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Agenda GEOTRACES Mediterranean Meeting 2

COST Action ES0801

Toulouse, France, October 5th 2011

Objective: To plan for international research activities cruises in the Mediterranean Sea

9:00 Coffee and introductions

9.30-12.30 Presentations about the Mediterranean cruises and process studies (20min speach, 5min questions)

- GEOTRACES activities in the Mediterranean Sea: objectives and plan (L.Coppola, 5min)
- -The Pelagia planned cruise (period, stations, sampling) (M.Rijkenberg)
- -Spanish proposal plan for a second section cruise (J.Garcia-Orellana)
- -Process studies in the NW. Mediterranean Sea (L.Coppola/M.A Sicre)
- -Process studies in the Adriatic Sea (F.Spagnoli)
- -Process studies in the Eastern Mediterranean Sea (E.Kaberi/E.Stathopoulou)
- -Intercalibration procedures in GEOTRACES (G.Cutter)

12.30-13.30 Lunch

13.30-18.00 Discussions

- Pelagia cruise: gaps in term of area and process studies/parameters
- Spanish cruise (proposal to submit at the end of the 2011):
 - scientific objectives
 - selected process studies
 - planned section
 - year and season of cruise
 - list of parameters
 - sampling and equipment required
 - staffing of cruise
 - next steps in the proposal redaction

16.00-16.15: coffee break

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- Intercalibration issues: procedures and planning (parameters, labs, periods?)

