



GOULANDRIS
NATURAL HISTORY
MUSEUM



WORKSHOP

PLASTIC POLLUTION IN THE MARINE ENVIRONMENT: PRESENT AND FUTURE

Under the auspices of HE President of the Republic M. Prokopios Pavlopoulos

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2015
GOULANDRIS NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM
“ANGELOS GOULANDRIS” AMPHITHEATRE, GAIA CENTRE

09.30 REGISTRATION
10.00 WELCOME SPEECHES

PANAGIOTIS PIKRAMMENOS, former Prime Minister, former President of the Council of the State, Member of the Board of the Goulandris Natural History Museum

LAZAROS GOUTOS, Communication Manager, Green / Antipollution

Dr EVANGELOS PAPATHANASSIOU, Research Director at the Institute of Oceanography HCMR, Coordinator PERSEUS (FP7)

KEYNOTE SPEECHES

10.30 *For a “Clean Mediterranean Sea” by 2020: How can Science contribute?*

Dr EVANGELOS PAPATHANASSIOU, Research Director at the Institute of Oceanography HCMR, Coordinator PERSEUS (FP7)

11.00 *Marine Litter in the European Seas*

MICHAEL SCOULLOS, Professor of Environmental Chemistry, in the Department of Chemistry, of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

11.30 *Marine Litter and the Mermaid Tears*

Dr FRANÇOIS GALGANI, Biologist Oceanographer, L'Institut Français de Recherche pour l'Exploitation de la Mer (IFREMER - France)

12.00 COFFEE BREAK

12.30 *Marine Litter: A modern Human Footpring*

GEORGE PAPATHEODOROU, Professor of Environmental Oceanography in the Department of Geology of the University of Patras

13.00 *Hazardous Chemicals and Microplastics in the Marine and Coastal Environment*

HRISSI KARAPANAGIOTI, Assistant Professor of Environmental Chemistry in the Department of Chemistry of the University of Patras

13.30 *Marine Litter in the Greek Seas: Our own problem*

Dr CHRISTINA ZERI, Chemical Oceanographer, Senior Researcher at the Institute of Oceanography, HCMR

14.00 END OF WORKSHOP - DISCUSSION & CONCLUSIONS

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