

H2O & SUSTAINABILITY SUMMIT 2023

Pioneering the Future of Technology and Sustainability
October 19th – 20th, 2023 - Algarve, PORTUGAL

Thursday, October 19th, 2023

09:00 – Welcome Reception

09:30 – Opening speech

Dr. Rogério Bacalhau (Mayor of the City of Faro) - [confirmado](#)

Breve apontamento do Secretário de Estado do Ambiente, **Arq. Hugo Pires** - [confirmado](#)

Eng. José Pimenta Machado (Vice-president of Agência Portuguesa do Ambiente) – ponto de situação sobre a seca em Portugal e no sul do país em especial e medidas a tomar

Dr. António Pina (Presidente da AMAL) - [confirmado](#)

Dr. José Apolinário (Presidente CCDR Algarve) - [confirmado](#)

Telmo Vieira (Managing Partner at PremiValor Consulting & Prof. University of Lisbon) – [confirmado](#)

1. THE GLOBAL CHALLENGES OF SUSTAINABILITY ASSOCIATED WITH CLIMATE CHANGES

10:20 – ROUND TABLE:

Prof.^a Manuela Moreira da Silva (Professora da Universidade do Algarve e Investigadora no CIMA – ARNET; Investigadora do CEiiA) – [confirmado](#)

Prof.^a Manuela Simões (Nova School of Science & Technology – Nova University) – [confirmado](#)

Prof. Clemente Pedro Nunes (IST – Lisbon University) – [confirmado \(Online\)](#)

Lisa Ploeg (Economic & Trade Policy Officer) – [confirmado](#)

Moderator: **Prof. Carmona Rodrigues** (Nova School of Science & Technology – Nova University) [confirmado](#)

11:00 - BREAK & NETWORKING

2. SUSTAINABLE SMART CITIES – Challenges and Opportunities

11:20 – DISCUSSION PANEL:

Arq. Sophie Matias (Vereadora of the City of Faro) - [Confirmado](#)

Will Wynn (Former Mayor of Austin, Texas, USA) - [Confirmado](#)

Arq. Jorge Coelho (CM FARO) - [Confirmado](#)

Moderator: **Eng. Silvério Guerreiro** (Ordem Engenheiros) - [Confirmado](#)

12:15 - LUNCH BREAK & NETWORKING

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14:00 - Welcome reception of participants

14:35 - Opening session – Prof. Telmo Vieira (Managing Partner, PremiValor Consulting)

- Water and Sustainability challenges and the Sustainable Development Goals

3. FINANCIAL RESTRUCTURING OF WATER CONCESSIONS - CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES + WHAT ARE THE ALTERNATIVE WAYS FOR WATER SYSTEMS?

14:50 - DISCUSSION PANEL

Dr. Carlos Reis (Councillor of the City of BARCELOS) - [Confirmado](#)

Eng. Pedro Perdigão (CEO at INDAQUA) - [Confirmado](#)

Dra. Joana Carvalho (Managing Partner SFgo) - [Confirmado](#)

Dr. João Carlos Silva (Lawyer and former Vice-Chair of the Economy and Finance Committee at Portuguese Parliament) - [Confirmado](#)

Moderator: **Telmo Vieira** (Managing Partner, PREMIVALOR; Prof. ISEG-University of Lisbon) - [Confirmado](#)

15:30 - BREAK & NETWORKING

4. HOW CAN TECHNOLOGY HELP IN THE RESTRUCTURING/EFFICIENCY GAINS OF WATER SYSTEMS

DISCUSSION PANEL

16:00 - Intervention **VODAFONE** - **Eng. Mário Peres** – [Confirmado](#)

Intervention **MINSAIT** – **Dr. Pedro Moura** (Head of Phygital Division for Portugal) - [Confirmado](#)

Intervention **ZERTIVE** – **Eng. Jorge Costa Reis** - [Confirmado](#)

Intervention **INDAQUA** – **Eng. Pedro Perdigão** (CEO at INDAQUA) – [Confirmado](#)

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5. Concepts and trends on SUSTAINABILITY | ESG REPORTING

DISCUSSION PANEL

16:45 – **Dr. Marco Faria** (Efacec) - [Confirmado](#)

1. Sustainability concepts and trends | ESG and reporting
2. Regulation and reporting requirements

Dra. Carina Abreu (C More) - [Confirmado](#)

3. Reporting benchmarks and standards
4. CSRD Directive
5. Sustainability report

Moderator: **Maria João Vaz** (MAZARS) - [Confirmado](#)

6. INNOVATION & SUSTAINABILITY - STARTUPS PRESENTATIONS

5-min. Elevator Pitch & Jury Questions | STARTUPS Category

17:15 STARTUP presentation

17:20 STARTUP presentation

17:25 STARTUP presentation

17:30 STARTUP presentation

17:35 STARTUP presentation

17:40 – Closing Speech – **Telmo Vieira** (Managing Partner, PREMIVALOR; Prof. ISEG-University of Lisbon)

