

## UPCOMING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

### ADVANCED TRAINING IN ITALY COORDINATED BY [OGS](#)

Deep Blue project implementation phase is about to start.

The first advanced training session of the project will be hosted by OGS and will take place in Trieste (Italy). From September 23<sup>rd</sup> to September 27<sup>th</sup> 2019, local authorities, municipality officers and representatives of the private sector will be given the possibility to deepen their skills and expertise on **Marine Spatial Planning (MSP)** and its application for fisheries and aquaculture.



### TRAINING-OF-TRAINERS HOSTED AND ORGANISED BY [UNIVERSITY OF SFAX](#) (TUNISIA)

The second activity consists in a training for young professionals and researchers in the field of marine sciences and environmental monitoring techniques to manage the **environmental impacts on fisheries and aquaculture** in order to share and innovate common methodologies. The training will take place in Sfax (Tunisia) from October 21<sup>st</sup> to October 25<sup>th</sup> 2019. The call for participants will be launched very soon, stay tuned!



### RENEWED GOVERNMENTAL SUPPORT TO DEEP BLUE PROJECT AND ITS STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

During the 4<sup>th</sup> ministerial conference held in Rome on June 10<sup>th</sup> 2019, the Ministers in charge of Research, Innovation and Higher Education of the ten countries part of the Western Mediterranean Forum ([5+5 Dialogue](#)) renewed their political support to the Blue Growth Strategy and related initiative. The ministers recognized the importance of the sea as a motor having a huge potential for innovation and growth for the economy of Mediterranean countries. More information: [MIUR Social](#) or visit the 5+5 Dialogue [website](#).



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