

BRIDGING POLICY AND PRACTICE:

SEA and EIA for Offshore Wind and Grids in the Mediterranean

Date: 01 December 2026

Time: 09:00 – 16:00 CET

Location: Hôtel 3 étoiles Provinces Opéra - 36 rue de l'Échiquier, 75010 Paris

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

Time	Session
9:00 – 9:30	Arrival and Registration
9:30 – 9:45	Welcome & Opening Framing WWF Mediterranean and RGI
9:45 – 11:15	Panel session: The EIA Reality check – From implementation to critical review Panellists: • Florian Lecorps, Director of Marine Renewable Energy Department, Biotope • Martina Bocci, Director, t-ELIKA • Neil Alloncle, Head of Maritime and Coastal Planning Projects, CEREMA • Etienne Berille, Environment project manager, EDF Power Solutions Moderator: Cristina Simioli, Director Offshore Energy and Nature, RGI
11:15 – 11:45	Coffee Break
11:45 – 13:30	Strategic deep-dives – turning gaps into solutions <u>Session theme:</u> Thematic deep dives into specific and technical challenges to identify key knowledge gaps and regional needs. • Group 1: Monitoring, data collection and CIA Moving beyond data collection to “how to use and share the data effectively”. Address the technical difficulties of assessing impacts that cross individual project boundaries - Expert from IFREMER • Group 2: Sensitivity mapping & SEA as a streamlining tool

	Using SEAs and sensitivity mapping at an early stage to streamline the whole process (through multi-layer analysis) and to avoid conflict in project-level EIAs at later stages – Expert from BirdLife Europe & Central Asia • Group 3: Enabling conditions – Policy, governance and bottlenecks Identifying administrative bottlenecks within national permitting systems, with a focus on legislative frameworks and “one-stop-shops” functioning – (TBC) • Group 4: Stakeholder engagement processes Focus and examples from the French model of national consultations and identifying why other contexts are facing more challenges – Expert from RTE Moderators: WWF Mediterranean and RGI
13:30 – 14:30	Networking lunch
14:30 – 15:30	Defining the path forward – From Gaps to Actions <u>Session theme:</u> Synthetise the identified knowledge gaps and technical recommendations. • Reporting from the breakouts • Expert views • Final thematic discussion
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 – 16:30	Key outcomes & Closing remarks WWF Mediterranean and RGI