



INVITATION

Kick-Off Meeting of CAMARO-D

March 22nd to 23rd, 2017

HERMAN OTTÓ CONFERENCE CENTER
NAGYTÉTÉNYI ÚT 190.
1223 BUDAPEST
HUNGARY

Dear Madam or Sir,

The Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management is very happy to invite you to the first partner meeting of the project CAMARO-D, which was successfully submitted in the first call of the INTERREG Danube Transnational Programme.

This meeting will take place at the Herman Ottó Conference Center in Budapest, organized by our project partner Herman Ottó Institute Nonprofit Ltd.

On day 01 of the meeting a kick-off-event is organized where project partners and associated partners participate and the project and its ambitions are presented to a broader audience.

On day 02 an internal project-workshop will take place, along with the first steering committee meeting. Financing project partners and associated strategic partners will have the first opportunity to present themselves and their expectations towards the project, to find a common understanding and methodology for the joint implementation of the activities and to learn about the requirements of a Danube Transnational project.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Budapest.

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Representative of the Lead Partner

CAMARO-D (Cooperating towards **Advanced MA**nagement **R**outines for land use impacts on the water regime in the **D**anube river basin) aims at developing comprehensive recommendations towards a strategic policy for the implementation of an innovative transnational catchment-based “Land Use Development Plan” for the Danube River Basin. It will also provide important inputs for the further development of EUSDR and other relevant EU-policies. Its main goals are:

- **Setting the frame** for a harmonized transnational land use management system, taking into account the demands of water resources protection and flood prevention.
- **Harmonizing and improving** the protection of water resources against negative impacts of land use and climate change as well as reduction of flood risk.
- **Bringing life to** the project outcomes by developing a transnational “Land use Development Plan” as a driving force for a transnational land use management.

CAMARO-D, led by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management, was successfully submitted in the 1st call of the Danube Transnational Programme in May 2016. The project started at the beginning of January 2017 and will last 30 months. 14 financing project partners and 9 associated partners, originating from nearly all Danube basin states (Austria, Slovenia, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Romania and Serbia) will be working during the project with an overall budget of 2,58 Mio Euro – 85 % co-funded by ERDF and IPA funds.

A list of all project-partners can be found at the last page of this agenda.

AGENDA

Wednesday, March 22nd, 2017 – **kick-off event**

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| 09:30 | <i>Press conference</i> | <i>LP, HOI</i> |
| 10:00 | <i>Registration & Welcome Coffee</i> | |
| 10:30 | Welcome & Introduction | |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome by the Lead Partner & Host • General project presentation -
Timeline, objectives, main outputs & deliverables,
partnership, lining out the EU-wide and local relevance • Presentations by WP-leaders -
main objectives of the thematic work-packages | <p>HOI, LP/BMLFUW
LP/Project
Management/HOI
CTU, AREC, JCI, EFA</p> |
| 12:30 –
13:30 | <i>Lunch</i> | |
| 13:30 | Working groups | |
| 13:30 –
15:00 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group work – topics for each group <p>Danube River Basin Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ current problems & challenges ▪ Expectations towards the project ▪ Transnational visions – advantages of transnational approach | <p>moderators to be confirmed</p> |
| 15:00 | <i>Coffee break</i> | |
| 15:30 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group work – synthesis by moderators and discussion | <p>moderators to be confirmed</p> |
| 16:30 | <i>End of kick-off event</i> | |

Thursday, March 23rd, 2017 – **steering meeting SM0**

08:30 Steering Committee Meeting – SM0

Project management

LP/PM (45 min)

- programme regulations, project organisation, project contracts

Financial management

PP2/FM (30 min)

- Overview of project budget, programme specifications

Communication - overview

LP/PM/CM (30 min)

- Objectives of the WP
- Project website content
- more information on PP- will follow