NETWORKING EVENT

18:15 - NETWORKING EVENT (Networking meeting among participants)

19:30 - Executive dinner for decision makers/CEO

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09:30 - Opening Speech – Dra. Rute Silva (Mayor of Vila do Bispo Municipality - Portugal) – [Confirmado](#)

7. SUSTAINABLE TOURISM and the implementation of ESG principles

09:45 - ROUND TABLE

Dr. Jorge Oliveira (General Manager at FOUR SEASONS FAIRWAYS – QUINTA DO LAGO) - [confirmado](#)

Dr. Alberto Mota Borges – a caminho da transição energética (Director do Aeroporto Faro) - [confirmado](#)

Dra. Susana Grácio (TURISMO DE PORTUGAL) - [confirmado](#)

Moderator: **Dr. Délio Pescada Guedelha** (Chief of Staff of the Mayor of the City of ALBUFEIRA) - [confirmado](#)

8. DESALINATION – CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

DISCUSSION PANEL

10:40 – Intervention

Eng. António Eusébio (CEO at ÁGUAS DO ALGARVE) - [confirmado](#)

Dr. Rogério Bacalhau (CM FARO) - [Confirmado](#)

Prof. João de Quinhones Levy (INSTITUTO SUPERIOR TÉCNICO) – [confirmado](#)

Dr. Tiago Martins (Docente IDEFE – ISEG | Administrador Grupo ETE | anterior Associate Partner KPMG) – [confirmado](#)

Eng. Pedro Coelho (APA - Agência Portuguesa do Ambiente) – [confirmado](#)

Moderator: **Dr. Carlos Manso** (INFRALOBO | Ordem dos Economistas) - [confirmado](#)

Questions & Answers

11:30 - BREAK & NETWORKING

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9. HOW CAN DATA & AI HELP TO ACHIEVE SUSTAINABILITY GOALS

DISCUSSION PANEL

12:00 – Eng. Mário Peres (VODAFONE) | VODAFONE – [confirmado](#)

Dr. Rui Castilho Dias (MINSAIT) - [Confirmado](#)

Eng. Nuno Silva Carvalho (Zertive) - [Confirmado](#)

Eng. Jóni Barroso (INDAQUA) - [Confirmado](#)

Dr. Paulo Santos (CM FARO) – Algarve Evolution - [Confirmado](#)

Moderator: Telmo Vieira (Managing Partner, PremiValor Consulting) - [Confirmado](#)

12:30 - LUNCH & NETWORKING

10. PITCH CEREMONY - 1ST EDITION – STUDENTS & RESEARCHERS

14:30 - Jury Presentation (Representative PORTUGAL VENTURES)

14:35 - 5-min. Elevator Pitch | TOP 5 Students Category

15:00 - 5-min. Elevator Pitch | TOP 5 PhD & Researchers Category

15:25 - BREAK & NETWORKING

11. PITCH CEREMONY - 1ST EDITION - STARTUPS

16:00 - 5-min. Elevator Pitch & Jury Questions | STARTUPS Category – [to be selected from the audience.](#)

16:20 - Will Wynn (Former Mayor of Austin, Texas, USA) – [KEYNOTE SPEAKER](#) - [Confirmado](#)

17:00 - Winning projects announcement (Students Category + PhD & Researchers Category) – Arq. Sophie Matias (city councilor of Faro) + Dra. Rute Silva (Mayor of Vila do Bispo Municipality) + Eng. Mário Peres (VODAFONE) + Dr. Alexandre Figueiredo (FOUR SEASONS FAIRWAYS) + Dra. Susana Grácio (TURISMO DE PORTUGAL) + Dra. Marta Santos (INDAQUA) + Dra. Rita Vasconcelos (PremiValor Consulting) + Dr. Pedro Moura (MINSAIT) + Eng.^a Maria João Vaz (MAZARS)

17:15 - Winning projects announcement (STARTUP Category) – Dr. Rogério Bacalhau (CM FARO) + Dr. José Apolinário (Presidente CCDR Algarve) + Prof. Telmo Vieira (PREMIVALOR CONSULTING) + Dr. Carlos Manso (INFRALOBO | Ordem dos Economistas) + Dr. Jorge Oliveira (FOUR SEASONS FAIRWAYS) + Eng. Jóni Barroso (INDAQUA) + Dra. Filomena Pastor (PORTUGAL VENTURES) + Dr. Rui Castilho Dias (MINSAIT)

17:30 - Closing Session – Dr. Rogério Bacalhau (Mayor of the City of Faro)