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**2° MEETING**

# CETACEANS' CONTAMINATION IN THE PELAGOS SANCTUARY



**8.45 Registration**

**9.00 Welcome greetings by**

**Giacomo Chiappori**  
Sindaco di Diano Marina

**Sonia Viale**  
Vicepresidente della Regione Liguria, Assessore  
alla Sanità, Politiche sociali e Sicurezza

**Marco Prioli**  
Direttore Generale ASL1 Imperiese (Italy)

**Angelo Ferrari**  
Direttore Generale of Istituto Zooprofilattico  
Sperimentale del Piemonte, Liguria e Valle  
d'Aosta (IZSPLV)

## Scientific session

**9.30** Chairman: **Walter Mignone** – IZSPLV, C.Re.Di.Ma (Italy)

Introduction and presentation of the project:  
Biological and toxicological contamination of  
cetaceans in the Pelagos Sanctuary:  
assessment, origin, monitoring and mitigation  
**Hélène Labach** – GIS3M (France)

**9.45** Feedback on the 1st workshop (October 4th,  
2019)  
**Léa Juret** – GIS3M (France)

**10.00** The earth is changing ... and also the sea! Stop  
(studies of toxicology and prevision) for the  
cetacean conservation  
**Letizia Marsili** – Università di Siena (Italy)

**10.20** Contamination on the Italian coastline of  
Pelagos Sanctuary and stranding events of  
cetaceans during the project.  
**Cristina Casalone** – IZS PLV, C.Re.Di.Ma. (Italy)

**10.45** Coffee break

**11.15** Biological and chemical contamination of  
cetaceans in the Pelagos Sanctuary - a review  
**Julie Jourdan** – GECEM (France)

**11.30** Stranding network in Liguria: local  
collaborations for a rapid response  
**Alessandra Pautasso** – ASL1 Imperiese (Italy)

**11.45** Sampling protocols for cetacean strandings:  
panel for microbiological, biomolecular and  
histological analyses  
**Carla Grattarola** – IZS PLV, C.Re.Di.Ma. (Italy)

**12.00 Discussion**

**12.15** Lunch break

**13.30** Results of diagnostic activities in stranded  
cetaceans from Italian coast line of Pelagos  
Sanctuary  
**Enrica Berio** – IZS PLV, C.Re.Di.Ma. (Italy)

**13.45** From Iceland to the Pelagos Sanctuary: the  
long journey of the killer whales  
**Sabina Airoidi** – Tethys Research Institute (Italy)

**14.15 Conclusions**

**14.30** Research group meeting:  
Planning of future activities and road-map for  
elaboration of mitigation strategies and  
guidelines for local authorities from the  
Pelagos Sanctuary