



# H2020 MaRINET-2 Project

Training course on

# "Model scale testing of tidal energy converters

## in towing tanks and depressurised channels"

Organized by CNR-INM, The Marine Engineering Institute

Italian National Research Council

(former INSEAN)

Rome, Italy, February 25 – 28, 2019



### **Course program summary:**

Day	Activity
Monday 25	Introduction to MaRINET-2 & of Training Course program
	Presentation of CNR-INM
	Towing tank and water flume testing environments
	Scaled models and testing protocols
	Measurement equipment and data acquisition
Tuesday 26	Performance measurements: towing tank Vs. flume
	Flume tank testing session: turbine performance
	Cavitation
	Visit to cavitation tunnel: examples of cavitation tests
Wednesday 27	Velocimetry techniques
	Wave current interaction
	Towing tank testing session: wave/current interaction study
Thursday 28	Integrating experimental work with computational modelling
	Tidal turbine technology development: a case study
	Application to MaRINET-2 TNA calls and wrap-up

#### Venue:

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### **Course outline:**

### Monday 25

09:30 - 10:00	Welcome coffee and get together with speakers
Session 1.1	Introduction to MaRINET-2 courses & to CNR-INM
	Auditorium talk – Speakers: F. Salvatore, F. Di Felice
	<ul> <li>The MaRINET-2 Project and TNA program</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>MaRINET-2 Training Courses (TC): presentation of the Training</li> </ul>
	Course program on tidal turbine testing
	<ul> <li>Presentation of CNR-INM: profile, activities, infrastructures</li> </ul>
	Discussion, Q&A
Session 1.2	Towing tank and water flume testing environments
	Auditorium talk – Speakers: F. Di Felice
	<ul> <li>Description of facilities for testing turbines at laboratory scale</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Modelling tidal site conditions in tanks and flumes</li> </ul>
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13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break
Session 1.3	Scaled models and testing protocols
	Auditorium talk – Speaker: I. Santic
	<ul> <li>Scaling criteria: Buckingham Pi Theorem, scaling laws</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Device classification: Horizontal/cross-flow/kyte/</li> </ul>
	PTO modelling
	<ul> <li>Model device: requirements for successful tests</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Test procedures: ITTC, Equimar, MaRINET-x, IEC</li> </ul>
Session 1.4	Measurement equipment and data acquisition
	Auditorium talk – Speaker: I. Santic
	<ul> <li>Basic concept of measurement</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Resource: flow speed, turbulence, waves</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Device performance: RPM and global loads, velocimetry, radiated noise</li> </ul>
	Data acquisition
	• Special set-up: Single-blade loads sensors, pointwise pressure on
	blade, blade deflections
16:30 - 17:00	Adjurn

### Tuesday 26

9:30	Welcome
Session 2.1	Performance measurements: towing tank Vs. flume Auditorium talk – Speaker: F. Di Felice
Session 2.2	<ul> <li>Set-up in a towing tank: supported, floating devices</li> <li>Set-up in a flume: supported, bottom fixed devices</li> <li>Flume test: presentation of test exercise</li> <li>Flume tank testing session: turbine performance</li> <li>Access to facility – Speaker: F. Di Felice         <ul> <li>Experimental set-up: test matrix definition</li> <li>Trials in the depressurised circulating water channel</li> <li>Analysis: data acquisition and post processing</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break
Session 2.3	<ul> <li>Cavitation</li> <li>Auditorium talk – Speaker: F. Alves Pereira</li> <li>The physics of multi-phase flows</li> <li>Inception and cavitation on lifting surfaces and turbines</li> </ul>
Session 2.4	<ul> <li>Testing turbine cavitation in depressurized flumes</li> <li>Visit to cavitation tunnel facility</li> <li>Access to Facility – Speaker: F. Alves Pereira</li> <li>Visit to the cavitation tunnel facility</li> <li>Examples of model rotor tests in depressurised conditions</li> </ul>
16:30 – 17:00	Adjurn

### Wednesday 27

9:30	Welcome
Session 3.1	Advanced velocimetry techniques
	Auditorium talk – Speaker: G. Aloisio, S. Grizzi, M. Falchi
	<ul> <li>Laser-Doppler Velocimetry (LDV)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Particle-Image Velocimetry (PIV, S-PIV)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Set-up examples for LDV and PIV in tow and flume tanks</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Velocimetry studies: Laboratory vs. tidal site</li> </ul>
Session 3.2	Waves and wave/current interaction
	Auditorium talk – Speakers: L. Fabbri, G. Colicchio
	<ul> <li>Wave theory: regular waves</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Wave theory: irregular waves and sea spectra</li> </ul>
	Wave-current interaction
	<ul> <li>Effects of wave motions on turbine performance</li> </ul>
Session 3.3	Towing tank testing session: wave/current interaction study
30331011 3.3	Access to facility – Speaker: L. Fabbri, M. Falchi, G. Colicchio
	<ul> <li>Experimetal set-up: test matrix definition</li> </ul>
	Trials in the wave tank
	<ul> <li>Analysis: wave propagation, test results compared with theoretical model/numerical data</li> </ul>
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break
Session 3.4	Towing tank testing session: wave/current interaction study
	Access to facility – Speaker: L. Fabbri, M. Falchi, G. Colicchio
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10.30 - 11.00	Aujum

