

TRITON PROJECT

Informal dinner

Date: 20.04.2026

Time: 20:00 – 21:00

Informal dinner for those participants arriving on 20th April in Murcia. Dinner starts at 20:30 PM – SAONA Murcia: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/9JMJZopVA7isoJhT79>

-This dinner is optional; each participant will cover their own costs.-

Thematic Seminars & Networking

Date: 21.04.2026

Time: 09:30- 19:00

Venue: San Cristobal, 6, 30001, Murcia

09:30 – 09:45	Registration of participants
09:45 – 10:00	Institutional Greetings María Cruz Ferreira Costa <i>Regional Secretary for Energy, Sustainability and Climate Action</i>
10:00 -10:15	Brief introduction of participants
10:15 – 11:15	Seminar 1: Natural and Cultural Values of Murcia's Marine Protected Areas -Sensitive species and ecosystems and potential impacts of human activities. 1.1 Cultural values <i>Speaker: Víctor Roberto Serrano Conesa - General Director Mar Menor (CARM)</i> 1.2 Protection designations and environmental context <i>Speaker: Rocío Huertas - Coordinator of the management team of the MPA of the Region of Murcia (CARM)</i> 1.3 Marine flora and fauna <i>Speaker: Emilio Cortes - Specialist at the Aquarium of the University of Murcia (UMU).</i>

11:15 – 11:45	Coffee break - Bombon Boss https://maps.app.goo.gl/BDHfnrkFotUSZGmg6
11:45 – 13:30	Seminar 2: Structures and Tools for the Compatibility of Uses and Activities - Maintaining a favorable conservation status of protected values and promoting responsible conduct in marine protected areas. 2.1 Regulatory framework, management plans and administrative structure <i>Speaker: : Rocío Huertas - Coordinator of the management team of the MPA of the Region of Murcia (CARM)</i> 2.2 Species management: Case study on <i>Pinna nobilis</i> <i>Speaker: Rocío Huertas - Coordinator of the management team of the MPA of the Region of Murcia (CARM)</i> 2.3 Management of protected areas: compatibility of public use in islands, coastal areas and Mar Menor. <i>Speaker: Sergio López - Biologist in the management team of the Marine Protected Areas of the Region of Murcia (CARM).</i> 2.4 Managing <i>Posidonia oceanica</i> Meadows & MedPosidoniaNetwork <i>Speaker: Marcial Andrés Bardolet - Head of the Posidonia Surveillance Service, Balearic Institute of Nature (IBANAT).</i>
13:30 – 15:00	Lunch – Monumental Restaurante https://maps.app.goo.gl/rzXpFFEUPDFuE3PG8
15:00 – 16:45	Project Steering Committee Meeting (Partners only) - <i>Agenda provided separately</i> -
17:00 – 19:00	Visit to the Aquarium of the University of Murcia <i>Speaker: Emilio Cortes - Specialist at the Aquarium of the University of Murcia (UMU)</i> https://maps.app.goo.gl/nh7abi3r65WsZ3MP7
20:30 – 21:30	Social Dinner - El Salon del Togo https://maps.app.goo.gl/rDZnChNoJ99RektG8

Study Tour

Date: 22.04.2026

Time: 09:00 – 19:00

Marine Protected Areas of the Region of Murcia

8:15 – 09:30	Transfer from Murcia to Cabo de Palos Meeting point: Glorieta de España 30004 Murcia https://maps.app.goo.gl/WWpHDpHXCyDG6ba57
09:30 – 10:15	Study tour to the Cabo de Palos–Islas Hormigas Marine Reserve <i>Speaker: José Antonio García Charton - Professor of Ecology, Department of Ecology and Hydrology, University of Murcia (UMU).</i>
10:15 – 10:45	Transfer from Cabo de Palos to Tomas Maestre Marina
10:45-11:00	Institutional Welcome Juan María Vázquez Rojas <i>Regional Minister for Environment, Universities, Research and the Mar Menor</i>
11:00 – 12:00	Study tour to Isla Grosa and El Farallón. (Boat trip) <i>Speaker: Sergio López- Biologist in the management team of the Marine Protected Areas of the Region of Murcia (CARM).</i>
12:00 – 13:30	Cultural values <i>Speaker: Caridad de Santiago & Manuel García Alcaraz - Association for the Protection of Cabo de Palos (PROCABO)</i>
13:30 – 15:00	Lunch - Casa Paco https://maps.app.goo.gl/QLX9L6v5mXCfnNtz5
15:00 – 18:00	Study tour to MPA Mar Menor (Boat trip) <i>Speakers:</i> <i>Rocío Huertas - Coordinator of the management team of the MPA of the Region of Murcia (CARM)</i> <i>Caridad de Santiago & Manuel García Alcaraz- Association for the Protection of Cabo de Palos (PROCABO)</i> <i>Clara Molina - Project Manager for the Biomass Removal Project in the Mar Menor. ORTHEM S.A.U.</i> <i>Juan Diego López Giraldo - Hippocampus Association</i>

18:00 – 19:00	Transfer from Mar Menor to Murcia
20:30 – 22:00	Social Dinner - El Salon del Togo https://maps.app.goo.gl/rDZnChNoJ99RektG8

Workshop “Exchange of good practices and networking with other European initiatives”

Date: 23.04.2026

Time: 09:30 - 13:30

Venue: San Cristobal, 6, 30001, Murcia

Online participation available:

<https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/370797162577307?p=jU9q2mApt7h5gQIASz>

09:30 – 09:45	Registration of participants
9:45 – 11:00	Presentation of the Interreg Europe BIOWIND project. <i>Speaker: Bárbara Selma - Project Officer CARM – BIOWIND Project</i> Social acceptance of wind projects. <i>Speaker: Linus Vanhellemont - Province of Flemish Brabant (Belgium) – TRITON Project Partner</i> Taking biodiversity aspects into account in the decommissioning of offshore marine wind farms. <i>Speaker: Bárbara Selma - Project Officer CARM – BIOWIND Project</i>
11:00 – 11:15	Peer Review: Target policy instrument of the Region of Murcia (ERDF 2021–2027): planned improvements <i>Speaker: Bárbara Selma - Project Officer CARM – TRITON Project</i>
11:15 – 11:30	Coffee break - Bombon Boss https://maps.app.goo.gl/BDHfnrkFotUSZGmg6
11:30 – 12:15	Presentation of the good practice case: “Territorio Tortuga” <i>Speaker: Rocío Huertas - Coordinator of the management team of the MPA of the Region of Murcia (CARM)</i>
12:15 – 13:00	Presentation of the good practice case: “Guitar protect” <i>Speaker: María Pozo - Researcher at the University of Murcia (UMU), Project Lead of GUITAR-PROTECT / GUITAR-HERO</i>
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch - Monumental Restaurante https://maps.app.goo.gl/rzXpFFEUPDFuE3PG8