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| 9.00-10.00 | Welcome Address: ANTONIO NAVARRA, DONATELLA SPANO Plenary Lecture: CORRADO CLINI, Italian Ministry of Environment, Land and Sea |
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| | Parallel sessions ADVANCES IN CLIMATE SCIENCE | Parallel sessions IMPLICATIONS ON ECOSYSTEM SERVICES | Parallel sessions CLIMATE POLICY AND ECONOMIC ASSESSMENT |
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| | Modes of variability in the Pacific Ocean | Dynamic Landscapes: Hazard & Risk Assessment - I | Economic analysis of Climate Change Impacts: methods and approaches |
| 10.00-10.20 | ENSO Formation over the Equatorial Ocean <i>K. Miyakoda - Princeton University N.J.</i> | An European HPC Infrastructure and the Climate Challenges <i>G. Erbacci - CINECA SCAI Department</i> | Probabilistic economic impacts of climate change in an integrated assessment model framework <i>L. Drouet - CMCC / FEEM</i> |
| 10.20-10.40 | Intrinsic climate variability paced by external forcing: the Kuroshio Extension bimodality - North Pacific Oscillation case <i>S. Pierini - Università degli Studi di Napoli Parthenope</i> | Exploring synergies for disaster risk reduction in Guatemala: the use of cognitive maps <i>V. Giannini - CMCC</i> | A Ricardian Analysis of the Impact of Climate Change on European Agriculture <i>R. Mendelson - Yale University</i> |
| 10.40-11.00 | Climatic trends of the equatorial undercurrent: A backup mechanism for sustaining the equatorial Pacific production <i>R. Ruggio - Università del Salento</i> | Syndromes of Land Degradation and Implications for Ecosystem Services in Emilia-Romagna, Italy. An Evaluation Framework for the Past and in Face of a Changing Climate <i>T. Ceccarelli - CRA-CMA</i> | Chaos in, chaos out: the effect of deterministic chaos in GCM scenarios on estimates of climate change impacts <i>E. Massetti - CMCC</i> |
| 11.00-11.20 | ENSO and Pacific Decadal Oscillation: decadal variability driven by tropical-extratropical interactions <i>R. Farneti - ICTP</i> | Preliminary assessment of the effects of climate change on landslide activity of Orvieto clayey slope <i>G. Rianna - CMCC</i> | Ambiguity and optimal learning in climate mitigation scenarios <i>F. Creutzig - MCC Berlin</i> |
| 11.30-12.00 | Coffee Break | | |
| | Regional climate modelling and downscaling | Dynamic Landscapes: Hazard & Risk Assessment - II | Strategies for adaptation and mitigation policies - I |
| 12.00-12.20 | A statistical downscaling system for seasonal projections using ensemble neural networks with Bayesian regularization <i>S. Amendola - CMCC</i> | Towards flood risk assessment in a climate change perspective <i>P. Ronco - Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia</i> | Putting climate change adaptation into action: an operational approach to implement the European Guidelines on developing adaptation strategies <i>C. Giupponi - Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia / CMCC</i> |
| 12.20-12.40 | Multimodel SuperEnsemble Downscaling of Regional Climate Models in South-Western Alps <i>D. Cane - Arpa Piemonte</i> | A risk-based assessment of impacts affecting groundwater resources and related ecosystems in view of climate change <i>S. Torresan - CMCC</i> | The dynamic feedback of climate change impacts and catastrophic risk on mitigation and adaptation investments <i>F. Bosello - FEEM / CMCC / Università Statale di Milano</i> |
| 12.40-13.00 | Implementation and validation of a precipitation downscaling chain for regional climate modelling <i>D. D'Onofrio - Università degli Studi di Torino / ISAC-CNR</i> | Stochastic behaviour of phosphorus export from rural land: evidence from fifteen years monitoring of Lake Vico basin (Central Italy) <i>A. Leone - UNITUS</i> | Is Geoengineering a viable Option for Dealing with Climate Change? <i>M. Tavoni - CMCC</i> |
