AIRE)

Presentations

16:50 Enhanced Bioremediation Of Petroleum Contaminated Soils In Extreme Arctic and Desert Conditions

George A. Ivey (Ivey International), Miikka Tunturi (Lamor Corporation), Katie Oliver (KBL Environmental, CA)

17:05 Trees and Microbes as Sustainable Nature-Based Treatment on Hydrocarbons and Mixed Waste Sites

Christopher Cohu, Renee Murphy, Galen O'Toole, John Freemann (Intrinsyx Environmental US)

17:20 The Future of Environmental Remediation: Innovative Automation and Bioremediation Solutions in Remote Areas

José Eduardo Blanco Querido, Carlos Cesar Malta de Oliveira, Sandro Souto de Souto, Elisandra Hernandez da Fonseca Herbert Willes Farias de Amorim (Finkler sustainable technologies, BR)

17:35 Normalized Difference Vegetation Index (NDVI) as an Indicator of Bio-remediation Efficiency in Eleme, Ogoni-land Phase-1 Crude Oil-Impacted Soils

Dr. Komommo Omini Abam (National Oil Spill Detection and Response Agency (NOSDRA), NG)), Tubonimi J. K. Ideriah, Akuro Ephraim Gobo, Francis Egobueze (Rivers State University, NG)

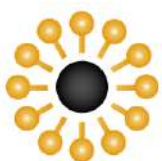
17:50 Nature-inspired biodegradation of poly(butylene succinate-co-adipate) from marine environment: the potential of copepod-associated fungi

Giampiero De Simone, Luca Niccolini, Giacomo Bernabei, Riccardo Di Mambro, Simona Di Gregorio (University of Pisa, IT), Maurizia Seggiani, Isabella Buttino (ISPRA, IT)

18:05 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

18:30 End of the session

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SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGIES



Intrinsyx Environmental

SESSION 30

Innovative Microbial Solutions for Environmental Remediation: Technologies and Strategies from the NYMPHE Project

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

09:00 – 13:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

**Yellow Room
Pad 5/6,
1st floor**

Opening

- 09:00** Welcome to participants and presentation of the event
G. Zanaroli, (Nymphe Coordinator), M.Barompriori (Eni Rewind)
- 09:10** Introduction to the Nymphe Project
G. Zanaroli (UNIBO)
- 09:30** Aim of the workshop and role of participants
E. Biagi (UNIBO)

Session 1 - Nymphe assemblies of biologics and technologies for wastewater treatment

- 09:40** METLand technology for micropollutants removal from municipal wastewater with electroactive microbial assemblies
A. Esteve Nunez (METFILTER S.L., Spain)
- 09:55** Microbial assemblies for pharmaceuticals biodegradation in Membrane Biofilm Reactors
P. Corvini (FHNW, Switzerland)
- 10:10** Q&A, feedback from participants
- 10:30** Break

Session 2 - Nymphe assemblies of biologics and technologies for soil bioremediation

- 11:00** Plant-microbe associations for the phyto-rhizoremediation of PHC-contaminated surface soils
S. Borin (UMIL, Italy)
- 11:15** Microbial assemblies for the in situ bioremediation of subsurface soils and groundwater contaminated by mixed pollutants
G. Zanaroli (UNIBO), M. Decima (Eni Rewind, Italy)
- 11:30** Q&A, feedback from participants

Session 3 - Innovative approaches for the performance improvement of microbes and microbiomes in bioremediation

- 11:45** Genetic toolbox for the improvement of microbial strains and communities
T. Aparicio (CSIC, Spain)
- 12:00** Microbiome modelling and management to improve bioremediation performances
S. Cretoiu (Blomitec, The Netherlands)
- 12:15** Q&A, feedback from participants

Session 4 – Open Discussion

- 12:30** Round table with invited SH and speakers. Discussion of feedbacks from participants.

13:00 end of the session

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RETECH Europe

SESSION 31 PFAS Soil Remediation

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER
09:00 – 11:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

09:00 Welcome from the Chairs: Frank Swartjes (RIVM), Piotr Wojda (JRC-EC), Dominique Guyonnet (BRGM)

Presentations

09:05 Management of Ultra-Short Chain PFAS: From Characterization to Treatment
Christophe Barnier, Isabelle Delsarte (WSP), & Frederic Marias (RECORD)

09:20 Pilot Scale Thermal Soil PFAS Remediation Test
Søren Eriksen (Krüger)

09:35 Recover, Remediate, Reuse: The Untapped Potential of PFAS Soil Remediation
Eunan Kelly, Michael Nesbitt, Clemence Badier (CDE Group Europe)

09:50 Enhanced PFAS Decontamination Of Soil, Bedrock, Aquifer and AFFF Fire Suppression Systems, Without Foam Fractionation
George A. Ivey (Ivey International), David Holmes (Geosyntec Consultants), Cecilia Macleod, Reshmi Prakash (university of Greenwich, UK), Scott Poyner (Geologic Science and Technology)

10:05 Biopolymer based remediation of PFAS contaminated soils - In Situ Treatment of an AFFF Contaminated Airport Site
Anja Wilken, Stephan Hüttmann, Sophie Mittelstät, Miriam Kunz (Sensatec, DE)

10:20 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

11:00 End of the session

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Phytoremediation Strategies for Contaminated Soils

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

09:15 – 11:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

09:15 Welcome from the Chairs: Dietmar Müller-Grabherr (Umweltbundesamt), Jussi Reinikainen (SYKE), Felipe Yunta (JRC-EC)

