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Germ of Life – Webinar 3

“From Assessment to Action: Demonstrating the Germ of Life Platform, Vulnerability Assessment Tool (VAT) and Pilot Applications”

24 June 2025 | 15:00–17:00 CEST

Theme: *Demonstration of the Germ of Life Platform and Vulnerability Assessment Tool (VAT), showcasing pilot applications and practical results supporting drought risk management and climate adaptation in Mediterranean regions.*

Duration: 2 hours

As part of the Germ of Life project, this webinar presents the fully developed Vulnerability Assessment Tool (VAT) and the Germ of Life digital platform. Participants will explore how the project's tools support drought monitoring, vulnerability assessment, and decision-making processes, while gaining insights from pilot implementations in Portugal. The webinar will also demonstrate how the platform can support regional authorities, water managers, and stakeholders in planning adaptation measures and improving resilience to drought impacts across the Mediterranean.

Presentations

- **“Welcome & Introduction to the Webinar.”**

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- **“Germ of Life - Vulnerability Assessment Tool”**

Christelis Evangelos, Head of Technology Department DOTSOFT (Greece) / Lelia Ataliani, Infotrend Innovations Co Ltd (Cyprus)

- **Germ of Life Project | Portuguese Pilot Area – Mediterranean Temporary Pond**

Inês Camilo, EDIA – Empresa de Desenvolvimento e Infraestruturas do Alqueva, S.A.(Portugal)

- **“Germ of Life - Vulnerability Assessment Tool Demonstration”**

Léa Duran, Lead data scientist and hydrology researcher at Atos/ Christelis Evangelos, Head of Technology Department DOTSOFT (Greece)

- **Discussion & Questions**

- **Closing Remarks**

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