DANUBE MACROREGION: CAPACITY BUILDING AND EXCELLENCE IN RIVER SYSTEMS
(BASIN, DELTA AND SEA)
DANCERS, GA No. 603805

Draft Agenda
Workshop 2.4. *Dialogue Conference*

8 / 9 September 2014

Venue: **HOTEL NOVOTEL**	**Bucharest**
Monday 8 September 2014	FP7 DANCERS

09.00 – 9.30 **Registration of participants**

09.30 – 9.45 **Welcome addresses**
Dr. Gheorghe Oaie, General Director of GeoEcoMar
Adrian Stănică – project coordinator (RO), Jeanne Gherardi (Task coordinator)
Introduction of participants
Tour de table

09.45–10.05 **Water research in Horizon 2020; New Initiatives planned under Society Challenge 5 for Nature-based solutions.** Christos Fragakis, European Commission, DG Research and Innovation

10.05–10.15 **New research and innovation opportunities in the Danube Region**
Viorel Vulturescu, Counselor, International Cooperation and European Integration – Ministry of National Education – Activity of Research

10.15-11.15 **Structural Funds in support of Science and Technology (presentation and discussion)**
Project DREAM - Angelika Riegler / Thomas Hein – BOKU / WCL
Project DANUBIUS-RI – Gabriela Bica –Ministry of National Education – Activity of Research

11.15–11.30 **Introduction to the workshop. Methods and programme**
Jeanne Gherardi – Task Coordinator

11.30-11.45 **Cofee Break**

11.45 -13.00 **FP 7 DANCERS Project : what has been done so far ?**

11.45-11.50 Adrian Stănică – project coordinator (RO) . Overall presentation of DANCERS
11.50-12.10 Thomas Hein – presentation of the Metadatabase, and analysis of the results

12.10-12.25 Panagiotis Michalopoulos – outcome from workshop #1 with science community
12.25-12.40 Adrian Stănică – outcome from workshop # 2 with business community
12.40-13.00 Felix Gajdusek – outcome from workshop # 3 with stakeholders

13.00 – 14.30 Working lunch

14:30 – 18:00 Round tables : discussion in 3 small groups

14.30 – 16.15 **Science and Innovation agenda in the Danube – Black Sea Region :**
- Critical analysis of the results (Metadatabase and survey)
- Identification of strong and weak points in science and connectivity between actors
- synergies across existing knowledge areas
- What are the need for the future ?

15.45 – 16.15 Presentation by the subgroup coordinators of the outcomes from the discussion and synthesis

16.15 – 16.30 **Coffee Break**

16.30-18.00 Medium and long term needs on human resources in the Danube – Black Sea Region : (continuation)
- Critical analysis of the results (Metadatabase and survey)
- White spots and bottle necks in knowledge transfer
- What is foreseen in the future in terms of needs in education and environment in the region

17:30-18:00 Presentation by the subgroup coordinators of the outcomes from the discussion and synthesis

19.00 – 21.30 **Working dinner** (Restaurant "La Mama – Universitate", Bd. Regina Elisabeta 11-13)

Tuesday 9 september 2014	FP 7 DANCERS

09.00 - 09.10 **Welcome and agenda of the day**
Adrian Stănică, GeoEcoMar

09.10 – 10.20

Research Infrastructure in the field of water management and research in the Danube – Black Sea Region
- Identification of strong points in science and connectivity between actors
- synergies across existing knowledge areas
- Needs for the future

10:20-10:40 Presentation by the subgroup coordinators of the outcomes from the discussion and synthesis

10.40 – 11.00 Coffee break

11.00 - 13.00 **Conclusions of the Workshop : outcomes of the group discussion by group leader**
- establishment of the "knowledge matrix"
All partners

13.00 – 15.00 **Joint lunch**