

Newsletter



REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON WASTE MANAGEMENT AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT

06 March 2023, The MOIG Management Committee Members are very pleased to announce that the Regional Workshop on “Waste Management and Wastewater Treatment”; will be held on 09 and 10 May 2023; at The Russelior Hotel in South Hammamet-Tunisia; in cooperation with Lamor Corporation; member based in Finland.



The workshop will be open on Tuesday, 09 May 2023 at 08:30 am and expected to close on Wednesday, 10 May 2023 at 13:00 pm and will be animated by Lamor Corporation experts and MOIG Director.

The main objectives of this regional workshop will be to present environmental solutions, best practices and new technologies for waste management and material recycling as well as to learn about industrial water treatment and various process chemicals.

This event will bring together representatives from oil and gas Industry, ministries, agencies, waste processing companies and engineering firms and will be a good opportunity to network and develop new contacts.

More details on this workshop will be provided to members and technical partners in due time.

UPDATE OF MOIG BROCHURE

20 February 2023, MOIG produced its brochure version 2023, aimed at providing general information and an overview on its background. The new version contains six (06) pages including information related to Framework, Guiding Principles, Mission and Vision, Membership, Members and Technical Partners, benefits, contacts and Useful Links.



The update has been made on the front and second pages, members and membership sections.

TPR SEMINAR SERIES: INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (IMS)

15 February 2023, the MOIG Director participated to webinar titled “Incident Management System (IMS)”; organized by Oil Spill Response Limited (OSRL); technical partner; via electronic conferencing platform.

This webinar was presented by Paul Foley, Response and Technical Manager and Dave Rouse; Crisis and Incident Management Lead.



Paul Foley started by introducing the Tired Preparedness and Response (TPR) capabilities highlighting that there are 15 recognized capabilities which essentially represent the scope of TPR. He noted that each capability is underpinned by a robust Incident Management System (IMS). He explained that IMS is also tiered: Tier 1 for local, Tier 2 for Regional and Tier 3 for International level.

Paul Foley underlined that IMS is the key to unlock the capabilities of people, equipment and other support.

Paul Foley also presented the common principles of all Incident Management Systems highlighting that there are focused on organization, management and structure.

Dave Rouse underlined that IMS is based on three elements: Structure, skillset and mindset. He noted that skillset concerns those who are in the team and what they can do. He then presented the new skillset operating models such as: virtual, physical and hybrid working. Regarding mindset, he explained that it means how individuals and the team perceive and tackle challenging situations.

PARTICIPATION TO TRADES FORUM

16 February 2023, the MOIG Director was invited by the International Campuses Elites to the Trades Forum. The International Campuses Elites is an educational institution that operates according to the official programs from the French National education.

During this forum, the MOIG Director presented to students of intermediate and secondary school the job of engineer from a variety of different angles. He explained that the engineer job covered various specialist areas such as: civil, mechanical, computer, industrial and chemical etc.

The MOIG Director also underlined that the engineer job requires an innovation spirit and a teamwork skills to solve issues and lead studies and projects in an efficient and effective way; often complex in conception, implementation and achievement.



In addition, discussions were opened with students to help them identify and distinguish their profiles, therefore advice them about the most suitable disciplines to choose for their following grade levels. This Forum was also a good opportunity to introduce briefly to students the mission, vision and activities of MOIG.

The MOIG Management Committee Members would like to thank the International Campuses Elites for its kind invitation and confidence in MOIG.

VISIT TO CEDRE, BREST - FRANCE

08 February 2023, The MOIG Director conducted a visit to the Center of Documentation, Research and Experimentation on Accidental Water Pollution (Cedre), Technical Partner based in Brest-France.



The MOIG Director met with Mr. Christophe Logette, Director, Mr. Arnaud Guéna, Operations Manager, Mme. Nathalie Monvoisin, Studies and Training Department Manager, Mme. Marion Lavenir, Management Assistant Events and Communication, Mme. Anne-Cecile Jan from the Information Department - Librarian and Mme. Nathalie Padey from the Information Department - Audiovisual.

The main objective of this visit was to identify common interests and opportunities for mutually beneficial cooperation between Cedre and MOIG.

During the visit, the MOIG Director accompanied by the Operations Manager was afforded the opportunity to see all the areas of Cedre base such as: The oil spill training and cleanup areas, the warehouse containing oil spill response equipments, the maintenance workshop, the laboratories and the documentation center.

A meeting was held with the Operations Manager and the Studies and Training Department Manager of Cedre in which were discussed the future activities related to oil spill prevention, preparedness and response planned in 2024.

At the end of the meetings, the MOIG Director thanked all Cedre representatives met and extended an open invitation to the Director, the Operations Manager and the Studies and Training Department Manager to visit MOIG in Tunisia.

We were delighted with the outcome of this visit, Cedre agreed to provide technical assistance to MOIG during the next year.

The MOIG Management Committee Members would like to thank Cedre representatives for their hospitality, warm welcome and high cooperation.

OIL SPILL RESPONSE EQUIPMENT DATABASE

As announced in the previous Newsletters, all the claims received from members related to the handling and data storage of the Oil Spill Response (OSR) equipments have been processed.

We would like to underline that the OSR equipments database constitutes a key limestone and an invaluable source of information for members to communicate and share their resources in case of oil spill incidents Tier 2.

The Management Committee is looking forward on member's valuable collaboration to complete the database; as soon as possible.

As a next step, MOIG will organize a regional workshop on coordination, in which will be discussed and agreed the second draft of the Memorandum of Understanding in Respect of Mutual Assistance in the Control of Marine Pollution Events Tier 2.

Please do not hesitate to contact MOIG secretariat by mail at: houcine.mejri@moig.org.tn for any issue encountered during the loading of the OSR equipments data.