| 13.00-13.20 | Performance evaluation of COSMO-CLM over Italy and climate projections for the XXI century <i>E. Bucchignani - CMCC</i> | Climate change scenarios of minimum, maximum temperature and precipitation over Italian areas, period 2021-2050 <i>R. Tomozeiu - ARPA-SIMC Emilia-Romagna</i> | Insurance and Climate Change Adaptation: Field Experiments in Chilika Lagoon, India <i>A. Sharma - Università di Siena</i> |
| 13.30-14.30 | Lunch | | |

| | Variability and uncertainties using CMIP5 models | Impacts on natural ecosystems - I | Strategies for adaptation and mitigation policies - II |
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| 14.30-14.50 | A data-driven causality analysis for the attribution of recent global warming <i>A. Pasini - IIA-CNR</i> | Distribution of bioclimate zones and their shifting due to climate change <i>A. Trabucco - CMCC</i> | Guidelines for the implementation of the Regional Adaptation Strategy in Lombardy (RAS) <i>M. Lapi - Fondazione Lombardia per l'Ambiente</i> |
| 14.50-15.10 | Reliability and skill of CMIP5 multi-model decadal hindcasts <i>S. Corti - ISAC-CNR</i> | Influence on population density and climate on the dynamics of the black grouse (<i>Tetrao tetrix</i>) populations in the Piedmont region (Italy) <i>R. Casagrandi / A. Mignatti - Politecnico di Milano</i> | Beyond stationarity in planning renewables: The CLIM-RUN experience for the Euro-Mediterranean region <i>A. Dell'Aquila - ENEA</i> |
| 15.10-15.30 | Snow depth in the "Third Pole": how do CMIP5 models represent it? <i>S. Terzago - ISAC-CNR</i> | Response to climate change of alpine glaciers in north-western Italian Alps <i>R. Bonanno - Arpa Piemonte</i> | Eni's approach to mitigation and adaptation <i>R. De Filippo - ENI</i> |
| 15.30-15.50 | Heavy precipitation events over the Euro-Mediterranean region in a warmer climate: results from CMIP5 models <i>E. Scoccimarro - INGV / CMCC</i> | Has the ocean contributed to the decline of European eel recruitment? Results of a 40-year simulation experiment <i>R. Casagrandi / M. Schiavina - Politecnico di Milano</i> | Climatic Change Impacts on Energy Sectors over Italian Region <i>P. Faggian - RSE SpA</i> |
| 16.00-16.30 | Coffee Break | | |
| | Modes of variability in the atmosphere and ocean | Impacts on natural ecosystems - II | Air Quality and Climate Change Mitigation Policies |
| 16.30-16.50 | Effects of the North Atlantic Oscillation on winter precipitation in the Hindu-Kush Karakoram <i>L. Filippi - ISAC-CNR</i> | Climate Change Impacts on Distribution and Composition of the Alpine Natural Pasturelands <i>C. Dibari - Università degli Studi di Firenze</i> | Air quality benefits of climate change mitigation policies <i>L. Aleluia Reis - CMCC</i> |
| 16.50-17.10 | Atmospheric Blocking and Euro-Atlantic Winter Mid-Latitude Climate Variability <i>P. Davini - ISAC-CNR</i> | Larval Connectivity in the Central Pacific Ocean: Lagrangian simulations in the Northern Line Islands <i>R. Casagrandi - Politecnico di Milano</i> | Synergies and trade-offs between climate change mitigation strategies and air quality policies: the case of wood burning in domestic appliances <i>S. Caserini - Politecnico di Milano</i> |
| 17.10-17.30 | The sporadic nature and associated spectral features of transient-eddy meridional heat transport <i>G. Messori - Imperial College London</i> | The effects of climate change on cuatro cienegas aquatic ecosystem in the desert environment of northern Mexico <i>M. Herrera-Pantoja - Queretaro Water Commission</i> | Ancillary benefits of climate change policy in China: air pollution impacts on household health, adaptation and government-controlled information in Beijing <i>C. Ravetti - CIES</i> |
| 17.30-17.50 | The Antarctic Circumpolar Wave scenario described as a combination of interannual signals <i>D. Cerrone - Università di Siena</i> | | |
| 18.00-19.30 | Media Session | | |
| 20.30-23.00 | Social dinner | | |

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| | Parallel sessions ADVANCES IN CLIMATE SCIENCE | Parallel sessions IMPLICATIONS ON ECOSYSTEM SERVICES | Parallel sessions CLIMATE POLICY AND ECONOMIC ASSESSMENT |