Presentations

- 09:20** Phytoremediation potential of hemp and sorghum enhanced by plant growth-promoting rhizobacteria for heavy metal-contaminated soil
Jelena Beljin, Nina Đukanović, Marijana Kragulj Isakovski, Dragana Tamindžija, Snežana Maletić (University of Novi Sad), Stanko Milić, Tijana Zeremski (Institute of Field and Vegetable Crops, RS)
- 09:35** Nature-Based Soil Remediation Techniques: Agroforestry as a Sustainable Solution
Haryatie Sarie (Politeknik Pertanian Negeri Samarinda, ID)
- 09:50** Evaluation of Heavy Metal Uptake Efficiency in Vetiver Grass (*Vetiveria zizanioides*)
Chuck Chuan NG (China-ASEAN College of Marine Sciences, Xiamen University Malaysia)
- 10:05** Nature-based solution. Application of phytoremediation technologies in agricultural areas – lessons learned and planning for the future
Allegrini F., Pianu M., Ercolani V., Raffaele V. (ENI), Cerutti G., Francioli A., Donati D. (HPC AG)
- 10:20** Phytoremediation strategy for improvement of soil biological state and mitigation of organic pollution
Dragana Tamindžija, Kristina Kokotović, Dragan Radnović, Marijana Kragulj Isakovski, Irina Jevrosimov, Snežana Maletić (University of Novi Sad), Stanko Milić, Tijana Zeremski (Institute of field and vegetable crop, RS)
- 10:35** Panel discussion moderated by chairs
- 11:00** End of the session

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SESSION 33

Groundwater remediation

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

11:30 – 13:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

11:30 Welcome from the Chairs: Dietmar Müller-Grabherr (Umweltbundesamt), Johan De Fraye (NICOLE Academy), Felipe Yunta (JRC-EC)

Presentations

11:35 Estimating when natural biodegradation of petroleum in soil and groundwater exceeds rates achieved by active remediation

Kaveh Sookhak Lari, John L. Rayner, Greg B. Davis (CSIRO, AU), Andrew King (BP Australia)

11:50 Remediation of groundwater and soil contaminated by heavy oil: a sustainable approach to environmental rehabilitation

Raul Mucciolella, Ilaria Paiani, Silvia Cattarino, Simone Bruschi, Miriana Cotrer, Antonino Sava (Geostream)

12:05 Full scale treatment of PFAS contaminated surface water runoff using SAFF in combination with additives for enhanced removal of short chain PFAS

Helena Hinrichsen, Matthew Ingram (Cornelsen)

12:20 Enhanced LNAPL Recovery From Low Permeability Strata by Means of Sand Layer Injection Using i-SAV© Technology and Non-ionic Surfactant Application

Heckelsmueller A., Dannwolf U. (RiskCom), Ivey, G. (Ivey International)

12:35 A Summary of One and A Half Decades of NAPL Contaminant Natural Source Zone Depletion (NSZD)

Julio Zimbron (e-FLUX)

12:50 Anaerobic bioremediation – an innovative, nature-based approach to dealing with tar contaminations

Danny de Graaff, Frank Volkering (TAUW)

13:05 High-density polyethylene plant wastewater treatment: visible plastic removal with patented polarizer technology

Jamie Davidson (AMERAPEX)

13:20 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

13:30 End of the session

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SESSION 34 HRSC and 3D Site Characterization

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER
11:45 – 13:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2nd floor

Opening

11:45 Welcome from the Chairs: Frank Swartjes (RIVM), Christian Andersen (Danish Regioner), Iason Verginelli (University Tor Vergata)

Presentations

- 11:50** A statistical approach to identify CH₄ hot spots in landfills using UAV data
Maurizio De Molfetta, Donatello Fosco, Bruno Notarnicola, Pietro Alexander Renzulli (Università degli Studi di Bari), Maurizio Guerra, Marco Falconi, Vincenzo Fiano, Chiara Fiori, Antonella Vecchio (ISPRA, IT), Antonio Diligenti (ARTA Abruzzo, IT), Lucina Luchetti (Regione Abruzzo, IT), Enrico Sacchi (LAV), Nino Tarantino (Commissario Bonifiche Discariche), Marcello Tognacci (Whitelab)
- 12:05** Study on Cross-Medium Migration of Halogenated Hydrocarbons in The Amphibious Cross-Contamination Site Based on Electrical Methods: Hydrodynamic Constraints
Yu Wang, Guanlin Guo, Xiaoyang Liu, Juan Wang, Tingting Fang, Xueting Shao (Ministry of Ecology and Environment, CN)
- 12:20** 3D Numerical Flow Modeling of Groundwater Circulation Wells Using Streamlines
Niloufar Falakbaz (IEG Technology, DE)
- 12:35** Old versus recently contaminated sites, usual versus exotic contaminants, simple versus complex sites under the focus of modern investigation systems: how much we still miss when we think we do know
Eugen Martac (Fugro), Claudio Carusi (Mares)
- 12:50** Panel discussion moderated by chairs
- 13:30** End of the session

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Exhibition area

External area

SESSION 35

Live Demo

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER - 13:30 – 16:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

13:30 Meeting in front of White Room with the chair Carlo Bianco (Politecnico di Torino), Christian Andersen (Danish Regioner), Piotr Wojda (JRC-EC), Felipe Yunta (JRC-EC) and then moving around the exhibition area

13:40 The use of Vapor Pin for subslab vapor intrusion measurements
Craig Cox (Cox Colvin)

14:00 On-site mass spectroscopy as high resolution added value for a correct assessment of the functional and spatial dependencies in the underground contaminant development
Eugen Martac, Holger Strauss (Fugro)

14:20 LIDAR survey, visual inspections, and remote indirect measurements performed using a drone designed for confined environments
Marco Uliano (Tecno In), Claudio Sandrone (BAW)

14:40 EVO droplets, the difference in size between factory and in the field created emulsions
Robert Wagenveld (QM Environmental)

15:00 Advancing CPT: Integrating HD Video Imaging for Enhanced Soil and Contaminant Detection
William Bond (Royal Eijkelpkamp)

15:20 FOAMFLEX Absorbs Oil, Not Water: A Live Demo of Sustainable Innovation for Oil Spill Recovery
Alessandro Taini (Test1)

15:40 The use of speditive analysis in site characterization
Alessandro Bersani (RECOM)

16:00 End of the session



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SESSION 36

PFAS Management Strategies

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

14:30 – 16:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1st floor

Opening

14:30 Welcome from the Chairs: Dietmar Müller-Grabherr (Umweltbundesamt), Jussi Reinikainen (SYKE), David Govoni (EFG)

Presentations

14:35 Integrating Regulatory Compliance and Sustainable Remediation for PFAS and Vapor Intrusion at a Legacy Petrochemical Facility in Australia
Ross Edwards (JBS&G Australia)

