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# European Network of the Association Union des Terres de Rivières-

## Experiences and Results

Prepared for Richard Fenollo - Director

by Association of Rivers Trusts (Composante 5)

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# Composante 1: Chef de File

***Chef/Leader:*** Union des Terres de Rivieres

- ***Partenaires:*** AIMRD, CoraNE, Universite de Rome, ART, Ajuntament de Tortosa, SOSNA, DEKA, l'ensemble des partenaires
- ***Objet/Aim:*** Gestion et coordiantion

***Production/Outputs:*** Developpement perenne d'une structure de coordination efficace et dynamique avec animation du reseau, edition de rapports, bilans semestriels et bilans d'ensembles



# U.TdR Networking



*UTdR Communications programme – Partner network 2006*

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# Component 2: Water Quality

***Chef/Leader:*** The Iberian Association of the Duero Riverside Municipalities (AIMRD)

***Partenaires:*** SOSNA - DEKA - ADAE - ADICES - KRAKOW University- CASTELO BRANCO University

***Objet/Aim:*** To develop a trans-national co-operation, to point out problems and promote joint projects with the purpose of analyses and joint actions, to inventory the practices and achievements implemented related with the topic of the water resource.

***Production/Outputs:*** The issues: 1) Water supply, potabilisation, desalination... (Stock management); 2) Use of water: irrigation, actions against fires, industrial, drinking water...; 3) Water, sensitive environment: quality control, actions against pollution... (Liquid waste treatment, alternatives? Innovating solutions?,..) ; 4) New energies from water.

- ***To run 4 reflection seminars; to participate in 2 congresses.***



# The Iberian Association of the Duero Riverside Municipalities (AIMRD)

- *Status: Association*
- *Aim:* The Iberian Association of the Duero Riverside Municipalities (AIMRD), created in 1994, integrates 37 municipalities of Castile and Leon and Portugal by which the river Duero goes through. Among other activities, the AIMRD works for facilitating the information exchange on local matters and, specially all the information related to the River.



# The Iberian Association of the Duero Riverside Municipalities (AIMRD)

Ayuntamiento de Laguna de Duero, 47140 Laguna de Duero - Valladolid



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# Component 3:

## Enhancement of River Landscapes

***Chef/Leader: CoraNE Terra Fria***

***Partenaires: SOSNA, Tortosa, Rakoczifalva,  
Douro Historico, Saint Mammes***

***Objet/Aim: Water is a key factor of social  
cultural and economic development***

***Production/Outputs: To set up a refection  
group, highlight problems, promote joint  
projects and share experience***

# CoraNE Terra Fria



# Componente 4

## « La Sapienza » - University of Rome (It)

**Leader:** Departement of Territorial and Urban Planning (IT)

**Partners:** DPTU – University La Sapienza (I)/ University Dortmund (D)/ Polytechnique Institute of Tomar (Pt)/ Dep. Biotechn. et Écology Uni. of Krakow (Pl)/ Dep. of Biology- University of Ferrara (I)/ DEKA – Trikala (Gr)/ Polytechnique University of Madrid (Es)/ University of Valladolid (Es)/ Polytechnique Institute Castelo Branco (Pt)/ Toulouse Bordeaux school of Architecture (F).

**Aim:** Capitalisation of knowledge and know-how, exchange and spreading within the network.

**Outputs:**

- Scientific and technique assistance, elaboration of data, creation of tools, presentation of different experiences, coordination of actions and diffusion of outputs. Publishing a convention of river landscapes that integrates the « European Convention of landscape ».

# Composante 4

## « La Sapienza » - Université de Rome (It)

**Leader:** Département de Planification Territorial et Urbain (It)

**Partners:** DPTU – Université La Sapienza (I)/ Université Dortmund (D)/ Institut Polytechnique de Tomar (Pt)/ Dép. Biotechn. et Écologie Uni. de Cracovie (Pl)/ Dép. de Biologie- Université de Ferrara (I)/ DEKA – Trikala (Gr)/ Université Polytechnique de Madrid (Es)/ Université de Valladolid (Es)/ Institut Polytechnique Castelo Branco (Pt)/École d'architecture de Toulouse Bordeaux(F)

**But:** Capitalisation des savoir-faire et faire savoir, échange et transmission dans le réseau.

**Resultats:**

Assistance technique et scientifique: comparaison et intégration des différentes données, élaboration des outils, présentation des expériences, coordination des actions et diffusion des résultats. Rédaction d'une carte des paysages fluviaux s'intégrant dans la "Convention européenne du paysage".



