

Minutes of the Working Group Committee Meeting of the COST Action

**CA20130 – European MIC Network – WG3
Development of innovative monitoring
technologies**

Malaga Group Meeting & Online MS Teams meeting

13th September 2023

Hosted by WG 3 Chair: Matthew Snape

Minutes: Matthew Snape

Meeting Request: 119 Invited, 24 Accepted, 10 Tentative, 9 Declined, 76 No Response (MS Teams access is limited to 30 attendees)

Attendance: 17 Attendees (listed below)

Matthew Snape (WG3 Lead)

Andre de Araujo Abilio (WG3 Vice Lead)

Andreas Erbe (Technical Presentation)

Regine Basseguy

Husnu Gerengi

Torben Lund Skovhus

Herve Guene

Abdelkader Meroufel

Geert Potters

Elsa Georgiza

Juho Lehmusto

Jan Kuever

Clara Assunta Di Iorio

Mario Mitov

Marc Jeannin

Dora Taggert

George (Guest)

The Meeting 10 recording was secured and presentation slides will be attached to these minutes.

The following key discussion points were raised during the meeting:

Discussion Point	Raised by	Agreed Output
Technical Presentation	Andreas Erbe	Andreas shared his insight on the strengths and limits of LPR in corrosion monitoring. This generated effective discussions. Volunteers are required for future meetings. Torben agreed to invite Liam Jones to showcase his ongoing PhD work for a future sharing session.
Technical Moment	Matthew Snape	Matt shared an example of a recent review article publication developed and issued by the Euro-MIC team led by Judit. Attendees advised to read the article and provide feedback on how we can expand on this starting point for further reviews and publications from WG3.
COST Action Updates	Matthew Snape	Move to execution phase. A KO meeting will be arranged for infrastructure next week. Any GP3 (Oct 2023 – Sept 2024) budget demands need to be sent to Matt by Friday 15 th September.

Communication	Matthew Snape	Sub-Group leads to collect and send sub-group summaries updates for upload to the COST action Euro-MIC web site.
Citizen Science	Matthew Snape	Cost driven demand to share examples from the last year of Citizen science initiatives with links to MIC. An example was shared from Husnu, great work to support MIC education following the Duzce training event.
Team Structure	Matthew Snape	Technical Sub-Groups have now been consolidated to aid in task and action plan completion with higher numbers and member representation aimed to assist task execution. Please attend sub-group meetings as requested and offer your kind execution support.
Technical Lead Roles	Matthew Snape	Volunteers required to join Industrial Water or Infrastructure core team – emails to Matt and Andre please.
Execution Timeline	Matthew Snape	We remain on course against the deliverables timeline but need to move into execution mode quickly in terms of technical authorship and publications ASAP. Discussed the ambiguity on the M24 Vs agreed gantt chart, they do not align and hence D8 and D9 timings have been modified to M30 and M36 accordingly to match. Review articles due by M30 (March 2024) Publications due by M36 (September 2024) or ideally before.
Publishing	Matthew Snape	Technical governance committee were established early doors to support the publication routing demand. All sub-group leads to reach out to the panel of 4 highly experienced members for support and opportunity development with respect to publication of review articles as per D8/D9 deliverables and timeline.
Schedule / Next Steps	Matthew Snape	Next WG3 meeting will be Wed 22 nd November 2023. A new calendar invite has been issued for 6 bi-monthly meetings in 2024 starting Jan 10 th onwards. Please continue sub-group meetings and execution of action plans as a priority. Contact Matt and Andre as required by email during this period for any clarifications on the execution phase / plans.
MC and WG meetings	Matthew Snape	MC Meeting will be 14 th September 2023. 3 x WG Meetings/ Workshops / Training Events (Den Helder, Lisbon, Budapest) in plan for 2024.
Execution Moment	Matthew Snape	Great work from Andre, Juho, Matt and Sam to get the WG1/3 joint survey focussed on corrosion in your sector developed and issued. Please use the QR code to promote survey completion with your contacts and at conferences. The QR code can be transferred to any product or item for promotion.

		The following link can also be used: EURO-MIC Survey
AOB / Feedback Loop	Matthew Snape	Member engagement and feedback is critical to the WG execution. Please continue to provide your feedback.

The following key action points were promoted for WG3 Member execution:

Action	Raised by	Planned Execution	Deadline
1) GP3 Budget Plan	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	Any budget spend required in GP3 needs to be communicated by sub-group leads to Matt and Andre by Friday 15 th September	Sept 15 th 2023 (This week)
2) Citizen Science	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	Email Matthew.snape@sgs.com to offer your ideas and support, essential demand to report several examples of the community inclusion form MC within WG's. Use Husnu example as inspiration!	Oct 1 st 2023
3) Volunteers required for future technical and execution moments	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	Email Matthew.snape@sgs.com to offer your ideas and support, Young Researchers actively desired to share current projects / Industry engagement also important	Ongoing
4) Execution Mode – All sub-group leads to now implement action plans to meet D8/D9 target milestones by M230/36. 6 months will quickly be depleted.	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	New group members assignment due to consolidation will be communicated	Q4 2023 (Progress Report and updated to Euro_MIC website)
5) Engagement – Sub-groups needing KO meetings	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	Meetings will be arranged ASAP for Infrastructure sub-group	Oct 1 st 2023

6) Next WG Meeting	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	November 22 nd	Complete
7) Volunteers required	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	Volunteers required for Industrial Water and Infrastructure roles	Oct 1 st 2023
8) Survey Promotion	Matthew Snape to all WG3 Members	Promotion for completion using the QR code, lots of conferences with an option to promote using a simple printed copy. Add QR code to email signature, any other good ideas?	Oct 1 st 2023