















MAWAC-ENA WORKSHOP

PARIS

November 2025

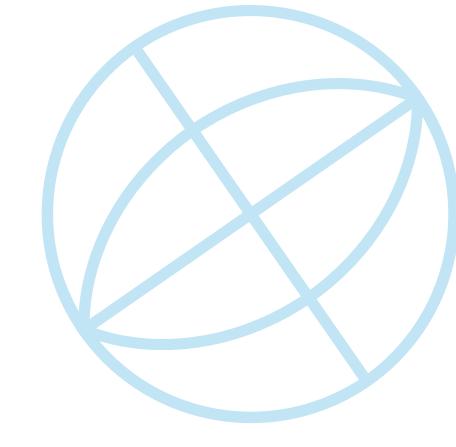












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A regional NPO dedicated to transfer knowledge in the water sector

ARCEAU IdF is a non-profit organization founded in April 2013 by several local communities and research laboratories from the Paris region.

Its activity is mainly oriented towards the transfer of both scientific knowledge and pioneering actions in the water sector.

ARCEAU IdF is a pluralist debate platform, connecting at the regional level NPOs, researchers, operators and elected officials

OPERATORS

RESEARCHERS

ARCEAU

ELECTED
OFFICIALS

Web site: https://arceau-idf.fr/en

Main members in 2025



- Greater Paris Metropolis
- Paris City
- Départements of Seine Saint-Denis, Val de Marne and Hauts de Seine
- Water of Paris
- SIAAP
- Public institution of Seine Grands Lacs
- Marne Vive association

Working Groups

ARCEAU IdF conducts at the regional and national level multi-actor working groups, based on a pair working team formed by a researcher and an operator:



SMALL RIVERS ANALYSES
THE OPPORTUNITIES
GENERATED BY THE
RESTORATION AND THE
EXPLOITATION OF SMALL
URBAN RIVERS IN ILE-DEFRANCE



STORMWATER AND THE CITY
AIMS TO REINFORCE THE
DIALOGUE BETWEEN
SCIENTISTS, OPERATORS
AND ALL PROFESSIONAL
ACTORS CONCERNED BY
STORMWATER TOPICS



SOURCE SEPARATION
EXAMINES AT SOURCE
SEPARATION OF DOMESTIC
WASTEWATER



KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT IN THE WATER FIELD



INTERNATIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

International involvement

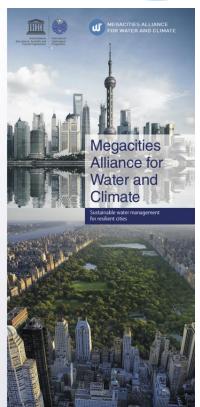
 ARCEAU IdF is involved in the creation of a Megacities Alliance on Water and Climate.

in partnership with UNESCO-IHP, SIAAP, ICLEI, and with the help of the Global Alliances for Water and Climate (GAfWaC), the Greater Paris Metropolis and the French Ministry of Ecology and Solidarity based **Transition**

- The MAWAC aims to facilitate the dialogue on water, through which megacities will:
 - learn from each other's experience,

 - exchange best practices, design and implement their own responses to the current challenges (energy, climate change, IA, ...)





3 major events with UNESCO: Dec 2015/Dec 2020/Jan 2022

Ressources



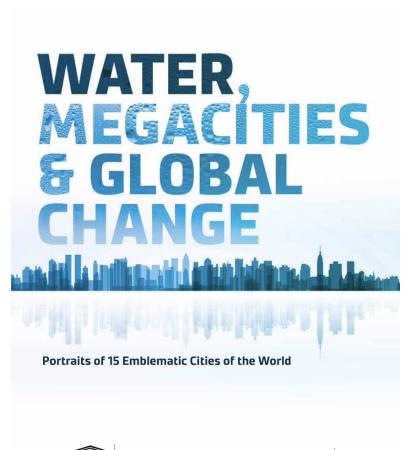
Knowledge management



Short films



Documents







Milestones of the MAWAC /1



December 2015: Presentation of the project of a future platform for cooperation between Megacities in the field of water management and climate change by UNESCO-IHP, ARCEAU IdF and ICLEI and adoption by those present at the EauMéga 2015 conference. Presentation of the same text at the COP21 in Paris

November 2017: Presentation of the Alliance concept at COP23 as part of the "Global Climate Action Marrakech Partnership"

2016

2015 2017

July 2016: Edition of a UNESCO-IHP, ICLEI and ARCEAU IdF leaflet describing a programme for the implementation of the Alliance with the help of the UNESCO-IHP working group, and a support unit created within ARCEAU IdF with the support of Megacities

Milestones of the MAWAC /2



May 2019: Meeting in São Paulo for the creation of the regional section "Latin America and Caribbean"

September 2023: Presentation of the MAWAC at the Efficient conference at Bordeaux

2020 2024

2019 2023

March 2020: Letter from UNESCO-IHP to Professor Ilan Juran of New York University asking him to participate in the creation of the Europe-North America section of the Alliance May 2024: IHP Council 26th with the launching of a new working group on the structuration of the MAWAC

The way for MAWAC - ENA





2023

March 2023: MAWAC-ENA workshop in New-York: presentation of the work of the different Megacities in the field of water management



2025

November 2025 in Paris: towards the implementation of future common research projects?

September 2024: MAWAC-ENA workshop in London: discussions about what kind of common projects we can support between the Megacities



Thank you for your attention!



