# Département de Planification Territoriale et Urbain « La Sapienza » - Université de Rome (It)

*Status:* **PUBLIC GOVERNATIVE**

*But:* Coordination

du group de recherche des universités, instituts et collectivités locaux de la Composante 4, pour la capitalisation de savoir-faire, Les échanges des expériences et la diffusion dans le réseau.



# Department of Territorial and Urban Planning

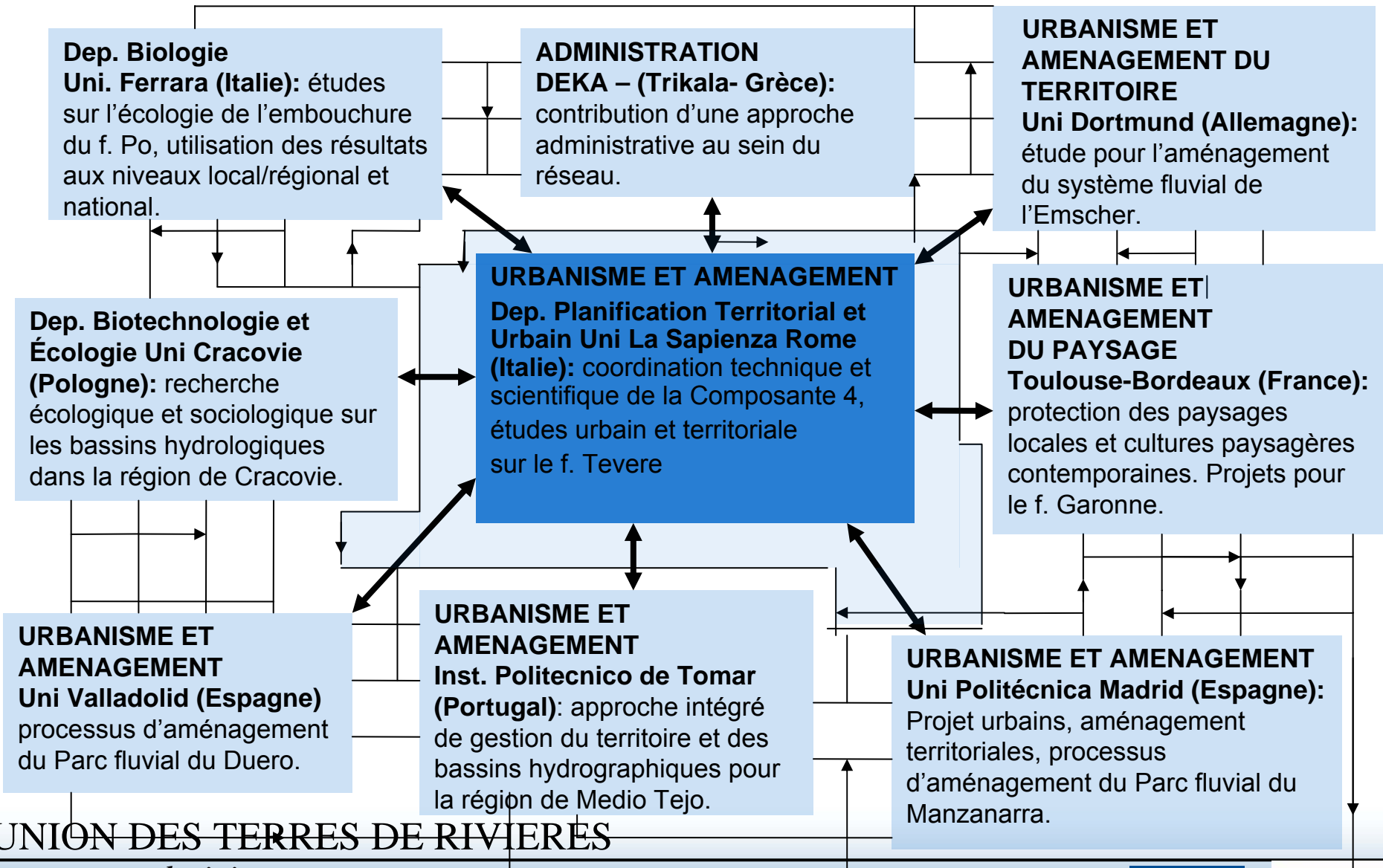
## « La Sapienza » - University of Rome (It)

*Status:* **PUBLIC GOVERNATIVE**

*Aim:* Coordinating a research group formed by universities, institutes and local administrations, the Componente 4, for the capitalization of knowledge, experiences' exchange and diffusion within the network.



