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CNRS-L has the pleasure to invite you to the:*

PROJECT CAPITALIZATION WORKSHOPS of the GREAT Med project

**On Tuesday 22nd of September 2015 starting
9:00 am at The Smallville Hotel, Beirut, Lebanon**

The **Great Med project** (www.greatmed.eu) deals with the crucial issues of biodiversity conservation, management and monitoring on Mediterranean coasts, and focuses in particular on the design and implementation of an integrated strategy based on ecological indicators and risk analysis.

The **Project Capitalization workshop** aims at opening up debate on future ways of ensuring project impact and sustainability and drawing precious lessons from other on-going and implemented projects dealing with Integrated Coastal Zone Management.

Please confirm your participation before **Tuesday 15th of September 2015**
By e-mail: workshop@cnrs.edu.lb or phone: **04 409 845/6**



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INTRODUCTORY SESSION

Presenting GREAT Med activities and partners

9:00 – 9:30	REGISTRATION
9:30 – 9:50	GREAT Med project and CNRS scope – Dr. Carla KHATER, CNRS-L

FIRST WORKSHOP: GREAT MED IN LEBANON, A RAPID UPDATE

Capitalization activities on coastal sustainability in Lebanon

9:50 – 10:10	The ICZM Protocol around the Mediterranean Basin: A Summary of Progress Dr. Manal NADER
10:10 – 10:30	Pollution assessment in the Mediterranean – Dr. Mutassem EL-FADEL and Dr. Ibrahim ALAMEDDINE, AUB
10:30 – 10:50	Plant Biodiversity assessment in Byblos and Beirut coasts – Dr. Magda BOU DAGHER KHARRAT
10:50 – 11:10	Questions and openings

11:10 – 11:45 **Break**

SECOND WORKSHOP: CROSS FERTILIZATION ACTIVITIES

Linking coastal research in Lebanon to GREAT Med vision

11:45 – 12:00	The INCAM project : Improving National Assessment and Monitoring Capacities for Integrated Environmental and Ecosystem management – Dr. Elise NJEIM, CNRS-L
12:00 – 12:15	Observatoire Libano-Français de l'environnement O-LiFE : an initiative towards a shared research platform across the Mediterranean – Dr. Carla KHATER, CNRS-L
12:15 – 12:30	Coastal Zone Management CZM in Lebanon case studies – Dr. Manal NADER, University of Balamand Institute of Environment
12:30 – 12:45	The Marine Protected Areas Strategy – Ministry of Environment
12:45 – 13:00	Wrap up: Final conclusions, way forward and announcing the final conference