| | Climate processes in the Mediterranean region - I | Impacts on Forest and Agriculture Ecosystems - I | Climate change and urbanization: implications, feedback and evaluation of strategies |
| 10.00-10.20 | Future storm surge distribution along the Mediterranean coast <i>P. Lionello - Università del Salento / CMCC</i> | The impact of selective logging on Forest structure, Plant Diversity and above-ground biomass of African tropical forests <i>F. Papparella - Università del Salento</i> | Integrating the human dimension in ecosystem based adaptation to global changes <i>L. Ilieva - Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia</i> |
| 10.20-10.40 | Tropical-like cyclones in the Mediterranean sea: from the case study over Salento to a combined satellite-modelling approach <i>M. Miglietta - ISAC-CNR</i> | Assessing the resilience of Mediterranean trees diversity to climate change projections <i>A. Di Paola - CMCC</i> | Vulnerability of Paris metropolitan area to future heat waves <i>A. Lemonsu - CNRM/GAME (Météo-France, CNRS)</i> |
| 10.40-11.00 | Sicily monthly high-resolution solar radiation climatologies <i>M. Maugeri - Università Statale di Milano</i> | Projected climate change impacts on staple crops in Nigeria <i>V. Mereu - CMCC</i> | The role of climatic variability on cholera spreading in Bangladesh <i>M. Ciddio - Politecnico di Milano</i> |
| 11.00-11.20 | The myth of Scylla and Charybdis: a torrent in the Messina Strait <i>F. Antonioli - ENEA</i> | Evaluation of the potential of genomic tools and plant genes to mitigate the climate change impact and extremes on natural ecosystems and agriculture <i>L. Ricciardi - Università di Bari</i> | Albedo Modifications as Global Mitigation and Local Adaptation Strategy in European Cities: A Geographically Explicit Investigation <i>T. Susca - Hertie School of Governance</i> |
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| | Climate processes in the Mediterranean region - II | Impacts on Forest and Agriculture Ecosystems - II | Translate the interactions between climate and the processes concerning ecosystems into economic values |
| 12.00-12.20 | Daily precipitation statistics over the Po Basin: observation and post-processed RCM results <i>M. Turco - CMCC</i> | Forest fires in Italy: an econometric analysis of major driving factors <i>M. Michetti - CMCC</i> | An indicator-based assessment of vulnerability to climate change in Italian coastal cities <i>M. Breil - CMCC</i> |
| 12.20-12.40 | Climatological characterisation of the Ora del Garda wind in the Alps <i>D. Zardi - Università degli studi di Trento</i> | Local Impact Assessment of Climate Change on Fire Season Length <i>P. Duce - CNR-IBIMET</i> | Tools to support a sustainable water use in agriculture considering climate and policy change <i>G. Bazzani - CNR-IBIMET</i> |
| 12.40-13.00 | Reconstruction of long time series of monthly temperature values by statistical methods: an application to Europe and the Mediterranean region <i>L. Scarascia - Università del Salento</i> | Analyzing changes in wildfire likelihood and intensity in Mediterranean areas: a case study from central Sardinia, Italy <i>M. Salis - UNISS / CMCC</i> | Climate change, smoothing with water stock and impact on the agricultural sector in the Po valley (Italy) <i>M. Bozzola - CIES</i> |
| 13.00-13.20 | Continuous measurements of climate altering halogenated gases at the Italian Climate Observatory O. Vittori (ICO-OV) <i>M. Maione - Università Carlo BO Urbino</i> | Skill assessment of the global model EC-Earth in fire danger indices evaluation over the Greater Alpine Region: a comparison with the corresponding ERA-Interim Reanalysis parameters <i>S. Barbarino - ISAC-CNR</i> | The economics of tropical cyclones under climate change: Incorporating the Impact of Global Hurricane Characteristics and Level of Development <i>L. Bakkensen - Yale University</i> |
| 13.30-14.30 | Lunch | | |
| 14.30-15.00 | Plenary - Awards | | |
| 15.00-16.30 | Poster Session | | SISC General Assembly |

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Poster Session