# Le réseau et les compétences de la COMPOSANTE 4

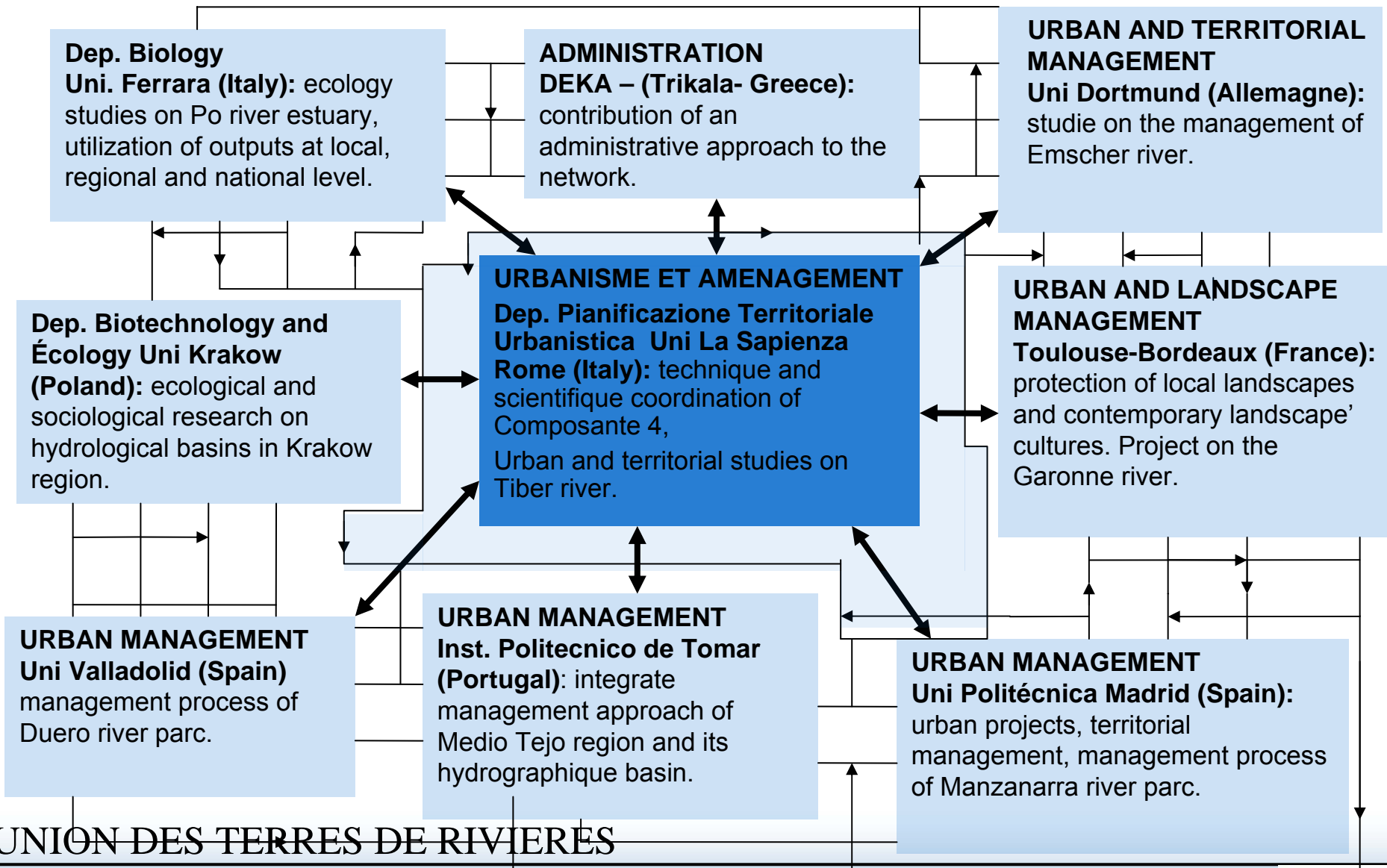


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# The network and the competences of COMPONENTE 4



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# Component 5: Communications

**Leader:** Association of Rivers Trusts (UK)

**Partners:** Obcianske Zdruzenie Sosna / Ajuntament de Tortosa / Rakoczifalva Nagykozseg Onkormanyzata

**Aim:** To provide and coordinate a strategic information communications network programme between partner organisations for the exchange and dissemination of information.

