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Welcome and Introduction

9:15 – 9:45

Welcome
Sara Cavelli (SIOI)
Giuseppe Palmisano (ISGI - CNR)

Introductory remarks
Gemma Andreone (ISGI - CNR)
Vito De Lucia (JCLOS)

Session 1: Ocean Commons and the Common Heritage of Mankind

9:45 – 11:30

Chair: Sergio Marchisio (University of Rome “La Sapienza”)

The Common Heritage of Mankind in International Law: a Great Past but no Future? Ornella Ferrajolo (ISGI - CNR)

The Concept of Commons in International Law and Marine Genetic Resources: Some Reflections, Vito De Lucia (JCLOS)

Common Heritage Applied to Mineral Resources of the Seabed. Lessons Learnt from the International Seabed Authority, Marzia Rovere (ISMAR - CNR)

Looking for “Submerged Commons”: Towards a New Era for Underwater Cultural Heritage, Francesca Varvello (University of Turin)

Q&A (20 minutes)

Coffee Break: 11.30 - 11.50

Session 2: Marine Genetic Resources

11:50 - 13:30

Chair: Ida Caracciolo (University of Campania “Luigi Vanvitelli”)

Regulating Marine Genetic Resources: What Can We Learn from the Nagoya Protocol?, Morten Wallø Tvedt (The Fridtjof Nansen Institute)

Marine Scientific Research and Bioprospecting, Nele Matz-Lück (JCLOS - University of Kiel)

Digital Commons? The question of in silico access, Elisa Morgera (SCELG - University of Strathclyde)

Marine Genetic Resources in Areas beyond National Jurisdiction: Do We Need to Regulate Them in a New Agreement?, David Leary (University of Technology Sydney)

Q&A (20 minutes)

Lunch Break: 13:30 - 14:30

Session 3: Biodiversity Conservation

14:30 - 16:30

Chair: Gianfranco Tamburelli (ISGI- CNR)

Navigating the Alphabet Soup: MGRs, MPAs, ABNJ, Rosemary Rayfuse (University of New South Wales)

Biodiversity and the Difficult Interaction between the Extended Continental Shelf and the High Seas, Virginie Tassin (Sciences Po/VTa Tassin Law Firm)

Ocean Commons in the EU Perspective, Claudia Cinelli (JCLOS - University of Pisa)

Q&A (20 minutes)