14:50 A tool to evaluate and classify the potential risk of PFAS contamination from industrial sites
Anna De Fina, Lorenzo Ferraresi, Elena Mangherini, Maite Tejerina Nunez, Silvia Ziliani (WSP)

15:05 Navigating the PFAS Tsunami in Europe: Insights and Future Directions
Dirk Nuyens, Jan Van linden, Piero Mori, Michele Remonti, Benoist Delhalle, Olivier Corrège, Andrea Herch, Georg Stiebeling, Pascale Girod, Andreas Stoll (ERM)

15:20 Developing a Methodological Approach for Preliminary PFAS Environmental Risk Assessment in Airports
Iraklis Panagiotakis, Eleni Strompoula, Theodoros Toskos (ENYDRON – Environmental Protection Services), Dimitris Dermatas (National Technical University of Athens)

15:35 Applying Machine Learning Methods to Uncover Hidden Forensic Patterns in PFAS Signatures
Zachary Neigh, Julie McCurdy-Lamb, William Leys (AECOM)

15:50 PFAS Data Evaluation Tool
Nicoletta Cavaleri (Jacobs)

16:05 Local pollutions of PFAS in soil and groundwater – Feedback from Belgium (Wallonia)
Thomas Lambrechts, Océane Liegeois, Bénédicte Dusart (Service public de Wallonie), Marie Jailler, Jean-François Heilier, France Baumans, Marie Heeren (SPAQuE), Sophie Crevecoeur, Emilie Séleck, Pierre Jacquemin, Christophe Lambert, Xavier Veithen, Damien Gillard (ISSeP)

16:20 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

16:30 End of the session

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SESSION 37

Chlorinated Solvent Remediation

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

14:30 – 16:15 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

14:30 Welcome from the Chairs: Frank Swartjes (RIVM), Iason Verginelli (University Tor Vergata), Laurent Thannberger (RNEST)

Presentations

14:35 Environmental Conditions Shaping Dechlorinating Microbial Communities: A Case Study on Biostimulation and Bioaugmentation in Chlorinated Solvent- Contaminated Groundwater
Bruna Matturro, Simona Rossetti (Water Research Institute IRSA-CNR), Marco Zeppilli, Laura Lorini, Marco Petrangeli Papini (Sapienza University of Rome)

14:50 Electro-nano - bioremediation Technology for In-situ Degradation of CHC from Low Permeable Aquifer
Vaclav Sredl, Petr Kvapil, Vojtech Antos (Photon Water Technology), Jaroslav Nosek, Tomas Pluhar (Technical University of Liberec), Pierre Matz, Salvador Asensio Gimenez, Jose-Javier Garrido (SOLVAY), Andreas Tiehm, Steffen Hertle (TZW)

15:05 Closure Strategy: DNAPL Impacts in a Karst Setting
Johan De Fraye (Signify), Dennis Connair, Rachel Bosch (AECOM)

15:20 Decades of Chlorinated Solvent Contamination in UK Aquifers: A Data-Driven Assessment
Nouha Samlani, Tannaz Pak (Teesside University, UK)

15:35 Functional genomics of the genus *Cladosporium*: insights into the myco-remediation of Halogenated Organic Compounds (HOCs)
Giampiero De Simone, Giacomo Bernabei, Riccardo Di Mambro, Simona Di Gregorio (University of Pisa), Thibault Le Gratiet, Laurence Fraissinet-Tachet (University Claude Bernard Lyon 1, FR) David Bernard Levin (University of Manitoba - CA)

15:50 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

16:15 End of the session

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SESSION 38 PFAS Water Treatment

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER
16:45 – 18:45 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

16:45 Welcome from the Chairs: Dietmar Müller-Grabherr (Umweltbundesamt), Christian Andersen (Danish Regioner), Tom Aspray (Scottish Contaminated Land Forum)

Presentations

16:50 Microbial Defluorination of TFA, PFOA, and HFPO-DA By a Native Microbial Consortium under Anoxic Conditions

Xin Song, Zhiwen Tang (Chinese Academy of Sciences)

17:05 Synthesis, characterization, and application of TiO₂ Polymer-based Nanocomposite for remediation of PFAS portable groundwater with adsorption and kinetic modeling

Anshul Tiwari, Pranjal Yadav, Devendra Kumar Patel (CSIR-Indian Institute of Toxicology Research)

17:20 Electrochemical reduction of PFAS in situ – presentation of laboratory and field test results and most likely identified mechanisms of contaminant reduction

Namuun Gambat, Petr Kvapil, Emily Brown, Ian Phillipps (Photon Water), Jaroslav Nosek, Alena Pavelková (Technical University of Liberec), Tomáš Cajthaml, Jaroslav Semerád (MBU AVCR), Jan Filip (Univerzita Palackého v Olomouci, CZ)

17:35 Treatment of different complex PFAS contaminated water matrixes using PFAS flocculation additive PerfluorAd in combination with DAF

Helena Hinrichsen, Matthew Ingram (Cornelsen)

17:50 Innovative Biosorbent materials for PFAS removal from contaminated water

Marta Senofonte, Laura Lorini, Giulia Simonetti, Marco Petrangeli Papini (Sapienza University of Rome), Carmela Riccardi (INAIL, IT)

18:05 Microbial remediation of PFAS-Impacted Industrial Soil & Water

Katherine French, Jordan Baker, Azion White, Nate Diplock (BluumBio, US)

18:20 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

18:45 End of the session

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SESSION 39

Sustainable Strategies for Pollution Management

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

16:45 – 18:45 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

16:45 Welcome from the Chairs: Jussi Reinikainen (SYKE), Rudi Ruggeri (EFG), Erika Von Zuben (AESAS)

Presentations

16:50 Fungal-based biosorbent as a sustainable environmental approach for removal of heavy metal pollutants from contaminated water

Anjali V. Prajapati, Devayani R. Tipre (Gujarat University, IN)

17:05 Sustainable soil remediation: leveraging microbial biosurfactants for hydrocarbon degradation