**Outputs:**

- Set up working group and communications meetings
- Collection of partners' IT facilities
- Publication of communication network chart/leaflet

# Association of Rivers Trusts (UK)

**Status:** Public NGO

**Aim:** To support the development of the Rivers Trust network in England & Wales.

To form lasting partnerships in Europe and assist communications



# TRIKALA's MUNICIPAL ENTERPRISE FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (D.E.K.A.) (GR)

**Status:** Municipal Unmingled Enterprise

**Aim:** The supporting development of a network of Cities with Rivers on local and national level. A continuous development of an effective and dynamic corporation among the project's network partners.



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# Département de Biologie Université de Ferrara (It)

*Status:* **PUBLIC  
GOVERNATIVE**

*Aim:* Intégrer et diffuser les données biologique, chimiques et hydrologiques pour le processus d'aménagement des canaux du bassin du Parque du Delta du Pô.  
Sensibilisation des collectivités locales aux actions du réseau.



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# Agencia Desarrollo Local. Ayuntamiento TORRELAVEGA

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Ayuntamiento TORRELAVEGA  
[www.torrelavega.es](http://www.torrelavega.es)

*Aim:*

- . Fomentar el Desarrollo sostenible del territorio.
- . Trabajar en las políticas activas de empleo. Formación laboral y para el desarrollo.
- . Promoción económica y empresarial. Centro Empresas.
- . Centro de Promoción e Innovación Tecnológica.



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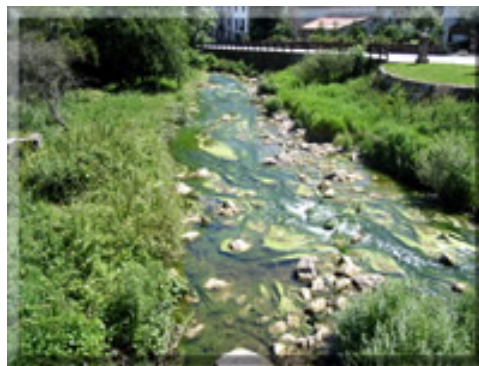
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**Status:** Council, Public Administration

**Aim:** To Cooperate on water management, environmental protection, river landscapes restoration.

To Participate and encourage an european thematic environmental net



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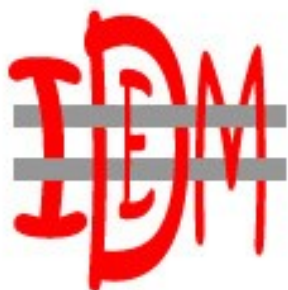


# Association IDEM (SPAIN)

**Status:** Private NGO

**Aim:** To promote equal opportunities for women and men.

To promote the regional development, employment with special attention to environment



# Component 4.Requalification of River Terrains

*description of project:*

- *Best practise: Case Study Emscher by IRPUD, University of Dortmund, Germany*



# SOSNA civic association (Slovakia)

**Status:** Public NGO

**Aim:**

To support and to realise concrete environmental activities in rural regions

To develop the River Coalition in Hornád watershed and to disseminate this idea to other watersheds

To form partnerships with local people supporting sustainable development



# Association civique de SOSNA (Slovaquie)

**Statut:** O.N.G. De Public

**Aim:**

But : Pour soutenir et réalisez les activités environnementales concrètes dans des régions rurales pour développer la coalition de fleuve dans la ligne de partage de Hornád et pour écarter cette idée à d'autres lignes de partage de former des associations avec les personnes locales soutenant le développement soutenable



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**Status:** Public, Higher Education

**Aim:** Higher Education and research.

To form a long lasting partnerships between European member states and contribute towards freshwater Ecology research objectives of U.TdR, guaranteeing a sustainable future for European Rivers.

To develop European level Projects.



**Landscape, Archaeology  
and Patrimony Department**

## **Research:** Freshwater Ecology

One of the emerging research areas of the XXI century, where water quality and preservation issues will endure deep changes.



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## **Research: *Archaeology***

The relationship between man and water is a major area of interest in archaeology with rock art, paintings, caves, settlements and ritual sites being located along the major river networks.



## Research: Patrimony

An in depth knowledge of the uses and traditions involving rivers will allow a symbiosis between cultural and ecological quality.



