



HIGH-LEVEL MEETING

Building together a new strategy for Mediterranean and Black Sea fisheries and aquaculture

3 November 2020, 10:00 - 13:00 CET

A G E N D A

Opening

- H.E. Mr QU Dongyu, Director-General, Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (or representative) TBC
- H.E. Mr Virginijus Sinkevičius, European Commissioner for Environment, Oceans and Fisheries, European Commission
- Mr Roland Kristo, Chairperson, GFCM

Keynote address: recent developments in fisheries and aquaculture governance within the GFCM

- Mr Abdellah Srour, Executive Secretary, GFCM

Reviving the momentum: lessons learned and orientations for building together a new strategy for Mediterranean and Black Sea fisheries and aquaculture

- H.E. Mr Bledar Çuçi, Minister for Agriculture and Rural Development, Albania
- H.E. Mr Sid Ahmed Ferroukhi, Minister for Fisheries and Fish Production, Algeria
- H.E. Ms Desislava Taneva, Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Food, Bulgaria
- H.E. Ms Marija Vučković, Minister for Agriculture, Croatia
- H.E. Mr Costas Kadis, Minister for Agriculture, Rural Development and Environment, Cyprus
- H.E. Mr Al Sayed Mohammed Marzouk El-Qosair, Minister for Agriculture and Land Reclamation, Egypt
- H.E. Mr Virginijus Sinkevičius, European Commissioner for Environment, Oceans and Fisheries, European Commission

- H.E. Ms Annick Girardin, Minister for the Sea, France
- H.E. Mr Mavroudis Vouridis, Minister for Rural Development and Food, Greece
- H.E. Mr Alon Schuster, Minister for Agriculture and Rural Development, Israel
- H.E. Ms Teresa Bellanova, Minister for Agricultural, Food and Forestry Policies, Italy
- H.E. Mr Abbas Mortada, Minister for Agriculture and Culture, Lebanon
- The Hon. Mr Anton Refalo, Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Animal Rights, Malta
- H.E. Milutin Simović, Deputy Prime Minister for Economic Policy and Financial System and Minister for Agriculture and Rural Development, Montenegro (TBC)
- H.E. Mr Jože Podgoršek, Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Food, Slovenia
- H.E. Mr Luis Planas Puchades, Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Spain
- H.E. Mr Mohammed Hassan Katana, Minister for Agriculture and Agrarian Reform, Syrian Arab Republic
- H.E. Ms Akissa Bahri, Minister for Agriculture, Hydraulic Resources and Fisheries, Tunisia
- H.E. Mr Bekir Pakdemirli, Minister for Agriculture and Forestry, Turkey
- Ms Zakia Driouich, Secretary General for Maritime Fisheries, Ministry of Agriculture, Maritime Fisheries, Rural Development, Water and Forests, Morocco
- H.E. Mr Levan Davitashvili, Minister for Environmental Protection and Agriculture, Georgia
- H.E. Mr Roman Abramovskyy, Minister for Environmental Protection and Natural Resources, Ukraine
- Mr Dušan Nešković, Assistant Minister of Foreign Trade and Economic Relations, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Concluding remarks

- Moderator

*The event will be held on [Zoom](#) and moderated by Mr Spyros Kouvelis.
Simultaneous interpretation will be provided in Arabic, English, French and Spanish.*