28th-29th November 2011, Cassis, France

UNESCO IHP organized an Expert Meeting on the topic of "Coastal Aquifer Management in the Mediterranean" focusing on management issues and challenges including aquifer vulnerability and protection, submarine springs and seawater intrusion. The meeting was organized under the framework of UNESCO's Sub-component 1.1 on "Managing Coastal Aquifer and Groundwater" of the GEF UNEP/MAP "Strategic Partnership for the Mediterranean Sea Large Marine Ecosystem (MedPartnership). The meeting was also a preparatory meeting for the organization of a side event on this topic at the 6th World Water Forum to be held in March 2012 in Marseille, France. The meeting was co-organized and hosted by the Ville de Cassis, France, and G.E. M. I. S. C. (Cassis-Mysterious River) on 27-28 November 2011.

INWEB coordinator Prof. Jacques Ganoulis contributed to the meeting with his experience in the region.

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