

CIRCLE-2 Annual Progress Meeting Day 2 WP DESIGN Workshop



CIRCLE-2 1st Annual Progress Meeting and DESIGN Workshop
Date: 22 June, 2011
Venue: Università di Bologna – Lecture Hall “Giorgio Prodi”, Bologna, Italy

❖ **Overview of CIRCLE.2 (year 1; WPs; r. agenda)**

❖ **Adaptation Research Context**

❖ **Adaptation Policy Context**

❖ **Other Initiatives**

❖ Complex field/challenge = long day!

❖ But the reward...

Nice Bologna atmosphere, temperature and Italian food!

Grazie Mille Sara and Sergio!!!

❖ Started with C2

❖ Who we are!

❖ What are we doing!

❖ When are we doing it!

❖ Climate Adaptation Science-policy landscape

❖ What surrounds C2!

❖ Adaptation in Europe

❖ Strategies, policies, CH, knowledge base,
projects, activities, initiatives

❖ Back to C2

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- ❖ Why an agenda?
- ❖ How to use the agenda to...

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Yesterday someone was asking...

What exactly do you mean by FUND(ing)?

- ❖ CIRCLE-2 **Joint Initiatives** Portfolio!
- ❖ Joint calls (e.g. day 1 - MED and MOUNT)
- ❖ Networks
- ❖ Researcher's support actions (research schools; summer schools)
- ❖ Others...

- ❖ **Trans-national,**
- ❖ **Concrete,**
- ❖ **Practical,**
- ❖ **Excellence focused,**
- ❖ **Research-oriented **activities!!****

Today's agenda:

- ❖ A WP DESIGN workshop
- ❖ Development of the Climate Adaptation Research Agenda (CARA) as basis for...
- ❖ **CIRCLE-2 Joint Initiatives**

Rationale for parallel sessions - **morning**

❖ Activities (year1) mentioned in Day 1:

❖ **UNCERTAINTIES - Network**

❖ **COASTWATER - Joint CALL**

❖ **Climate Data User Needs - ??**

Rationale for parallel sessions - **afternoon**

- ❖ Agenda topics (year1):
 - ❖ **Responses to Extreme Water-related Events - Scoping WS; Joint CALL?**
 - ❖ **Forest (fires) under Climate Change - Scoping WS; Joint CALL?**
 - ❖ **Adaptation in Practice - Scoping WS; Network/Workshop series?**

Thank you

Have a good day!

- ❖ **CIRCLE-2 Workshop “Dealing with uncertainties in Climate Change Impacts, Vulnerability and Adaptation research” , 11-12 November 2010, Sweden;**
- ❖ This CIRCLE-2 workshop was hosted by Swedish SMHI in collaboration with the Dutch Knowledge for Climate Programme;
- ❖ Objectives: Identification of research needs and opportunities for joint research, and sharing of knowledge on: dealing with and communicating climate change uncertainties in support of climate change adaptation policy development;
- ❖ **CIRCLE-2 Parallel session A: UNCERTAINTIES**
 - ❖ **Objectives:** Present CIRCLE-2 Joint Initiative on Climate Uncertainties; discuss and get expert approval to the scientific content and assess policy relevance; discuss potential financial support in addition to Portugal (FCG/FFCUL) and the Netherlands (KvK);
 - ❖ **Moderation:** Portugal.

- ❖ **CIRCLE-2 session at the International Conference “Deltas in Times of Climate Change” - Rotterdam, the Netherlands, 29 September to 1 October 2010;**
- ❖ This International Conference was organised by CIRCLE-2's Dutch partner Knowledge for Climate programme;
- ❖ CIRCLE-2 convened a two-part session under the theme “Deltas in Practice - opportunities for research and policy collaboration”;
- ❖ Aim was to exchange up-to-date top science on climate change and Delta planning and to strengthen international cooperation by building networks and strengthening the links between science, policy and practitioners.

- ❖ **CIRCLE-2 Parallel session B: EURO-DELTA/COASTWATER**
 - ❖ **Objectives:** Discuss and further elaborate the draft of a CIRCLE-2 joint call text; Assess funding commitments and interested countries;

 - ❖ **Moderation:** France.

- ❖ **Workshop on “Bridging Climate Research Data and the Needs of the Impact Community”, 11-12 January 2011, Copenhagen;**
- ❖ Co-organised by IS-ENES, CIRCLE-2 and the EEA;
- ❖ The workshop’s main objective was to clarify the climate data needs of the user community in the area of climate change impacts, vulnerability and adaptation (IVA) in support of future climate modeling analysis in Europe;
- ❖ The workshop brought together 38 climate modelers and impact researchers using climate data. Involvement of policy makers, practitioners and other end users of climate information is planned for a next stage;
- ❖ The workshop addressed data needs in various sectors, notably water management, ecosystems and agriculture, coastal management, and urban development.

- ❖ **CIRCLE-2 Parallel session C: Climate Data User Needs**
 - ❖ **Objectives:** Understand scope of potential activities on CSC and “data user needs” in connection with the CIRCLE-2/IS-ENES and CIRCLE-2/ JPI Climate M2 activities; discuss the potential use of the CIRCLE-2 InfoBase in support of such activities;

 - ❖ **Moderation:** Germany.

❖ **Parallel Session D: Responses to extreme water events**

- ❖ **Background information:** Workshop on "Extreme water related events" in 2012;
- ❖ **Objectives:** Prepare and further elaborate CIRCLE-2 workshop on the topic; scope the interest of countries to support a potential joint initiative;
- ❖ **Moderation:** Spain

❖ **Parallel Session E: Forest fires under climate change**

- ❖ **Background information:** Workshop on “Forest fires under climate change”;
- ❖ **Objectives:** Prepare and further elaborate CIRCLE-2 workshop on the topic; scope the interest of countries to support a potential joint initiative;
- ❖ **Moderation:** Israel.

❖ **Parallel Session F: Adaptation in practice – strategies and measures**

- ❖ **Background information:** Workshop - "From National Adaptation Strategies to concrete adaptation actions" on October 20-21, 2011 in Vienna.
- ❖ **Objectives:** Prepare and further elaborate CIRCLE-2 workshop on the topic; scope the interest of countries to support a potential joint initiative;
- ❖ **Moderation:** Austria.