Marta Puddu, Gabriele Beretta, Sabrina Saponaro, Elena Sezenna (Politecnico di Milano, IT)

17:20 Statistical and experimental study on the possible origins of Arsenic found in groundwater in an industrial area

Luca Piccapietra (Stantec), Carlo Monti (ET&EC), Francesco Picardi, Marcello Mancini, Marcello Pianu, Viviana Ercolani, Valentina Raffaele (ENI)

17:35 Data sources of diffuse soil contamination in Europe

Timo Tarvainen, Kristiina Nuottimäki, Emilia Kosonen (GTK, FI), Henna Jylhä (SYKE, FI)

17:50 Geology and land use as drivers for the determination of natural background level in groundwater: insights from arsenic, radon, and fluoride analysis in central Italy

Giulia Felli, Paolo Ciampi, Leonardo Maria Giannini, Ebrahim Ghaderpour, Carlo Esposito, Marco Petrangeli Papini (Sapienza University of Rome, IT)

18:05 Urban sustainability and mobility indicators: a statistical framework for comprehensive quantitative assessment

Franco Giovanardi, Marina Amori (ISPRA, IT)

18:20 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

18:45 End of the session

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SESSION 40

IED 2.0 in Action: Evolution, Challenges and Tools for Implementation

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER
09:00 – 11:00 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

09:00 Welcome from the Chair and presentation of the speakers
Davide Iaria (ISPRA)

Presentations

09:05 Regulatory framework for industrial emissions
Luciana Distaso (MASE)

09:15 The new Industrial and Livestock Rearing Emissions Directive (IED 2.0)
Antonio Milillo (MASE)

09:40 The Sevilla process
Gianluca Cusano (MASE)

10:00 OECD BAT work: the future of Best Available Techniques in IPPC
Berrak Eryasa (OECD)

10:15 IMPEL Industry and Air expert team activities 2025-2027
Paula Vehmaanperä (IMPEL)

10:30 Ceramic manufacture industry BRef
Adele Lo Monaco (ARPAE)

10:45 The SNPA Guidelines for the Transposition of the IED Directive
Daniela Cescon (ARPA Piemonte), Nadia Tomasini (ARPA Lombardia)

11:00 End of the training

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SESSION 41

Integrated Strategies for Soil Bioremediation

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

09:15 – 11:10 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

09:15 Welcome from the Chairs: Johan De Fraye (NICOLE Academy), Antonella Vecchio (ISPRA), Aleksandra Silijc-Tomic (UNEP)

Presentations

- 09:20** Presentation of other conferences on contaminated sites: dates, location, topics, deadlines, call for abstracts – ALGA ecoforum 28-30 October (Matthew Potter), Nicola Africa 5-6 November (Heidi Snyman), ENSOr 13-14 October (Laetitia Six), BioRemid2026 23-26 June 2026 (Simona Di Gregorio), NORDROCS 2026 (Aura Nousiainen), coordination of Marco Falconi (ISPRA)
- 09:35** A comprehensive study on the occurrence, bioaugmentation-assisted bioremediation, and biodegradation mechanisms for polychlorinated biphenyls in contaminated environments
Auwalu Hassan (University of Kashere, NG), Azman Azid (Universiti Sultan Zainal, MY), Innocent Chukwunonso Ossai (University of Malaya, MY)
- 09:50** Outcome of large-scale soil remediation works in Kuwait – Soil Washing
Miikka Tunturi (Lamor Corporation)
- 10:05** Integrating laboratory tests and numerical simulation to design field-scale bioremediation of hydrocarbons: a case study in Ploufragan, France
Matteo Masi, Federica Brogioli, Cosimo Masini (DND Biotech)
- 10:20** Methods for Combining In Situ Chemical Oxidation and Bioremediation
Brant A. Smith, Josephine Molin (Evonik Corporation), Alberto Leombruni, Mike Mueller (Evonik Operations)
- 10:35** Long-Read Sequencing Technologies: Advantages, Applications, and Functional Prediction for In Situ Bioremediation
Bruna Matturro (New Biodiversity Future Center, IT), Luca Niccolini, Simona Rossetti (Water Research Institute IRSA-CNR, IT), Andrea Firrincieli, Maurizio Petruccioli (University of Bologna), Martina Cappelletti (University of Bologna)
- 10:50** Panel discussion moderated by chairs
- 11:10** End of the session

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SESSION 42

European chemicals policy for the protection of the environment and human health: new hazard classes under the Classification, Labelling and Packaging (CLP) Regulation

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

11:30 – 13:20 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

11:30 Welcome from the Chairs

Dania Esposito, Emiliano Panieri (Italian Institute for Environmental Protection and Research – ISPRA, Italy)

Presentations

11:40 Introduction to the new CLP hazard classes for PBT/vPvB and PMT/vPvM

Simon Uphill (European Chemicals Agency – ECHA)

Topics covered: introductory elements, CLP Regulation, new CLP hazard classes and protection goals, criteria.

12:00 Harmonised classification and labelling under CLP

Konstantinos Prevedouros (European Chemicals Agency – ECHA)

Topics covered: CLH process, actors, roles & responsibilities, Guidance development exercise, lessons learned from processing of first cases.

12:20 Practical examples/Case Studies

*Sílvia Lacorte Bruguera (Department of Environmental Chemistry & IDAEA-CSIC, Spain),
Hans Peter Arp (Norwegian Geotechnical Institute – NGI, Norway)*

Topics covered: examples/case studies related to the new CLP Hazard classes

12:40 Focus on difficult substances

Hans Peter Arp (Norwegian Geotechnical Institute – NGI, Norwegian)

Topics covered: volatile substances, superhydrophobic, mixtures/UVCBs, ions/ionizable

13:00 A stepwise prioritization approach towards effective regulatory measures of PMT/vPvM substances in the REACH registration database

Michael Neumann (German Environment Agency (UBA), Section IV 2.3 Chemicals)

Topics covered: Prioritization of PMT/vPvM substances; Regulatory Management Option Analysis (RMOA)

13:20 End of the session

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SESSION 43

Human Health and Environmental risks

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

11:30 – 13:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1° floor

Opening

11:30 Welcome from the Chairs: Johan De Fraye (NICOLE Academy), Antonella Vecchio (ISPRA), Iason Verginelli (University Tor Vergata)

