

## Launching the WEFE4MED Community of Practice (Med NCoP)

September 25, Larnaca, Cyprus

	Agenda Item	Activity details
9:00-9:50	<b>Welcome and High-level Opening</b>	<p><i>Prof. Stavros Malas, President of Cyl</i></p> <p><i>Mrs. Antonia Theodosiou, Environment Commissioner (TBC)</i></p> <p><i>Dr. Jann Martihnsohn, EC JRC (TBC)</i></p> <p><i>Dr. Elisabetta Balzi/Dr. Natasa Mantziari, EC RTD (TBC)</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Almotaz Abadi, UfM (TBC)</i></p> <p><i>Dr. Antonella Autino, PRIMA</i></p>
9:50-10:20	<b>WEFE4MED project Opening and Overview</b>	<p><i>Prof. Fadi Comair, Dr. Marios C Georgiou, CYI</i></p> <p><i>Dr. Antonella Autino ; Prof. Ali Rhouma (video), PRIMA</i></p>
10:20-11:00	<p><b>Coffee Break</b></p> <p><b>Group Picture</b></p> <p><b>Pillar Insights Board</b></p> <p>(Share your perspectives on the three pillars of the WEFE4MED project)</p>	
11:00-12:30	<b>WEFE4MED Pillar I: Implementation Practice Group</b>	<p><i>Moderator: Dr. Marios C Georgiou</i></p> <p>Each demo invited prepares a poster with key info based on the demo template</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Background</li> <li>• Aims and goals</li> <li>• What are the actions taken?</li> <li>• Results so far</li> </ul>
12:30-13:15	<b>WEFE4MED Pillar II: Policy Practice Group</b>	<p><i>Moderator: Prof. Fadi Comair</i></p> <p>Panel of policy makers to identify policy bottlenecks and share best practices between regions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regional: UFM representative</li> <li>• Manuel Sapiano, CEO Energy and Water Agency Malta (EU case study)</li> <li>• Prof. Fadi Comair, Southern Mediterranean Policy Expert</li> <li>• Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment (Cyprus policy expert, H.E. Costas Kadis TBD)</li> </ul>

13:15-14:15	<b>Lunch</b>	
14:15-15:00	<b>WEFE4MED Pillar III:</b> Finance Practice Group	<i>Convener: Charles Kleinermann</i> 3 demos presenting their business models <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rafael Casielles Restoy, BONEX</li> <li>• Mr. Constantinos Noutsopoulos SureNexus</li> <li>• Mr. Ramy, Berytech</li> </ul>
15:00-16:00	<b>Refining NCoP Services</b>	<i>Moderator: Mr. Laurent-Charles Tremblay Levesque</i> World Café on NCoP Services: Members are invited to join a table where a consortium partner representative responsible for one of the NCoP services will be explaining what are their ideas regarding the design and delivery of their respective activities and get feedback from community members. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Table 1: Online WEFE Knowledge Hub and Demonstrators (GWP &amp; CAWTAR)</li> <li>• Table 2: Annual NCoPs Meetings (CYI &amp; EWA)</li> <li>• Table 3: Twining and Exchange Programme: (Berytech)</li> <li>• Table 4: Monitoring programme (ICARDA)</li> <li>• Table 5: Dissemination and webinars (AWC)</li> <li>• Table 6: Advocacy campaign (EWA)</li> </ul>
16:00-16:20	<b>Connecting with Other Projects – OnePlanet, MENBO</b>	
16:20-17:00	<b>Sustainability and Designing next steps</b>	<i>Dr. Anthi Brouma, Prof. Fadi Comair, Dr. Antonella Autino</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation of the “Pillar Insights Board” results</li> <li>• Reflecting on the WEFE4MED Project’s vision, strategic planning insights from surveys and workshops, detailed and recommendations for each identified priority area</li> </ul>
17:00-17:15	<b>Signing Ceremony and Official Launching</b> <b>Group Picture</b>	
17:15-17:30	<b>Closing Remarks - Prof. Angelo Riccaboni, Chair of PRIMA</b>	
18:00-19:30	<b>Networking Event (transport by bus to Radisson Beach Resort, Larnaca)</b>	