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## TWO SHORES, ONE BLUE FUTURE

“Circular Aquaculture across and  
beyond the Mediterranean”



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Tangier,  
Morocco

8 - 9  
July 2026





# AZA4ICE TRANSNATIONAL EVENT

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### “Circular Aquaculture across and beyond the Mediterranean”

July 08th, 2026, 9:00 - 18:00

KENZI SOLAZUR Hotel - Avenue Mohamed VI - Tangier - Morocco

#### DRAFT AGENDA

9:15 - 10:00

#### WELCOME COFFEE & REGISTRATION

10:00 - 10:10

#### Welcome addresses

- **Konstantina Marousi** and **Thanasis Koukounaris** - University of Patras (AZA4ICE Lead Partner)
- **Sophie Scarvelis** - Head of Project Unit - Interreg Euro-MED Programme

10:10 - 10:40

#### Official opening

- **Ilham M’Nouny** - Director of Strategy and Cooperation - State Secretariat for Fisheries - Morocco
- **Alkistis-Chrysanthi Parpoura** - General Director - Directorate of Fisheries at the Greek Ministry of Rural Development and Food

10:40 - 11:00

#### Keynote speech - Overview of aquaculture in Morocco

- **Majida Maarouf** - ANDA National Agency for the Development of Aquaculture

11:00 - 11:20

#### The Challenges of Aquaculture in Morocco

- **Housni Chadli** - AMA Moroccan Aquaculture Association

11:20 - 11:40

#### COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING

11:40 - 12:05

#### Bridging North and South in Aquaculture

- **Houssam Hamza** - GFCM General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean

12:05 - 12:30

#### Spatial Planning for Aquaculture Development in the Northern Mediterranean

- **Daniele Brigolin** - University of Venice

12:30 - 13:15

#### Deep dive into the AZA4ICE Project

- **Konstantina Marousi / Thanasis Koukounaris** - University of Patras
- **Erika Porporato / Veronica Santinelli** - IMC International Marine Centre Foundation
- **Manuel Manchado** - IFAPA Andalusian Institute of Agricultural & Fisheries



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13:20 - 14:50 **NETWORKING LUNCH**

14:50 - 15:10 **Collaborating for a Sustainable Mediterranean:  
The PRIMA Funding Landscape**

- Dr Octavi Quintana - PRIMA Director

15:10 - 16:00 **Round Table - Showcasing Morocco's sustainable  
Aquaculture Initiatives and Euro-Mediterranean  
Partnerships**

**Moderator : Manuel Manchado** - IFAPA Andalusian Institute of  
Agricultural & Fisheries

- **Nabil Anwari** - State Secretariat for Maritime Fisheries
- **Amine Mansouri** - Head of the Studies Department, ANDA National  
Agency for the Development of Aquaculture
- **Yolanda Morales** - Cluster Manager, Cluster ACUIPLUS
- **Representative** - INRH - **TBC**

16:00 - 17:05 **Round Table - Unlocking Future Synergies Between  
the Northern & Southern Mediterranean Shores**

**Moderator : Clemence Le Corff** - Pole Mer Méditerranée

- **David Bassett** - General Secretary  
EATIP - European Aquaculture Technology & Innovation Platform
- **Timothée Ourbak** - Head of the Natural Resources Division  
AFD - French Development Agency
- **Houssam Hamza** - GFCM General Fisheries Commission for the  
Mediterranean
- **Alkistis-Chrysanthi Parpoura** - General Director - Directorate of Fisheries  
at the Greek Ministry of Rural Development and Food
- **Elke Westenberger**, Coordinator & **Hassan Agouzoul**, Representative -  
WestMED Initiative Morocco Hub

17:05 - 17:10 **Closing Remarks**

- **Clemence Le Corff** - Pole Mer Méditerranée

17:10 - 17:50 **COFFEE TIME & NETWORKING**

17:50 **FREE TIME**





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## DRAFT AGENDA

09:15 - 09:30

### Meeting Point at the Kenzi Solazur Hotel

Avenue Mohamed VI - Tangier - Morocco

09:30 - 09:50

### DEPARTURE FROM TANGIER

Transfer by bus to the study visit

10:00 - 12:00

### Visit of the INRH Aquatic Animal Pathology Centre of Excellence, Tangier

12:00 - 12:20

### DEPARTURE FOR TANGIER

Transfer by bus

12:30 - 14:00

### LUNCH BREAK & NETWORKING

14:00 - 14:30

### TRANSFER BY BUS

Transfer by bus to the Kenzi Solazur Hotel

14:30

### FREE TIME