Presentations

11:35 Application of RESRAD codes in Nigeria's gold mines land reclamation: from legacy to asset
Suleiman Bello (University Katsina, NG); John Simon (National Open University of Nigeria); Muyiwa Michael Orosun (Fukushima University, JP), Margaret Chege (Kenyatta University, KE)

11:50 Lead pollution – it's worse than you think
Graeme Miller (Senversa), Ed Burton (Southern Cross University, AU)

12:05 Criteria for the identification and management of backfill materials at Italian contaminated sites
Alessia Arelli, Oriana Capobianco, Marco Falconi, Maurizio Guerra, Irene Rischia, Antonella Vecchio (ISPRA, IT)

12:20 A Summary of One and A Half Decades of NAPL Contaminant Natural Source Zone Depletion (NSZD)
Demamu Tagele Haligamo, Tamru Tesseme Aragaw (Arba Minch University, ET), Esayas Alemayehu (Jimma University, ET)

12:35 Risk-Based Approaches for the Sustainable Remediation of Mining Liabilities in Peru: Challenges and Lessons Learned
Tatiana Salazar, Paola Santiago, Rosaura Watanabe (WSP)

12:50 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

13:30 End of the session

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SESSION 44

Business opportunity in Brazil, Road to COP30

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

13:30 – 14:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

13:30 Welcome to participants and presentation of the event

Juliana Rolla de Leo (United Nation Climate change Global Innovation Hub)

13:40 Business opportunity in Brazil, Road to COP30

Juliana Rolla de Leo (United Nation Climate change Global Innovation Hub, Founder and CEO OMA Ativos Ambientais)

Marcelo Donnini Freire (Focal point UNFCCC Innovation Hub in Brazil and former Climate secretary at Environment Ministry).

Speaker to be determined (UNFCCC)

14:30 End of the session

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About the innovation Hub: UGIH's Systemic Innovation Workshops were launched in 2023 as part of a wider Systemic Innovation Framework that aims to accelerate the identification, development, and effective deployment of innovative technologies, policies, financial instruments, and business models, as well as cooperative approaches and products from culture and creative industries. This framework supports transformative climate and sustainability innovations to address the needs of the people and the planet.

The strategic role of financial instruments in mitigating the effects of climate change

Innovation and responsibility for a sustainable future

Climate change is one of the most urgent and complex challenges of the 21st century, with profound and cross-cutting impacts on the environment, economy and society. The international community, aware of the severity of this crisis, has initiated processes to reorient economic and industrial policies toward sustainability. In this scenario, financial instruments are assuming a strategic role in guiding the transition to a low-carbon economy and implementing strategies to mitigate the adverse effects of climate change.

Therefore, interacting in a dynamic and systemic way regarding sustainability is what guarantees the proposal of innovative solutions to face challenging situations. And because global attention is increasingly focused on this issue, the market, society and organizations are now dealing with the need for a major change in attitude, increasing their social responsibilities aiming to improving their ability to create lasting value, thus characterizing their own presence in the competitive and globalized market more committed to the parameters of a green and creative economy.

In order to compete in the international market, it is essential to have innovative instruments, in line with the integrality of sustainability concepts, for the strategic management of public and private institutions, integrating them with offers of products and services of high performance, integrity and added value to improve the quality of life of its population.

Addressing climate change, several financial instruments designed to support mitigation and adaptation have emerged in recent years. Among the most notable are:

- Carbon credits and Plastic credits: carbon and plastic credits are emerging as key mechanisms to incentivize the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and the sustainable management of plastic waste and its circularity. These are two complementary and innovative tools to drive the transition to a low-carbon and lower-impact economy. When embedded in an integrated, regulated and transparent policy framework, they can accelerate decarbonization, incentivize the circular economy and strengthen the environmental responsibility of businesses and citizens.
- Green Bonds: bonds issued to exclusively finance projects with positive environmental impacts, such as renewable energy, energy efficiency, sustainable water management and biodiversity protection.
- Sustainability-linked Bonds: debt securities whose return is linked to the achievement of sustainability goals, thus promoting improvements in the environmental performance of issuing companies.
- Investment impact funds

It is essential that these issues are at the heart of the debate, planning and implementation of the sustainability and innovation agendas, considering the magnitude of the situations to be faced and the multidisciplinary skills they require.

I firmly believe that sustainable development is the principle for establishing a decision-making process that focuses on generating value and rewarding profitability, and returns recognition and rewards to investors, partners and employees.

Seeking to develop innovation within the parameters of sustainability is vitally important, especially since from the point of view of integral sustainable development, innovation and sustainability are inseparable. Innovation therefore permeates all fields of sustainability and vice versa, since faced with the challenge of sustainable development, there is no way to do it without the creative capacity to innovate, to seek out new paths and new concepts, new behaviors and new models that will serve as a foundation for the new times that await us.

Integrating the issue of financial instruments within the COP30 negotiations and decisions means equipping ourselves with operational tools to support the ecological transition, promote the resilience of socio-economic systems, and accelerate the diffusion of innovative solutions. Only through a synergy between finance and international governance will it be possible to materialize an effective and lasting response to climate emergencies.

