



DANUBE BLACK SEA LIGHTHOUSE COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE

Session#2 | Expert Presentations and Discussions

Official Welcoming of the DaWetRest Associated Regions

Expert Sessions with the DaWetRest Associated Regions



Recap of the Second Session

In this session, the recently selected DaWetRest Associated Regions presented their projects and their regions. They provided the audience with information on their rivers, wetlands and coasts. On the Danube Lighthouse Community of Practice Mural board, members had the opportunity to share their challenges and bottlenecks, as well as the expertise required to address them

Main Takeaway

A common challenge to wetland restoration across regions are financial constraints. Future sessions will address this challenge and try to come up with solutions.

Insights from the Session:

DaWetRest Associated Regions and their Challenges

Andalusia, Spain - Maria Soledad Vivas Navarro

Challenges for this region are coastal dynamics and hydrological alteration, pollution as well as marine litter.

Srbac, Republic of Srpska, Bosnia and Herzegovina - Dragana Šnjegota

This region faces challenges such as climate change, agricultural expansion and changes in land use and land ownership.

Municipality of Poti, Georgia - Tamar Sardalishvili

One technical challenge the region faces is designing and implementing advanced technologies like floating barriers and monitoring systems.

Municipality of Samandağ, Turkey - Seren Doğru

Two challenges the region is facing are Post-Earthquake Recovery and Invasive Species Regrowth.

Municipality of Danilovgrad, Montenegro - Glorija Šćepanović

A challenge of this region is biodiversity loss.

Municipality of Modriča, Bosnia and Herzegovina - Nataša Mazalica

Key challenges of the region are agricultural expansion as well as poor landscape planning and low environmental awareness.