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# “25 Words” ART

- An environmentally sustainable Europe begins with communication and understanding, and leads to lasting relationships based on friendship and free exchange of knowledge.
- Une Europe écologiquement soutenable commence avec communication et comprendre, et rôles principaux à rapports durables basés sur amitié et échange libre de connaissance.



# “25 words” Roma

- Le esperienze di trasformazione e gestione dei territori fluviali possono divenire cultura attraverso lo scambio, la riflessione comune, il confronto scientifico, la formazione.
- Transformation and management of rivers and river landscapes become common experiences and culture through cultural exchange, open discussion, scientific debate, education.



# "25 Words" INSTITUTO POLITÉCNICO DE TOMAR (PT)

- O desenvolvimento Europeu é previsto a vários níveis, no entanto a partilha de informação através de redes temáticas é a solução para uma Europa ambientalmente sustentável
- Europe's development is foreseen at various levels, however a better exchange of knowledge through networks with a common interest is the path to achieve an environmentally sustainable Europe



# “25 Words” DEKA

- **Greek:** «Υποστήριξη ενός Ευρωπαϊκού δικτύου συνεργασίας βασισμένου στην ανταλλαγή εμπειριών και τεχνογνωσίας και ανάπτυξη μιας κοινής στρατηγικής διαχείρισης υδάτινων πόρων εφαρμόσιμης σε τοπικό και εθνικό επίπεδο».
- **English:** “The supporting of a European corporation based on the exchanging of experiences and knowledge and the development of a common strategic administration of aquatic resources applicable on local and national level”.
- **French:** ‘Le support d’un réseau Européen de collaboration basé à l’échange des expériences et de connaissance technique et le développement d’une stratégie commune d’administration des ressources aquatiques applicable à un niveau local et national’.

# “25 Words” IDEM

- **Asociación IDEM wants to promote the gender equal opportunities, regional development and employment in relation with sustainable water management**
- **La Asociación IDEM pretende promocionar la igualdad de oportunidades, el desarrollo regional y el empleo relacionado con la gestión sostenible del agua.**



# “25 Words” Ferrara

- Lo studio e la ricerca hanno ricadute importanti e divengono motori di sostenibilità solo attuando la condivisione dei saperi e la divulgazione delle conoscenze.
- L'étude et la recherche ont des rechutes importantes et deviennent moteurs de soutenabilité seulement partageant les savoirs et divulgand les connaissances.



# “25 Words” Torrelavega

- U.T.dR. nos ofrece oportunidad de pertenecer a una red europea de desarrollo sostenible y posibilita adquisición de buenas prácticas y conocimientos de otros territorios para su aplicación y mejora del nuestro.
- U.T.dR. it offers opportunity to us to belong to an European network of sustainable development and makes possible acquisition of good practices and knowledge of other territories for its application and improves of ours.
- U.T.dR. il nous offre occasion d'appartenir à un réseau européen de développement soutenable et permet une acquisition bonnes pratiques et de connaissances d'autres territoires pour son application et amélioration de du le nôtre.



# “25 Words” Torrelavega

- **The Council of Torrelavega as member of UTdR Net wants to reflect at European level on cooperation on water management and river landscapes restoration.**
- **El Ayuntamiento de Torrelavega participando en la red UTdR desea reflexionar en un marco europeo sobre la gestión del agua y la recuperación de paisajes fluviales**



# “25 Words” Uni of Dortmund

- Die Vorstellung von erfolgreich durchgeführten Projekten, wie dem Projekt Emscher Landschaftspark, führt zu einem besseren Verständnis zwischen den beteiligten Ländern und hilft voneinander zu lernen.
- The presentation of best practise cases like the project Emscher Landscape Park, lead to a better understanding between the participating countries and help to learn from each other.



# “25 Words” SOSNA

- **Exchange of know-how and experience of project partners from other EU countries helps us to innovate our activities, which we are realising in our watershed.**
- **L'échange du savoir-faire et de l'expérience des associés de projet d'autres pays d'EU nous aide à innover nos activités, que nous réalisons dans notre ligne de partage.**



# “25 Words” Rakoczifalva

- „Folyó hasznosítás, környezetvédelem, turizmusfejlesztés, képzés, - európai tapasztalatok alapján -, mint a fenntartható vidékfejlesztés komplex feltételrendszere”
- „River management, protection of the environment, development of tourism and training- based on European experiences – representing a complex system of conditions for a sustainable rural development”
- « Mise en valeur et gestion de nos rivières, protection de l’environnement, développement du tourisme et formation- basés sur des expériences européennes – représentant un dispositif complexe de développement rural durable »

