



## Capacity building of the water councils in Crimea (project in Ukraine)

### Content

A Training Needs Assessment for the members of three Water Councils in Crimea, Ukraine, was executed in a previous phase (2008). Afterwards, collaborative options for a possible local partner for the co-implementation of future training activities were researched and a local partner was identified. In the next 'LOGO East II' programme, a follow-up on the Training Needs Assessment is required through the development of a course on governance and multi stakeholder coordination, with the improvement of the Water Councils' performance as objective.

### Proposal

**World Water Academy** has been requested to assist in the development and implementation of these training activities. World Water Academy designed and developed a training program consisting of two two-day-sessions. Considering the differences between the three Water Councils, each Water Council will be offered a personally modified course that is designed to take these differences into account. World Water Academy developed the general course programme including the materials and assisted the training partner in the fine tuning of the programmes. The Dutch staff assisted the local trainers with the selection and use of interactive training methods. During the sessions and the course implementation, they coached and mentored the trainers.

### Realization

In the preparatory phase, World Water Academy and the local training counterpart prepared the training sessions including the training materials and hand-outs. During two short missions, a training expert with extensive expertise in the field of water management, coordinated the three training courses. Also Dutch governors contributed to the training sessions by exchanging their experiences to their Ukrainian colleagues. Interactive training sessions, which were a new experience for the participants, were highly appreciated and encouraged participation. Not only did the courses contain a lot of information, they were exciting for the participants as well.

### Location:

Krasnogvardeiskiy, Dzhankoy & Salgir (Ukraine)

### Period:

2009-2010

### Partners:

Water authority Groot-Salland (NL) & the Water Authorities of Krasnogvardeiskiy, Dzhankoy & Salgir (UA)



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