### Thursday 28

9:30	Welcome
Session 4.1	<ul> <li>Integrating experimental work with computational modelling</li> <li>Auditorium talk – Speaker: G. Dubbioso, D. Calcagni, F. Salvatore</li> <li>Variable fidelity models: BEM, BIEM, Navier-Stokes and hybrid models</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>CFD models to support design of experimental campaign and set-up preparation</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Planning experiments and elaboration of measured data to build databeses for validation of CFD models</li> </ul>
Session 4.2	<ul> <li>Tidal turbine technology development: a case study</li> <li>Auditorium talk – Speaker: t.b.c.</li> <li>A guest speaker from Industry will present developer's viewpoint on the importance of lab-scale tests for the development of devices</li> </ul>
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break
Session 4.3	<ul> <li>Course conclusion</li> <li>Auditorium talk – Speakers: F. Di Felice, F. Salvatore <ul> <li>how to develop device TRL through model tests</li> <li>how to successfully apply to MaRINET-2 TNA calls</li> <li>Wrap-up discussion and audience feedback</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
16:00	End of Course

#### Accommodation and getting to CNR-INM

Rome is a top destination for tourism and business travels and has a rich offer for accommodation, with more than 1000 hotels and hundreds of guest houses, B&B and other all-budget solutions. Assuming that visitors will use popular accommodation search engines available on the web, here city areas with easy connection to CNR-INM and to the city transport network are indicated. A number of 3-4 stars hotels is also given for completeness (see Map no.3 and list).

CNR-INM is located in the South edge of Rome, in **Via di Vallerano, 139**. Using public transport, **bus no. 071** connects Via di Vallerano with Subway Stop **EUR FERMI (Metro Line B)**, see maps no. 1 and 2. Then, it can be convenient to look for accommodation in the **EUR district**, or in city areas close to Metro Line B stations between EUR and **TERMINI**. Termini is the city central railway station and main hub for public transports: Metro lines A, B, city buses, train and bus connections to city airports: Fiumicino/Leonardo da Vinci (FCO) and Ciampino/Pastine (CIA).

#### **City transports**

Public transports company is **ATAC**: <u>https://www.atac.roma.it/index.asp?lingua=ENG</u> Basic ticket costs 1,50 Euro and is valid for 100 minutes on all tranports, any number of changes (except for Metro, where it is valid for 1 ride only). Other options include 24/48/72 hours, weekly Tickets. An application for smartphones is available for easy ticketing. See details on: <u>https://www.atac.roma.it/page.asp?p=229&i=14</u>

An interactive Map for city Metro lines can be found on: http://viaggiacon.atac.roma.it/index.html?language=eng

#### **Airport transports**

A single website for the two city airports: <u>http://www.adr.it</u> Fiumicino (FCO) is connected to the city by train, bus and taxi. Train is the most effective connection. Two options:

- Leonardo Express, non-stop service to/from Rome Termini railway station leaving every 15 minutes\* with a journey time of 32 minutes. One-way ticket costs 14,00 Euro.
- Regional FL1 trains to/from several stations in Rome, including Rome Tiburtina railway station, with departures every 15 minutes on weekdays and every 30 minutes on weekends and holidays. One-way ticket costs 8,00 Euro. Trains can be crowded during rush hours.

Please check timetable for trains before 6am and after 11pm. More details and timetables on: <u>http://www.adr.it/web/aeroporti-di-roma-en-/pax-fco-to-and-from</u> Or visiting **TRENITALIA** railway company website: <u>https://www.trenitalia.com/</u>

The easiest way to connect Ciampino airport (CIA) and Rome is by bus or taxi. See details on: <a href="http://www.adr.it/web/aeroporti-di-roma-en-/pax-cia-bus">http://www.adr.it/web/aeroporti-di-roma-en-/pax-cia-bus</a>

#### Getting to Rome by train

Long distance trains stop in **TERMINI** station (central station). This is the main hub for public transports, including Metro lines A, B, city buses, train and bus connections to airports.

A limited number of trains stop in **TIBURTINA** station and **OSTIENSE** station. Both stations are served by metro Line B.







**B1 - Hotel Alpi** (\*\*\*\*) <u>http://www.hotelalpi.com/</u> Via Castelfidardo, 84 - 00185 Rome Tel. +39 06 444 1235 Email: <u>info@hotelalpi.com</u>

**B3** - Hotel Best Western Villafranca (\*\*\*\*) www.villafrancaroma.it Via Villafranca, 9 - 00185 Rome Tel. +39 06 444 0364 Email: <u>info@hotelvillafrancaroma.it</u>

**B4 - Hotel Best Western Art Deco'** (\*\*\*\*) <u>www.hotelartdecorome.com</u> Via Palestro, 19 – 00185 Rome Tel. +39 06 4457588 Email: <u>info@hotelartdecorome.com</u>

**B5** - Hotel Astoria Garden (\*\*\*) <u>www.hotelastoriagarden.it</u> Via Vittorio Bachelet, 8 - 00185 Rome Tel. +39 06 446 9908 Email: <u>hotelastoriagarden@tiscalinet.it</u>

**B6** - Hotel Best Western Canada (\*\*\*) www.hotelcanadaroma.com/ Via Vicenza, 58 - 00185 Rome Tel. +39 06 4457770 Email: info@hotelcanadaroma.com

C2 - HOTEL ATLANTICO (\*\*\*\*) www.romehotelatlantico.it

Via Cavour, 23 (near to Metro Station "Termini") tel. +39 06 485951 fax +39 06 4827492 Email: <u>atlantico@bettojahotels.it</u>

#### C3 - HOTEL DIANA (\*\*\*\*) www.hoteldianaroma.com

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C4 - HOTEL MERCURE DELTA COLOSSEO (\*\*\*\*) http://www.accorhotels.com/gb/hotel-2909-mercure-roma-centro-colosseo/index.shtml Via Labicana, 144 (near to Metro Station "Colosseo") tel : +39 06 770021 Email : <u>H2909@accor.com</u>

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