SESSION 45

Biochar Applications in Soil Remediation

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

14:45 – 16:25 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

14:45 Welcome from the Chairs: Felipe Yunta (JRC-EC) , Aleksandra Silić-Tomic (UNEP), Robert Jelinek (State Geological Institute of Dionyz Stur)

Presentations

14:50 Efficiency of PGPR-biochar catalyst in optimization of zea mays l. cultivation in marginal soil
Aigerim Mamirova, Almagul Baubekova, Zhuldyz Batykova (Al-Farabi Kazakh National University, KAZ), Tatyana Stefanovska (National University of Life and Environmental Sciences, UKR), Abdulmannan Rouhani, Hana Burdova, Valentina Pidlisnyuk (Jan Evangelista Purkyně University, CZ)

15:05 Current situation and possibilities of biochar use for agricultural and land remediation in Ukraine: A bibliometric analysis
Olha Shomko, Marco Bartoli, Elena Maestri (University of Parma, IT), Iryna Davydova (Zhytomyr Polytechnic State University, UKR)

15:20 Impact of water matrix on persulfate activation efficiency for the removal of lindane and β -endosulfan using corn cob biochar
Tijana Marjanović Srebro, Nina Đukanović, Tajana Simetić, Tamara Apostolović, Jasmina Anojčić, Sanja Mutić, Jelena Beljin (University of Novi Sad, RS)

15:35 Assessing robustness and resilience of combined process for the remediation of TCE-contaminated aquifers
Micaela Abruzzese, Laura Lorini, Naima Blal, Marco Petrangeli Papini (Sapienza University of Rome, IT), Bruna Matturro (IRSA-CNR (National research centre), IT)

15:50 Adsorption of short to long-chain PFAS/PFCAs using Polyethyleneimine Modified Biochar – Effects of Water Matrices and Understanding Mechanisms
Anusha Imran, Daniel D. Gang, Xiaobo Lein, David J. Shoemaker, William E. Holmes, Hui Yann, Mark E. Zappin (University of Louisiana)

16:05 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

16:25 End of the session

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SESSION 46

Waste-Based Approaches for Soil Recovery

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

14:30 – 16:40 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2nd floor

Opening

14:30 Welcome from the Chairs: Dominique Guyonnet (BRGM), Francesco Andreotti (ISPRA), Iustina Popescu (IGR Romanian Geological Institute)

Presentations

- 14:35** INSPIRED SOULS project: INnovative and Sustainable Stabilization Processes Involving REcycled SOils and Used materialS
Marta di Sante (Marche Politechnic University), Marco Rosone (University of Palermo), Renato M. Cosentini (Turin Politechnic University)
- 14:50** Urban Sustainable Strategic Waste Management for Secondary City Planning in Bangladesh
Mohammed Aktaruzzaman Hasan (Local Government Engineering Department (LGED)), Vivi Anggraini (Monash University Malesia)
- 15:05** Odor waste gas was important for the maintenance of a deodorant microbial community of Biological trickling deodorant tower
Hyacinth Wong (Zhengzhou nonferrous metal research institute)
- 15:20** Thermal and mechanical design and optimization of a cryogenic micro-grinding system using FEM analysis
Ould Brahim Insaf (University of Science and Technology Houari Boumediene, AL)
- 15:35** Evaluation of biostimulants and mycorrhizae to improve phytomanagement potential of lignocellulosic crops
Pietro Peroni, Walter Zegada-Lizarazu, Erika Facciolla, Andrea Monti (University of Bologna, IT), Giovanni Alessandro Cappelli (Council for Agricultural Research and Economics, IT)
- 15:50** Soil Remediation and Waste Diversion through Wood Ash Reuse in Bioenergy Cropping Systems
Abdulmannan Rouhani, Valentina Pidlisnyuk, Karim Suhail Al Souki (Jan Evangelista Purkyně University), Sergej Ust'ak, Vojtěch Váňa (Crop Research Institute, CZ), Andrzej Cezary Żołnowski (University of Warmia and Mazury, PL)
- 16:05** Contamination Vector Based Landfill Assessment & Consolidated Scalable Remediation Strategies for High Mobility Leachates and Micro-Plastics: A Sustainable Regulatory Framework
Antariksha Sarkar, Dr. Arnab Banerjee (Virunova)
- 16:20** Panel discussion moderated by chairs
- 16:40** End of the session

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SESSION 47

Human Health Risk Assessment for Regional Environmental Disasters. A Brazilian Experience Applied to Affected Communities and Indigenous Peoples

FRIDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

14:30 – 16:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

14:30 Welcome to the session

Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

14:35 Introduction from the chairs

Patricia Ruiz (Soldi Ambiental, AESAS), Thiago L. Gomes (Doxor, AESAS)

Description

This session explores how Human Health Risk Assessment (HHRA) has been applied in Brazil to support communities affected by major environmental disasters, such as the collapse of the VALE mining dams in Brumadinho.

Dr. Alexandre Maximiano will present the technical framework of HHRA, followed by Dr. Marcela Corsini, who will share practical lessons from the Brazilian experience and its benefits for impacted populations.

The session will conclude with the powerful voice of Cacica Âgoho, an Indigenous leader of the Pataxó people, whose community was directly affected. She will highlight the profound impacts of environmental contamination on Indigenous lives and explain how HHRA has helped minimize risks and foster resilience.

Why attend?

Participants will gain both scientific and human perspectives on environmental disasters, while also witnessing a rare and authentic contribution from an Indigenous representative at an international forum.

Speakers:

- **Dr. Alexandre Maximiano** – 40 minutes
- **Dr. Marcela Corsini** – 30 minutes
- **Indigenous Cacica Âgoho (Village Katurãma – Pataxó People)** – 20 minutes

16:30 End of the session

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Alexandre Maximiano is geological engineering, got master and doctor degree at University of São Paulo (USP). He specialized in flow and transport mathematical models in Waterloo, Canada, and risk assessment in Cleveland, United States. He is currently developing his postdoctoral research focusing on Risk Diagnosis and Assessment Applied to Environmental Impacts Caused by Regional-Scale Disasters. For 30 years, he has developed environmental site assessment, human health and ecological risk assessments, and plans for contaminated sites remediation. As Technical Director of TECNOHIDRO®, he is responsible for the technical guidelines for contaminated site management projects.

Geologist (USP) with an MBA in Project Management (BBS School) and current doctoral student in the Natural Resources Conservation and Management Program (UNIOESTE). Over 17 years of experience in the environmental sector, with expertise in human health and ecological risk assessment, environmental forensics, and large-scale impact studies related to dam failures in Brazil (Brumadinho 2019, Mariana 2015). Experience in human health and ecological risk assessment using software and tools such as RBCA, Cetesb Risk Assessment Spreadsheets, RISC 5, SADA, ECOSAR, and others. Manager of Human Health and Ecological Risk Assessment Studies under development in the Paraopeba Basin, the region affected by the Brumadinho Dam collapse (2019), and of Human Health and Ecological Risk Assessment Studies in areas impacted by the Fundão Dam collapse in Mariana - MG (2015). Experience in forensic environmental assessment for identifying contaminant sources, the timing of their release, and their distribution in the subsurface, through chemical degradation models, contaminant transport modeling, stable isotope analyses, weathering patterns, and biomarkers.



