

iNet Cork Scoping Seminar

Scoping Seminar of iNET Cork will be held in Sardegna, Italy on July 11-12, 2018

Cork is synonymous of many things: incredible raw material, bioeconomy, circular economy, rural economy, agroforestry, ecosystem services, etc. Despite all the success factors there are also many threats and challenges that must be tackled.

The *iNet Cork Scoping Seminar* is an opportunity for cork sector stakeholders to join and participate in the design of the *iNet Cork*, which will be consolidated through collaborative work over the next three years and beyond.

This is an international meeting that will gather the main members of the cork sector coming from Italy, France, Spain, Portugal and other Mediterranean countries.

During the working sessions of the *iNet Cork Scoping Seminar*, the innovation needs of the sector will be discussed among the stakeholder's present at the event, in order to establish the roadmap for cork under the INCREDIBLE project.

The *iNet Cork Scoping Seminar* will be held in the city of Olbia in Sardegna (Italy) at Grand Hotel President (11, for the meeting) and in Bono (12, for the field trip).

Local focal point and co-organiser is the project partner FoReSTAS (Agenzia forestale regionale per lo sviluppo del territorio e l'ambiente della Sardegna).

The *iNet Cork Scoping Seminar* is organized under **INCREDIBLE**, an Innovation Network open to all those involved or interested in creating economic, social and environmental value through improved production, collection, processing, marketing of Mediterranean Non-Wood Forest Products (NWFPs). INCREDIBLE is funded by the EU Commission H2020 framework programme for the period November 2017 to October 2020.

Find out more about the event in the attached documents.

REGISTRATION

Registration to the event is free of charge, but it is necessary to send an e-mail to geral@unac.pt with the name, institution, e-mail and contacts.

OBJECTIVES

- To inform the participants on the INCREDIBLE project and its objectives;
- To present, discuss and validate the iNET Cork specific materials (value chains maps, main challenges, themes, etc.);
- To discuss the selected iNET themes and how the INCREDIBLE networks can play a role at addressing them;
- To draw a roadmap for the iNET Cork.



LANGUAGE / INTERPRETERS

Official language is English, but simultaneous translation Italian-English will be available.

Tentative Schedule July 11/12, 2018

TIME	11 July OLBIA Grand Hotel President
09:30-09:50	WELCOME AND INTRODUCTORY SESSION
09:50-10:10	THE INCREDIBLE PROJECT
10:10-10:45	MAPPING STAKEHOLDER EXPECTATIONS
10:45-11:15	Coffee Break
11:15-11:30	CASE STUDY TO BE CONFIRMED
11:30-12:45	THE INET - INNOVATION NETWORKS FOR CORK
12:45-14:00	Lunch Break
14:00-15:30	SCOPING THE iNET
15:30-16:00	Coffee Break
16:00-17:00	PLENARY REVIEW & DISCUSSION
17:00-17:30	PLENARY REVIEWS OF OUTCOMES OF GROUP WORK
17:30-17:45	NEXT STEPS
17:45-18:00	CONCLUSIONS & EVALUATION
18:30-19:50	Transfer to Hotel Le Tre Rose in Bono
20:30	Dinner and second night in Bono at Hotel le Tre Rose

TIME	12 July BONO Hotel le Tre Rose
09:00	Field trip in Foresta Demaniale Fiorentini
12:30	Lunch in the forest station of Fiorentini
14:00	Visit to a silvopastoral farm in the afternoon on the way to Olbia
16:30	Departure to OLBIA
17H30	Arrival at OLBIA

Logistics

INCREDIBLE iNet CORK SCOPING SEMINAR IN SARDINIA

The **INCREDIBLE iNet CORK** scoping seminar on the first day (July 11) will take place in the town of Olbia, capital of the historical region of [Gallura](#), known as the Italian Cork District.

The field visits on the second day (July 12) will be carried out in the historical region of [Goceano](#), in the heart of the island, close to the town of Bono (Province of Sassari) in the Foresta Demaniale di Fiorentini, managed by the Agency Forestas.



TRAVEL INFORMATION – getting to Sardinia

The best option is to arrive at the airport of Olbia Costa Smeralda.

The airport is well connected to the airports of Rome and Milan, but also Barcelona, Madrid, Nice, Toulouse, etc. Direct flights arriving from Lisbon are only provided on Sundays.

The airport of Alghero is also available at a driving distance of about 1h:30' (130 km) from Olbia.

The airport of Cagliari is at a driving distance of about 3h (260 km).

You can also arrive by FERRY at the harbours of Olbia Golfo Aranci, Porto Torres and Cagliari. Also visit this website for more info about ferries.

Public transportation (trains and buses) connects Porto Torres and Cagliari city centres to Olbia.

Cars can be rented at the airport of Olbia at this website or through any car rental service, for example at www.rentalcars.com.



Depending on time of arrival the agency Forestas will try to provide transport to the hotel with cars and minivans. **Do let us know your travel details.**

CONFERENCE VENUE AND ACCOMMODATION

Olbia:

The seminar will take place in the conference room of the hotel Grand [Hotel President](#) – 12 min drive from Olbia airport. The official language will be English. Translation will be provided from English to Italian and from Italian to English.

A number of rooms have been prebooked for the 10th (check in) to the 11th July (check out) at a cost 65,00 Euros per person per night, breakfast included, quoting INCREDIBLE project. The price will be held still until the 20th of June.

For the Grand Hotel president taxis charge around €. 15/20 to and from the airport. Between h. 22.00 pm and 6.00 am an additional ‘night’ charge might be applied

Bono

The field trip will take place in the [Forest of Fiorentini](#). A number of rooms have been prebooked at [Hotel le tre rose](#) for the 11th (check in) to the 12th July (check out) at a cost 50,00 Euro breakfast included.

[Various hotels or B&Bs](#) in town can be booked (eg. via booking.com or tripadvisor). Prices range from 25 to 66 Euros per night per person.

The forestry house of Monte Pisanu (in the heart of the forest, belonging to the Forestas Agency can be booked for a number of 10 rooms, covering only the costs of the linen and breakfast. The place is about 20 min drive from the town of Bono.

Participants are advised (not mandatory) to stay in the mentioned hotels:

- OLBIA, at Grand Hotel President;
- BONO, at Hotel le Tre Rose.

Organization will provide transport (for those who need it) for the field trip, including transport to BONO from OLBIA, and return to OLBIA.

Each participant should make the reservation to the hotels and pay for his room.