Appointments

outlook on partner tasks and future project meetings

LP/PM

10:15 End of steering committee meeting

10:15 Coffee break

Thursday, March 23rd, 2017 –**partner-workshop (TM0)**

10:45 Transnational partner workshop – TM0

- Introduction of project partners
(main thematic focus and expectations/contributions to the project)

all PPs – max. 5 Min per ppt (not necessarily ppt)

12:15 *Light lunch*

13:15 Work-package 03 – Investigative Danube

WP-lead: PP11 (CTU)

- ppt with detailed approach, activities, expected outputs and deliverables – milestones & PP todos
- presentation of draft of check-list for gap-analysis & related discussion(D.3.1.1) – outlook on country specific reports (D.3.1.2, D.3.1.3)
- stakeholder workshops (Output 3.1)
 - feedback-questionnaire(D.3.3.1)
 - stakeholder lists (D.3.1.5) - PM

14:45 *Coffee break*

15:00 Work-package 04 – Explorative Danube

WP-lead: PP1 (AREC)

- presentation of
 - detailed approach, activities, expected outputs and deliverables – milestones & PP todos
 - overview on pilot activities

16:30 End of CAMARO-D meeting

Information on participation:

Please inform us until **March 10th** latest how many persons from your institution will participate in the meeting. A registration-file will be sent out separately within the next days.

For any questions, please don't hesitate to contact:

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Annotations to the Agenda:

Language:

The project partner meeting will be held in English!

Meeting costs

The venue, lunch and coffee will be provided.
Cost for travel and accommodation will be at the project partner's own cost.

Partners are asked to arrange their travel arrangements and accommodation by themselves. On the following page you will find hotel-recommendations, all located in the city-centre of Budapest.

The following information was provided by our hosting PP. HOI:

THE VENUE

HERMAN OTTÓ CONFERENCE CENTER
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<http://www.hoi.hu/>

HERMAN OTTÓ CONFERENCE CENTER is located 15 km from the city center, Budatétény train station is 10 minutes on foot, M0 ring road (motorway) is 2 minutes by car.

<https://www.google.com/maps/dir//47.408118,19.01307/@47.408118,19.01307,16z?hl=hu-HU>

PARKING

A fenced area next to the Convention Center has a limited number of parking options. For additional needs, a shopping center is across the road with free parking available.

PLEASE MAKE HOTEL RESERVATIONS WELL IN ADVANCE:

HOTEL-SUGGESTIONS

Hotel Marmara

<http://www.marmara.hu/>

Hotel President

<http://www.hotelpresident.hu/hu/>

Hotel Zenit Budapest Palace

<http://budapest.zenithoteles.com/hu>

TRANSPORTATION:

Various means of transport serve Budapest:

<http://www.bkk.hu/en/main-page/news/>

Trip Planner to Herman Ottó Institute :