SESSION 48

Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Strategies

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

16:45 – 18:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

Europe Room
2^o floor

Opening

16:45 Welcome from the Chairs: Francesco Andreotti (ISPRA), Vivian Parron (AESAS), Laurent Thannberger (RNEST)

Presentations

- 16:50** Common Reed-Based Nanomaterial for Remediation of River Sediment
Nataša Slijepčević, Dragana Tomašević Pilipović, Dunja Rađenović Veselić, Nataša Duduković, Slaven Tenodi (University of Novi Sad, RS)
- 17:05** Marble dust “MARMETTOLA” in the apuan alps extraction district: a significant environmental criticality for surface and groundwater bodies
Claudio Numa, Elisa Nardi, Francesco Andreotti, Enrico Scalchi (ISPRA, IT), Licia Lotti (ARPA Tuscany, IT)
- 17:20** Intervention methodologies in response to industrial emergencies in case of spills into surface waters
Romualdo Marrazzo (ISPRA, IT)
- 17:35** Advancing Marine Ecosystem Restoration: ORSS Deployment in Malibu, California
Franco Smit, Eric Williams (ORSS Project, US)
- 17:50** The “POLIGONI project”: scientific basis to assume decisions in order to manage the residuals of military exercises dispersed on the costal seafloor of two military areas, Capo Teulada (Sardinia) and Torre Veneri (Apulia)
Paola Renzi, Luigi Nicola Alcaro, Claudio Numa (ISPRA, IT), Marco Fella (Stato Maggiore dell'Esercito, IT)
- 18:05** Panel discussion moderated by chairs
- 18:30** End of the session

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SESSION 49

Smart Farming and Climate Solutions

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

16:45 – 18:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

White Room
1^o floor

Opening

16:45 Welcome from the Chairs: Dominique Guyonnet (BRGM), Iustina Popescu (IGR Romanian Geological Institute)

Presentations

16:50 Sweet Corn (*Zea mays* L. var *saccharata*) and Peanut (*Arachis hypogaea* L.) Intercropping Schemes for Sustainable Food and Feed Production

Marciano D. Tangpos, Clea Anne V. Corsiga (Cebu Technological University)

17:05 Carbon farming and the challenges for agriculture and forestry. A focus on the EU and national framework

Ilaria Falconi, Irene Criscuoli (Research Centre for Agricultural Policies and Bioeconomy, IT)

17:20 The role of biochar in carbon sequestration: contribution to the fight with climate changes

Stefan Mijatović, Snežana Maletić, Marijana Kragulj Isakovski, Jelena Beljin (University of Novi Sad, RS)

17:35 Arduino based Smart Irrigation System Design, Challenges and Solutions

Enes Furkan Sancak, Burcu Kiran (TUBITAK MAM Research Center), Mert Erol

17:50 The agricultural potential of struvite produced via electroprecipitation from wastewater in comparison to commercial fertilizers

Nataša Duduković, Nataša Slijepčević, Anita Leovac Maćerak, Branko Kordić, Srđan Rakić, Đurđa Kerkez (University of Novi Sad, RS)

18:05 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

18:30 End of the session

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SESSION 50

CCS - Carbon Capture and Storage

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

16:30 – 18:30 CEST (Central European Summer Time)

ONLINE

Opening

16:30 Welcome to the session

Marco Falconi (ISPRA, Remtech Europe)

16:35 Introduction from the chairs

Patricia Ruiz (Soldi Ambiental, AESAS), Thiago L. Gomes (Doxor, AESAS)

Presentations

16:40 CCS - Carbon Capture and Storage

Everton de Oliveira (Hidroplan), Andrew Duguid, Manoj Valluri (Advanced Resources international),

18:15 Panel discussion moderated by chairs

18:30 End of the session

Carbon Capture and Storage (CCS) is one of the most promising solutions for decarbonizing our atmosphere — in fact, it's the only technology capable of permanently removing vast amounts of CO₂. While many of its core concepts come from the oil & gas industry, they are also highly relevant to environmental professionals working with site assessment, hydrogeology, and immiscible fluids. In a little less than 2 hours, this ultra mini-course will provide a clear and practical introduction to CCS, bridging knowledge across industries and preparing professionals to engage in a highly technical, rapidly growing global market.

Take this important step to understand the science, technology, and opportunities behind one of the key tools for achieving net zero.

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Everton de Oliveira, known as *Professor Água*, is a hydrogeologist and sustainability expert with deep experience in bridging science, policy, and business. As director of Hidroplan, he leads initiatives in Carbon Capture and Storage (CCS), supporting companies and governments in the transition to low-carbon operations. Everton has been at the forefront of creating platforms such as the CarbonLess Summit and the Pernambuco Carbon Summit, engaging decision-makers and industry leaders to accelerate Brazil's carbon market. Founder of Instituto Água Sustentável and board member of the Groundwater Project, he combines technical expertise with global outreach. Through his work, he positions CCS as a practical, scalable solution for decarbonization — and as a strategic opportunity for organizations seeking long-term climate resilience.



Andrew Duguid, Ph.D., P.E. is a Vice President at Advanced Resources International, Inc. Dr. Duguid has over 18 years of research and commercial experience in Carbon Capture, Utilization, and Storage (CCUS), CO₂-enhanced oil recovery (EOR), well integrity assessment, and risk assessment topics. Dr. Duguid has managed the development and submission of multiple Class VI permit applications in the US. Dr. Duguid has been a member of the International Organization for Standardization (ISO), Technical Committee 265, Carbon Dioxide Capture, Transport, and Geological Storage, since 2013. He earned a Ph.D. and Master's degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering and a certificate in Science, Technology, and Environmental Policy from Princeton University and Master's degrees and a Bachelor's degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering and Nuclear Engineering from the Ohio State University.



