



PANORAMED on Global Governance: PANORAMED DIALOGUES

PANORAMED Closure Event

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Panoramed Dialogues objectives

......to provide on the 23rd of November an **important forum for inclusive dialogue** to address **governance issues** affecting the **MED area** and to debate:

- the present and future of governance: Link the missions approved for the 2021-27 MED programme with the PANORAMED work and themes
- the role and possible contribution of territorial cooperation in view of the Mediterranean governance







Panoramed Dialogues process

April 2021: Formulation of the experts list proposed by the projects partners, associated 1st Step partners, HP Beginning of July 2021: On line Introductory meeting for the invited experts to facilitate their 2nd Step participation in the event and explain both the objectives of the event and our expectations regarding the questionnaires Mid of July 2021: Sending of the 4 3rd Step Questionnaires –one per break-out session- to **End of September 2021:** Experts' replies the invited experts 4th Step Mid of October 2021: Finalisation of the 4 Issues Notes (One Issues Note per break-out session) 5th Step Beginning of November 2021: On line Preparatory meetings (one per break-out session) to clarify the structure of the discussion to moderators and experts 23rd of October: On line main event: Opening plenary / 4 discussion groups of experts (break-out 6th Step sessions)/ Closing plenary with informal conclusions per break-out session 7th Step January 2022: Dissemination of the main conclusions of the event via a Policy Brief (A) CHECKEN





Panoramed Dialogues interaction

Core group of experts

- 79 experts mainly from Med countries, replied to the questionnaires covering all themes of interest
- **36 experts** actively engaged in the break-out sessions coming from EU, IPA and non EU (Jordan) countries
- Reacting, through a productive critical feedback, on the Panoramed's Key Policy Papers allowing us to enrich the discussions groups with "outside" the project ideas/views

Over 100 participants attended the event on the 23rd
November coming from central, sectoral or regional bodies
(ministries, agencies), EU and international organisations, research institutions, private sector





Panoramed Dialogues outcome

Open discussions resulting in significant **conclusions/priorities**, were conducted in all 4 sessions:

- Innovative approaches to a reasonable use of resources
- Maritime awareness, protection and information sharing
- Sustainable coastal and maritime tourism
- Improving Multilevel Governance in the Mediterranean in Support of Sustainable Development, as an horizontal session

A **Policy Brief** (post event output) reflected the main conclusions of the sessions (Policy-Brief_PANORAMED_Dialogues_Final.pdf)







Panoramed Dialogues feedback (1/4)

- Innovative approaches to a reasonable use of resources
 - ✓ Need of macro-regional institutional platforms and Knowledge and Data Centers for efficient and effective transboundary marine spatial planning
 - ✓ Change in production and consumption, behavioral patterns and living to mainstream conceptions of economic growth is required to move towards a reasonable use of resources
 - ✓ **Clusters** are a fundamental tool to support the collaboration between research and business, thus enabling the knowledge transfer to the business world
 - ✓ It is vital to find ways to **engage local actors** in technological and social experimentation to address social needs







Panoramed Dialogues feedback (2/4)

Maritime awareness, protection and information sharing

- A **strategic policy framework** is needed to secure a sustainable future for the Mediterranean region, providing and allowing adaptation to regional conditions, guiding national strategies and stimulating regional cooperation.
- ✓ Cross sector & cross-border information sharing by networking between EU countries and non-EU countries is essential, universities are a key player to mitigate differences between EU countries and non-EU countries in the up-to-date training and raising skills.
- ✓ **Digital transformation** is one of the key factors for a better sharing and management of information and data. There is a need for a multilevel approach involving public institutions, private bodies, universities, local authorities and citizens.
- ✓ Involvement of all stakeholders (civil society, academia) to better take into account environmental and conservation topics in the Integrated Maritime Policy.





Panoramed Dialogues feedback (3/4)

Sustainable coastal and maritime tourism

- ✓ A **sustainable tourism political will** approach will be more helpful than market oriented short-term technical strategies.
- ✓ Residents have to be the center of sustainable tourism development; their lives have to improve thanks to living in a destination that attracts tourism.
- ✓ It is important to recognize that the **tourism environment is changing** and to react timely by introducing appropriate policy initiatives and efforts to reshape its competitiveness and to improve the sustainability of the coastal and maritime tourism, to enhance the resilience and promote the recovery of the sector in responding to the new market trends.
- ✓ It is important to develop tourism joint activities and agree on joint development objectives of national tourism policies and strategies, as they could really lead Med coastal and maritime tourism towards its unique and sustainable vision.





Panoramed Dialogues feedback (4/4)

- Improving Multilevel Governance in the Mediterranean in Support of Sustainable Development
 - ✓ Reinforcement of synergies and higher cooperation between Interreg programmes in the Mediterranean, from the programming process to their implementation.
 - ✓ Exchange of information and data, creating common channels of discussion and favoring greater involvement/ empowerment of regional and local actors through capacity building.
 - ✓ The integrated approach and multi-level governance are keys to ensure real impacts of public funds and outputs (such as Interreg MED's) on territories.
 - ✓ Actions directly aimed at improving cross-country, multilevel and multi stakeholder dialogue, coordination and decision-making in the Mediterranean region are of key importance in support of sustainable development.





Panoramed Dialogues contribution

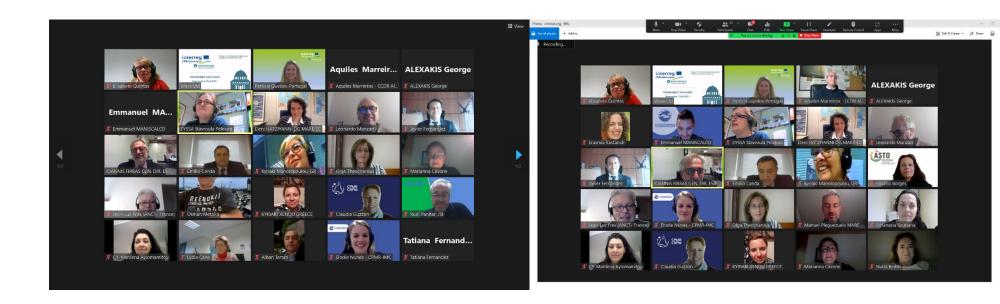
Panoramed Dialogues made a step towards better policies in the region as in a sensitive area of multiple actors/policies/initiatives and issues to address, the event identified priorities and fed the thematic and horizontal governance priorities of the future Interreg Euro-Med as well as other programmes, initiatives and influence stakeholders or decision makers active in the Mediterranean area





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Thank you for your attention

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