

**Implementation of the EUROMAB NETWORK ACTION PLAN as of September 2009**

<b>Science</b>	Promoting EuroMAB to be included in existing monitoring networks emphasizing the socioeconomic and ecological monitoring recognizing MAB tools (BRIM, GLOCHAMORE)	MAB Secretariat and MAB National Committees
	Global Change in Mountain Regions ( <a href="#">GLOCHAMORE</a> )	
	Launching an e-working group on citizens and science ( <a href="#">More</a> ) Enhancing citizen contributions to biodiversity science and public policy ( <a href="#">More</a> )	France MAB Committee
	Linking with other UNESCO Intergovernmental science programmes to develop climate change related science projects on Biosphere Reserves at a national and regional level.  <a href="#">UNESCO Intersectoral Platform for Action to Address Climate Change</a>  <a href="#">Brochure on the UNESCO Strategy</a>	MAB Secretariat
	Initiating scoping studies on how biosphere reserves can provide social benefits.  <a href="#">Quality economies: reconciling conservation and utilization of natural resources</a>	MAB Secretariat and UNESCO BRESCE Office
<b>Development</b>	Feasibility studies for sustainable economic practices for selected enterprises in order to facilitate sustainable business development	MAB National Committees
	Disseminating and further applying the approaches and lessons learnt from the UNEP/GEF Project "Conservation and Sustainable Use of Biodiversity through Sound Tourism Development in Biosphere Reserves in Central and Eastern Europe" in the region, with particular emphasis on SEE	MAB National Committees and interested biosphere reserves, MAB Secretariat, UNESCO BRESCE Office
	Compiling existing activities/mechanisms for payment for ecosystem services, ecosystem and MA approaches  On Payment for ecosystem Services ( <a href="#">English</a> / <a href="#">French</a> )	MAB National Committees
<b>Education</b>	Publishing guidelines for Biosphere Reserve Coordinators on how to "deal with climate change at a reserve level?"	MAB Secretariat
	Promoting twinning of biosphere reserves schools in the framework of DESD through <a href="#">EuroMAB web platform</a> .	France MAB Committee
	Developing, testing and disseminating teaching and learning tools (textbook initially developed by MIO-ECSDE / Greek MAB NC) referred to MAB BRs as "learning places" for DESD	MAB National Committees and interested biosphere reserves, MAB Secretariat,

		UNESCO BRESCE Office
<b>Capacity building</b>	Organizing a workshop on how to attract finance for climate mitigation projects through Kyoto Protocol and others	MAB Secretariat
	Organizing a training course on MA framework on ecosystem services	MAB Secretariat
	Studies on existing legislation on biosphere reserves ( <a href="#">English</a> / <a href="#">French</a> )	France MAB Committee
	Organizing training courses on the methodology to establish or revise the zonation in biosphere reserves, based on the ARDI ( <i>Actors, Resources, Dynamics and Interaction</i> ) methodology. ( <a href="#">More</a> )	France MAB Committee
<b>Learning</b>	Catalogue of adaptation and mitigation practices in EuroMAB and beyond.  PLEASE FULFILL THE <a href="#">QUESTIONNAIRE</a> from the GERMAN MAB NATIONAL COMMITTEE before <b>15 October 2009</b>	MAB Secretariat and Germany MAB National Committee
	Research and education opportunities leaflets for Universities	Austria MAB National Committee
	Synthesis of information on zonation patterns in biosphere reserves, including lessons learned and difficulties	MAB Secretariat
	Publishing on the EuroMAB website the availability of the universal biosphere reserve label procedure, the procedure of applying the label and the pilot sites which are already using the label.  <a href="#">UNESCO Name and Logo Directives</a>	MAB Secretariat
	Organizing a special forum for sites to share their urban biosphere experience at the next EuroMAB meeting	MAB Secretariat
<b>Policy</b>	Setting up adaptation and mitigation policies strategies and actions in a range of reserves to demonstrate science and policy interaction incorporating local and cultural knowledge as well as scientific information.	MAB Secretariat and MAB National Committees
	Delivering actions with all sectors including the private sector exploring the costs and opportunities of climate change	MAB National Committees
	Networking of Cities – coordinating a network of urban areas with an interest in the use of the Biosphere Concept	MAB Secretariat
	Promoting on EU level the important function of agro-environmental schemes for the Biosphere reserves and offer biosphere reserves to be used as testing sites	MAB National Committees