

Workshop on International Mountain Cooperation

Initiative of the Task Force on Mountain Cooperation

6-7 June 2013

Budoia, Italy

Draft Programme

Meeting Venue: Vecchia latteria - Via Bianco 4, 33070 Budoia (PN), Italy

6th June 2013 - Thursday

13:30 – 14:00 Welcome lunch

14:00 - 15:00 Registration & Coffee

15:00 - 16:00 Opening Session-Welcoming Speech "Setting the Stage from Rio to Budoia"

Mayor of Budoia - *Mr. Roberto De Marchi*

Italian Presidency of the Alpine Convention, Italian Ministry for the Environment

Secretary General of the Alpine Convention - *Mr. Marco Onida*

Presidency of the Regione Autonoma Friuli Venezia Giulia

Presidency of the District of Pordenone

UNEP Principal Advisor to the Executive Director and Head of the Office for Policy and Inter-Agency Affairs - *Mr. Michele Candotti*

16:00 - 16:30 Working session I – Sub national Cooperation in the Alps

The experience of "Alliance in the Alps" – *Mr. Antonio Zambon* (Animator of Alliance in the Alps and President of CAI, section of Regione Autonoma Friuli Venezia Giulia)

The experience of the "Network of Parks" within an UNESCO Human Heritage site: the Dolomites – *Mr. Vittorio Duoli* (UNESCO Dolomites Foundation)



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16:30 – 17:00 Working session II – Sub national Cooperation in the Carpathians

The experience in the Carpathians Euroregion – *Mr. Dawid Lasek* (Vice President of Carpathian Euroregion Poland)

17:00 - 17:30 Coffee Break

17:30 - 18:30 Working session III – Sub national Cooperation in the Dinaric Alps

The experience of the Balkans – *Ms. Aysegul Cil* (Programme Manager, European Centre for Nature Conservation - ECNC)

The experience of Dinaric Arc Parks – *Mr. Leon Kebe* (WWF Mediterranean)

20:00 Group Dinner

7 June 2013 – Friday

09:30 - 10:15 Working Session IV – Sub national Cooperation in Asia

The experience of AGOCA - *Ms. Kalys Batirova* (General Secretary of AGOCA)

The experience of CAMP Alatau - *Ms. Aida Gareeva* (Project Coordinator of CAMP Alatau)

Management Plan Karakorum National Park – *Mr. Maurizio Gallo* (Technical Advisor SEED Project, Ev-k2-CNR)

10:15 – 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 11:00 Working session V – Sub national Cooperation in the Caucasus

The experience of the Caucasus – *Ms. Nina Shatberashvili* (Director of the Centre of Regional Policy and Sustainable Development, National Association of Local Authorities of Georgia - NALAG)

11:00 – 12:00 Discussion

12:00 – 13:00 Conclusions and Next Steps - *Mr. Pier Carlo Sandei* (UNEP Vienna, Interim Secretariat of the Carpathian Convention)

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch

14:30 Departure