Mr. Valluri is a Project Manager at Advanced Resources International, Inc. and a petroleum engineer with eleven years of experience with carbon sequestration, EOR evaluations, and oilfield chemistry. Mr. Valluri leads and supports multiple commercial UIC Class VI (45Q) projects within the U.S. and internationally. His areas of expertise include reservoir engineering, reservoir simulations, well metallurgy analysis, economic analysis, CCS project development and management. Mr. Valluri is the primary or co-author of multiple peer-reviewed publications in reservoir engineering aspects of carbon storage and holds a patent on soy-based oilfield surfactants. Mr. Valluri holds a master's in petroleum engineering from Texas A&M University at College Station and a bachelor's in chemical engineering (with honors) from Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS), Pilani, India. Mr. Valluri is a member of the Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE). He is also a member of the International Standards Organization's technical advisory group for carbon dioxide capture, transportation, and geologic storage (ISO/TC 265 WG1027). He is also on the Energy Institute's panel for reservoir engineering for CCS projects (EI2001) and corrosion (EI2004) workgroups.



SESSION 51

SUSTAINATHON



Sustainability the road to global value

24-25 SEPTEMBER 2025

From 14:00 to 22:00 (24 September) and from 08:00 to 14:00 (25 September) CEST

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CHAT online with other like-minded practitioners from around the world – during and after the event.

HONOUR those sharing their hard won experience – even if we cannot give them a warm round of applause

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Program of 24 Sept. 2025, time in UTC, link for 1st day

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12:00		Kate Hughes	If we don't learn from mistakes in the past, we are bound to repeat them	
13:00		Elena Stefanoni	One Health and pollution: Linking pollution, human health, and environmental justice	
13:00		Bulat Yessekin	Localisation based on ecosystem approach is the key approach for SDG implementation	
14:00		Ilaria Falconi	Carbon farming and certification methodology for agriculture and forestry	
14:00		Alaa Elbably	Agriculture practices that promote environmental health, economic profitability, and social equity	
14:00		Hélène Ramaroson	From Consultation to Co-Creation: Rethinking Democracy through Citizen Assemblies in Europe	
15:00		Valerie Reynoso	The Sustainable Development Goals in The Face of Climate Change and an Increasingly Multipolar World	
15:00		James Ndiritu	Sustainability in soil degradation control and livestock fodder	
16:00		Shahida Haji	Gender-Inclusive Climate Leadership Through Smart Tech and Community Action	
16:00		Aktaruzzaman Hasan	e waste contamination in developing country by industrial symbiosis	
17:00		Marina Garat Crotto	Circular Buenos Aires: Actions for Sustainable Urban Development	
17:00		Lucila Martelli	Helping youth find their voice and make it sound	
18:00		Marilyn Balmeo	Effectiveness of Multimedia as an Instructional Material in Tertiary Education: Student Perspectives	
18:00		Randy Adams	Alkaline Desorption and Phytoremediation to Restore a Severely Hydrophobic, Hydrocarbon-Contaminated Soil in a Tropical Environment	
19:00		Akram Bagheripour	Restoring Degraded Ecosystems: Nature-Based Approaches for Contaminated Land	
19:00		Igor Carneiro	Feeding the Future with AI: Turning Surplus into Solutions for Hunger and Waste	
20:00		George W. Kajjumba	Using Lanthanides to Recover Phosphorus from Wastewater and Support Food Growth	
20:00		Venerando Gambuzza	Global health: an answer to fight social and economic injustices	
21:00		David Martinez	How Civil Society in Peru is making a impact through the NGO of Young Peruvian Leaders	
21:00		Azhan Hasan	Sustainability and Climate Change in Malaysia: Governance and Policy Integration Across National and Regional Levels	
22:00		Marilyn Balmeo	Enhancing Production of Dairy Products from Carabao's Milk for Selected Filipino Farmers	

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25 September 2025, times in UTC, link for the 2nd day, DO NOT MISS IT

https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_s4xlt0TrRVyTWS8AG0KuGA

06:00		Khouzeifi Issakha Doud-bane	From Local Innovation to Global Impact: Advancing Inclusive Industrialization in Africa	
07:00		Laura Kirwan	Healthy and sustainable diets for all: What are the key knowledge gaps?	
07:00		Thomas Jacob	Smallholder farmer sustainability through farmer innovations and farmer enterprunership.	
08:00		Daya Goburdhun	Small island, big impact Mauritius's sustainable approach to food waste reduction	
08:00		Pareena Prayukvong	From Gray to Green Circular Urban Farming: A Nature Positive Solution	
09:00		Sarah Nshoka	Partnerships that Power Progress: Lessons from Tanzania's SDG Journey	
09:00		Tiziana Cianflone Maria Siclari	Turning Knowledge into Public Value - The ISPRa Sustainability Report for Institutional Innovation	
10:00		Sher Shah Bangash	Tracking SDG 17 Progress	
10:00		Demamu Haligamo	Municipal Dumping Sites in Urban Areas of Developing Countries: Risks and Management Scenarios	
11:00		José Luis Vásquez Vegas	Challenges for Latin American governments in the management of contaminated lands	
11:00		Damian Indij	Accelerating capacity development for sustainability: the value of networks	
12:00		Paul Nathanail	Multi-disciplinary networks for achieving SDGs and avoiding unintended consequences	

Sustainathon 2025 is not just a conference – it's a **call to action**. It's where the world's boldest thinkers, innovators, and changemakers come together to design the future we all want to live in. This is not the time to sit on the sidelines. This is where **ideas ignite**, alliances are forged, and movements are born. This is your moment to step up. To learn directly from **global leaders** who are proving that collaboration can turn the Sustainable Development Goals from distant ambitions into tangible victories. Together, we will break silos, challenge assumptions, and **find solutions** that prevent harm and create lasting impact. We cannot wait for someone else to fix the future. We are the ones who must act — now.



Join a community where knowledge is not just shared but turned into action. Where **every voice matters**, and every decision shapes the future. Where hope is not just a feeling, but a strategy. "The greatest threat to our planet is the belief that someone else will save it." – Robert Swan
The planet is calling. Will you answer? **Be the spark, be the force, be the change**. Sustainathon 2025 is your chance to turn conviction into action — and action into a better world.



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