

TRAINING COURSE

“Marine litter management Introducing the concept of fishing for litter”

*Hotel Vittoria Resort
Via Catona, Otranto
31 May 2023*

PROGRAMME

The course aims to present to key stakeholders the ‘Fishing for litter’ concept and examples of good practice, as well as to discuss the possibilities of implementation in the two project regions (Vlora and Puglia).

The training is based on the MedOpen platform training modules on Integrated Coastal Zone Management (ICZM) and Maritime Spatial Planning (MSP). Prior to the training course, identified participants will have a free account to access the MedOpen training course. As such an average level of English or French knowledge is required.

14:00 – 14:35 **Registration of participants**

Introduction

14:35 - 14:45

*Moderator
Ms. Daniela Addis
National Project Coordinator*

Legal framework in Italy - “Salvamare” Law

14:45 – 15:00

***Ms. Simona Rossi**
DG Natural Heritage and Sea - Ministry of Environment and Energy Security of Italy*

Litter management chain – From collection to disposal

15:00 – 15:15

***Ms. Novella Palomba**
DG Circular Economy - Ministry of Environment and Energy Security of Italy*

15:15 – 15:30 **Coffee break**

Best practices and potential risks of litter collection – Protocols for the assessment and collection of marine litter

15:30 – 15:45

Mr. Maurizio Pinna

Professor of Ecology - Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences and Technologies, University of Salento

Best practices and potential risks of litter collection - Identification of the type of plastics found in marine litter

15:45 – 16:00

Ms. Mariaenrica Frigione

Professor of Science and Technology of Materials - Department of Innovation Engineering, University of Salento

Financial aspects – Organisational and management aspects, including charges related to the collection and recovery of marine litter

16:00 – 16:15

Mr. Leonardo Collina

CEO PicenAmbiente SpA

16:15 – 16:30

Q&A and Conclusions