



“Policy-oriented marine research in the SES: Lessons Learned and the way ahead”

**PERSEUS Final Stakeholders Meeting,
10th December 2015, 15:00-18:30**

European Parliament, Room A3G-2

Hosted by

Ricardo Serrão Santos, MEP

Vice Chair of the Intergroup “Climate Change, Biodiversity and Sustainable Development”
Vice Chair of the Intergroup “Seas, Rivers, Islands and Coastal Areas”

Programme

- 15:00 Opening Addresses
- 15:15 PERSEUS:
- Project’s Results, **E. Papathanassiou** HCMR, PERSEUS Coordinator
 - Policy Brief, **G. Hanke**, Water Resources Unit H01, Institute for Environment and Sustainability, JRC
 - AMP ToolBox, **D. Sauzade**, Plan Bleu, PERSEUS WP Leader
- 16:00 Advocate the Clean Seas Concept from the New Generation
- Introduction, **N. Streftaris**, HCMR, PERSEUS Project Manager
 - “Clean Seas” Ambassadors Presentations (5 children from GR-RO-MA-SP-TU)
 - “Clean Seas” Ambassadors Award Ceremony (with MEP, DG R&I, PERSEUS)
- 17:15 Round Table Discussion “Bringing Science & Policy together for Future Needs of the SES”
Chair: **Ricardo Serrão Santos** (MEP)
- Introduction
 - Report of the Round Table “Where do we go from here in the Southern European Seas?”, **E. Papathanassiou**, HCMR, PERSEUS Coordinator
 - Report of the Round Table “European Marine Research Infrastructures: Their development and uptake for better science”, **G. Verreest**, Policy Advisor, Flanders Administration, Research Division of the Dept. Economy, Science and Innovation (EWI)
 - DG R&I (**S. Gruber**, Head of Unit, Marine Resources)
 - DG MARE (**F. Lamplmair**, Acting Head of Unit, Maritime Policy: Mediterranean and Black Sea)
 - DG ENV (**G. Hoermandinger**, Senior Expert, Marine Environment & Water Industry)
 - Discussion with the Stakeholders
- 18:30 Wrap up and End of the Meeting