

ONLINE CONFERENCE

"Adapting to climate change in the Mediterranean: feedback and best practices"

ADEME, the Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean and Plan Bleu invite you to take part in the conference for the closure of the 3rd Trophies award for adapting to climate change in the Mediterranean. Come and discover this year's 3 prize-winners, and the report on building on the practices for adapting to climate change in the Mediterranean carried out in 2020.

The Mediterranean basin, with its 500 million inhabitants, is an area that has been strongly impacted by climate change, as outlined in the recent report by the MedECC (Mediterranean Experts on Climate and Environmental Change).

The towns and regions of the Mediterranean basin have made use of their strengths to boost the resilience of their social, economic and environmental systems, helping them to absorb the impact of extreme weather and climatic events today and tomorrow.

The competition rewards local players for exemplary and replicable practices to adapt to climate change. This 3rd Trophies ceremony is a chance to recall the urgency of taking action and the importance of sharing experience.

The aim? To inspire, innovate and mobilise all the players involved in adapting to climate change from coastal, urban and rural populations around the Mediterranean Sea.

Come and meet the Trophies 2021 prize-winners and discuss the obstacles to overcome and the conditions for the success and deployment of these solutions on a wider scale.

Programme

11:00-11:05 Opening

11:05-11:40 **Session 1 - Awards ceremony for the Trophies for Adapting to Climate Change 2021 by ADEME, UfM and Plan Bleu**

- Awards ceremony
 - Winner in the "Resilient facilities and infrastructure" category
 - Winner in the "Preservation of ecosystems and nature-based solutions" category
 - Winner in the "Designing, implementing and monitoring public policies" category
 - Overall Winner of the 3rd competition
- Round table with the prize-winners: "The obstacles to overcome and the levers for taking action to adapt to climate change"

11:40-11:55 **Session 2 - Practical perspectives: building on practices for adapting to climate change in the Mediterranean**

- Results and key findings from the study
- Round table with the prize-winners: "Best practices for adapting to climate change in the Mediterranean"

11:55-12:00 End

When 27 July, 11:00 - 12:00 (GMT+2)
Where Online
Languages French / English / Arabic
Public Regional authorities, national agencies, public universities, NGOs, companies
Organiser ADEME

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