

# Pelagos: an exceptional Sanctuary, a collective movement

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Palais des Rois Sardes 10 rue de la Préfecture 06300 Nice



11 June 2025 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

### EVENT OPEN TO ALL, UPON REGISTRATION. ID WILL BE REQUIRED AT THE ENTRANCE. CLICK HERE TO REGISTER

Moderation: Nancy Heslin - Podcast host, Monaco Info The Podcast & Cofounder Carob Tree Publishing

Simultaneous interpretation:

French 📘 | Italian 💵 | English 🚟

15:30-16:00

#### Arrival & Coffee

16:00 - 16:20

#### **Welcoming and Opening Remarks**

- Dott.ssa Barbara Luisi Cheffe de cabinet, Ministry of the Environment and Energy Safety (TBC)
- Agnès Pannier-Runacher Minister for Ecological Transition, Biodiversity, Forestry, the Sea and Fisheries (TBC)
- H.S.H. Prince Albert II of Monaco

16:20 - 16:25

## Official Launch of the Pelagos Consortium

Presentation of this multi-stakeholder consortium structured around four pillars:  $policy\ \mathcal{E}\ advocacy, communication, stakeholder\ engagement, science\ \mathcal{E}\ innovation.$ 

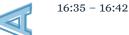
Charles-Ange Ginésy - President, Alpes-Maritimes Department

• Simone Panigada - President of the Tethys Research Institute, Consortium Coordinator



## **Inauguration Ceremony**

Unveiling of a display panel featuring partner logos, with signatures by H.S.H. and the Prince, followed by  $symbolic\ signatures\ by\ donors/foundations\ and\ Consortium\ partners.$ 



## Fireside Chat: The Pelagos Sanctuary: From Founding Vision to Collective Action

Giuseppe Notarbartolo di Sciara – Founder, Tethys Research Institute, and initiator of the Pelagos Sanctuary



## Panel: Three States, One Shared Governance: 25 Years of the Pelagos Agreement

With high-level representatives from:

- Célia Delavergne Director of Water and Biodiversity, French Ministry of Ecological Transition (TBC)
- Isabelle Rosabrunetto Director General, Monaco's Department of External Relations and Cooperation
- Rear Admiral Francesco Tomas Director General, Italian Directorate for the Protection of Biodiversity and the Sea (TBC)

## Fireside chat - Voyage en Pelagos

Simonetta Greggio & Olivier Weber - Authors of the book Un été en mer

## Panel: Bringing a Sanctuary to Life: The Dynamic of the Pelagos Initiative

With the coordinating members of the Pelagos Initiative:

- Prince Albert II of Monaco Foundation
- Alessio Satta CEO ,WWF Mediterranean
- Mercedes Muñoz Cañas Nature Conservation and Food Systems Manager, IUCN
- **Susan Gallon** Scientific Manager , *MedPAN*

17h35 - 18h00

17h05 - 17h15

17h15 - 17h35

## Panel: The Pelagos Consortium: A Collective Project to Turn Ambition into Action

With consortium partners::

- Marie Aude Sevin Director of Operations, BlueSeeds
- Maylis Salivas Executive Secretary, ACCOBAMS
- Nicolas Entrup Director of international relations, OceanCare
- Simone Panigada President, Tethys Research Institute, Consortium Coordinator