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| Intrinsic variability of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current: low-frequency fluctuations in the Argentine Basin flow <i>S. Pierini - Università degli Studi di Napoli Parthenope</i> | Assessing environmental impacts of climate change at the regional scale to provide adaptation services: the Decision support System for Coastal climate change impact assessment (DESYCO) <i>S. Torresan - CMCC-ISC</i> | The Cost of Climate Change Inaction in the EU. A CGE Approach <i>R. Pierfederici - FEEM</i> |
| GNSS Analysis for Meteorological Applications and Climate Monitoring in the Mediterranean Area <i>B. Pace - E-GEOS S.p.A., ASI / Centro di Geodesia Spaziale</i> | Rewetland: wetlands spread by the environmental restoration of Agro Pontino <i>M. Sibilla - Università Sapienza di Roma</i> | Economic and climate impacts of using forestry residue for bio-energy <i>A. Favero - CMCC / FEEM</i> |
| Study of aerosol - water vapor - clouds interaction at CNR-IMAA Atmospheric Observatory <i>F. Madonna - CNR-IMAA</i> | Fluctuation in spatial patterns in semi-arid ecosystems under pressure <i>R. Corrado - Università del Salento</i> | The informative role of farmers' perceptions of change for the development of robust climate change adaptation policies – a case study from Italy <i>L. Bonzanigo - CMCC / FEEM</i> |
| ACTRIS for coordinated long-term observation of aerosols, cloud-aerosol interactions, and trace gases in Europe <i>G. Pappalardo - CNR</i> | Application of the 3D-CMCC FEM (Three Dimension Forest Ecosystem Model) on multi-temporal NDVI satellite imagery and future scenarios <i>A. Collalti - CMCC</i> | Impact of Climate Change on Crop Yields A Quantile Regression Analysis <i>S. Dasgupta - Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia</i> |
| Space-borne measurements of carbon dioxide distribution: inverse modelling and data fusion techniques <i>U. Cortesi - IFAC-CNR</i> | Are Cereals in Globally Trouble? <i>E. De Cian - FEEM / CMCC</i> | Evaluation of flood disaster risk in the Polesine sub-region <i>M. Amadio - FEEM / CMCC</i> |
| Time Series Analyses of Climatological Records from a High Altitude Observatory in Southern Italy (Montevergine, AV) <i>G. Budillon - Università degli Studi di Napoli Parthenope</i> | Assessing future land suitability of winter wheat crop <i>V. Mereu - UNISS / CMCC</i> | Adaptation strategies at river basin district scale: the Po river basin experience <i>L. Carrera - FEEM / CMCC</i> |
| Recent trends in daily temperature extremes over the Basilicata Region, Southern Italy (1951 – 2010) <i>A. Pasini - CNR</i> | Impact of drought on crop production: the Agricultural Regions from the Po river Basin case study <i>S. Santato - FEEM</i> | |
| Observed long term trend and low-frequency variability of spring discharge timing in the main Alpine rivers <i>M. Zampieri - CMCC</i> | Water scarcity, climate change, and food security: challenges for the future <i>N. Mancosu - UNISS / CMCC</i> | |
| Long term atmosphere-surface transfer studies in Salento Peninsula: a database <i>P. Martano - CNR-ISAC</i> | An analysis of the fire danger regime in Italy <i>F. Masala - CMCC</i> | |
| Statistical modelling of sequences of no rainy days <i>E. Ferrari - Università della Calabria</i> | Historical Trends and Future Predictions of Fire Emission Estimation in Italy <i>V. Bacciu - CMCC / UNISS</i> | |
| Mesoscale biological-physical interactions in the Sardinian Sea <i>S. Bonamano - UNITUS</i> | A modelling framework to estimate CO2 fluxes under urban development scenarios <i>S. Marras - UNISS / CMCC</i> | |
| Is global warming causing mass mortalities in the Mediterranean Sea upper layer? <i>I. Rivetti - Università del Salento</i> | | |
| High resolution coastal monitoring during the sea breeze event <i>R. Martellucci - UNITUS</i> | | |
| Relationship between sahel rainfall and Mediterranean summer climate <i>R. D'Agostino - Università del Salento / CMCC</i> | | |
| Multivariate analysis for the influence of climate change on maritime structures design <i>G. Salvadori - Università del Salento</i> | | |