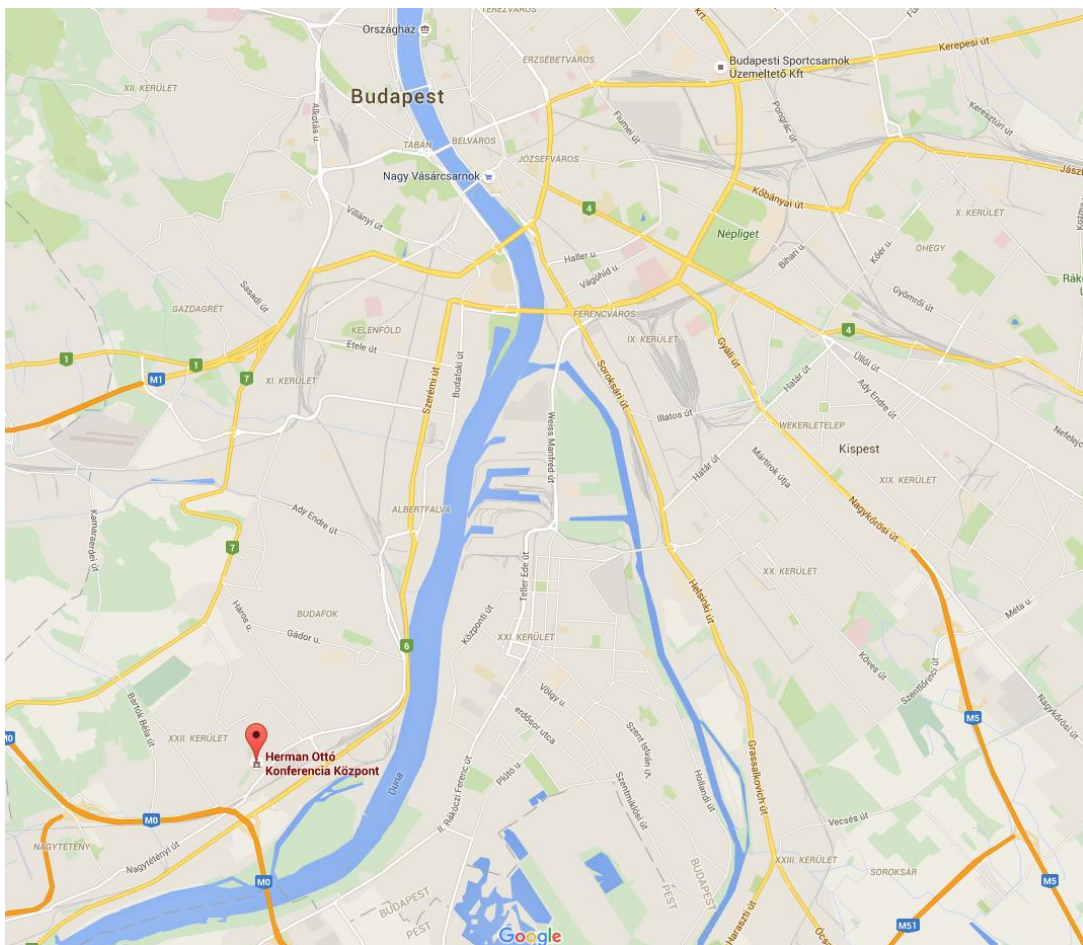
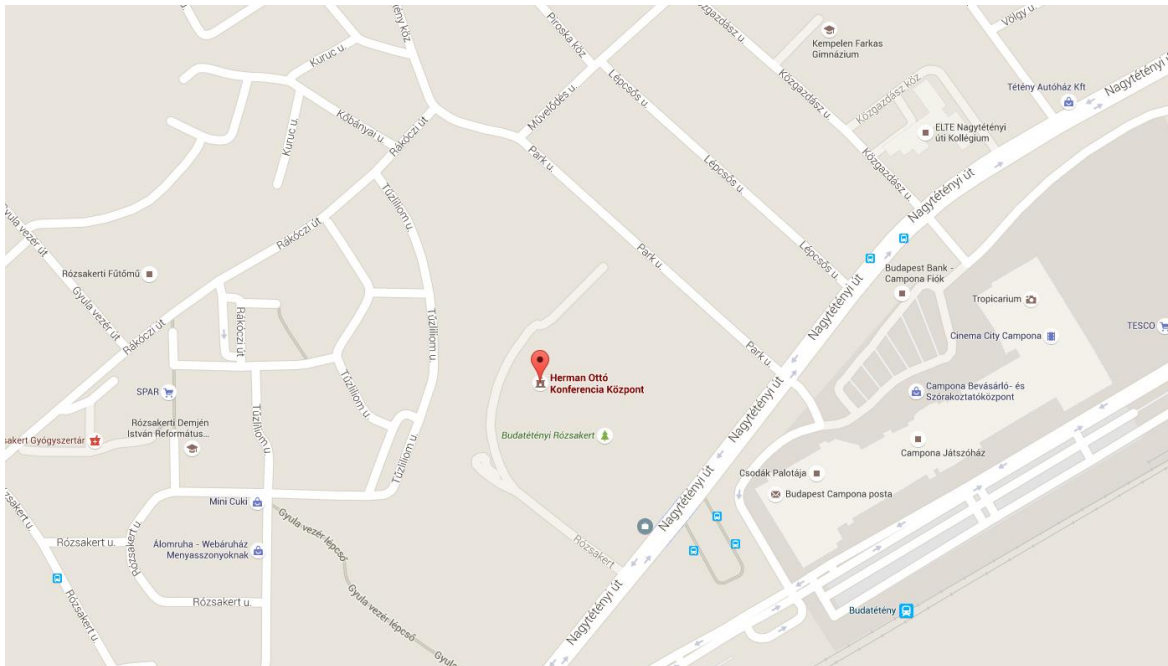
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From South Railwaystation (Déli pályaudvar) HOI is 20 minutes by train:

<http://elvira.mav-start.hu/elvira.dll/x/uf?iehack=%3F&ed=577E70D7&mikor=-1&isz=0&language=2&k=&ref=&retur=&nyit=& charset =UTF-8&vparam=&i=D%C3%A9li+%28Budapest%29+%5BBudapest-D%C3%A9li%5D&e=Budat%C3%A9rt%C3%A9ny&v=&d=16.07.08&u=1&go=Timetable>

Taxi is relatively cheap, fares are regulated centrally (~1EUR/km + 1,5EUR base fare), <http://www.greentaxi.hu/> is recommended (only electric cars).

Sitemap:



2. Project Partners

2.1 List of Project Partners

Role	Official Name in English	Acronym	Country
<i>LP</i>	Austrian Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management	BMLFUW	AUSTRIA
<i>ERDF PP1</i>	Agricultural Research and Education Center Raumberg-Gumpenstein	AREC	AUSTRIA
<i>ERDF PP2</i>	Municipality of the City of Vienna Department 31 – Vienna Water	MA31	AUSTRIA
<i>ERDF PP3</i>	University of Ljubljana	UL	SLOVENIA
<i>ERDF PP4</i>	Public Water Utility JP VODOVOD-KANALIZACIJA Ljubljana	JP VO_KA	SLOVENIA
<i>ERDF PP5</i>	Herman Otto Institute	HOI	HUNGARY
<i>ERDF PP6</i>	National Forest Administration	ROMSILVA	ROMANIA
<i>ERDF PP7</i>	National Meteorological Administration of Romania	NMA_RO	ROMANIA
<i>ERDF PP8</i>	Environmental Protection Agency Covasna	EPAC	ROMANIA
<i>ERDF PP9</i>	Executive Forest Agency	EFA	BULGARIA
<i>ERDF PP10</i>	Croatian Geological Survey	HGI_CGS	CROATIA
<i>ERDF PP11</i>	Czech Technical University in Prague	CTU	CZECH REPUBLIC
<i>ERDF PP12</i>	Forest Research Institute Baden-Württemberg, Dept. Soils and Environment	FVA_BW	GERMANY
<i>IPA PP1</i>	The Jaroslav Černi Institute for the Development of Water Resources	JCI	SERBIA
<i>ASP1</i>	Office of the Upper Austrian Federal State Government, Forest Service	UA_FS	AUSTRIA
<i>ASP2</i>	Office of the Styrian Federal State Government; Dep. 14 - Water management, resources and sustainability	S_FS	AUSTRIA
<i>ASP3</i>	Morava River Basin, state owned enterprise	PMO	CZECH REPUBLIC
<i>ASP4</i>	The University of Agricultural Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of Bucharest - Faculty of Land Reclamation and Environmental Engineering	USAMV_FIFIM	ROMANIA
<i>ASP5</i>	Styrian League for Nature Protection	NATURSCHUTZBUND Stmk	AUSTRIA
<i>ASP6</i>	Water Management System Covasna	SGAC	ROMANIA
<i>ASP7</i>	Croatian Waters	CW	CROATIA
<i>ASP8</i>	Republic of Serbia Ministry of Agriculture and Environmental protection, Water Directorate	RDV	SERBIA
<i>ASP9</i>	Bavarian State Institute of Forestry	LWF	GERMANY