





EVENT SUMMARY

Event title

Community Building session: "Building the Natural Heritage Community of Practice, Networking and Synergies" - Mission's 2nd Institutional Dialogue event

Host Venue Date

International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)

Centro Oceanográfico de Málaga IEO-CSIC, Málaga, Spain

29/11/2024

Key numbers

3 h

Duration

100

Participants

13

Thematic Projects

16

Associated Partners

16

External stakeholders

Goals & Objectives

- Promote geographical networking among participants
- Boost opportunities for collaboration and transfer of projects' results
- Collective planning of events and activities

Main outcomes

- Introduction of geographic and thematic clustering concepts to promote collaboration and coherence among stakeholders / Geo-clusters exercise.
- Interactive exercise giving each thematic project within the Mission the opportunity to showcase its work at individual stands / Thematic projects (TPs) Marketplace.
- Enhancing coordination and visibility across the Mission's activities / Timeline events exercise.

Key Message

Building a strong, interconnected community of practice, capable of driving impactful, coordinated actions across the region

Remarks

All 13 Thematic Projects, as well as the majority of the external stakeholders, participated actively in the Community Building session, including Geo-clusters & Timeline events exercise and the TPs Marketplace. Many participants, in their feedback, have praised the networking opportunities offered through the above interactive activities.

Next steps

- Creation of mailing lists & threads coming from the geo-clusters
- Bilateral meetings with all TPs to pin down all actions during the Marketplace
- 3rd Institutional Dialogue event (end 2025)

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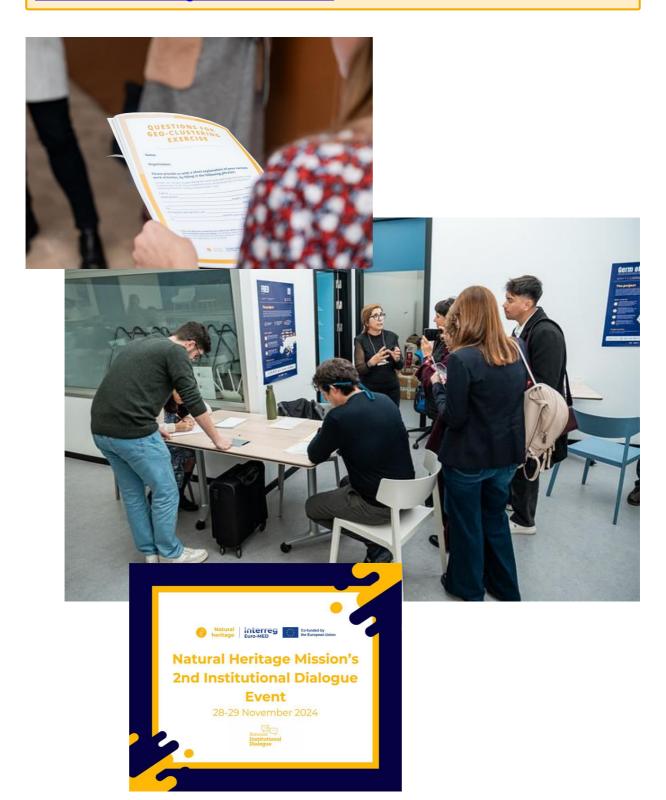




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News and photos

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Agenda

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AGENDA - November 29

'Natural Heritage Mission: Community Building and Networking'

8:30 - 9:00	Welcoming and Registration
9:00 - 9:30	Icebreaking Activity - Bingo Game
9:30 - 11:30	TRAINING - Improving the Quality of Science for Governance Mario Giampietro, European Centre for Governance in Complexity
	o Epistemological Breakdown & Complexity, Post-Normal Science and Quantitative Storytelling
11:30 – 12:00	COFFEE BREAK
12:00 - 13:30	Working Groups Meeting – Finalising the Policy Paper on Restoration
	o Overview of the document & Positioning the policy paper in the Euro-Mediterranean Area
13:30 - 14:30	LUNCH BREAK & NETWORKING
14:30 - 17:30	Building the Natural Heritage Community of Practice, Networking and Synergies
	 Clustering Activity: Introducing geographic and thematic clustering Thematic Projects Marketplace: Identifying challenges, collaboration and synergy opportunities
	Timeline of events: Updating our joint calendar of events
17:30 - 18:00	Closing Remarks







