

EU Workshop
on
The Protection of European Water Resources
Contaminated Sites, Landfills and Sediments

Venice, 21 – 23 June, 2000

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The workshop was structured into five technical sessions: Sediments, Detection/Monitoring, Soil Remediation, Groundwater Remediation and Risk Assessment/Decision Support Systems. Priority needs for future R&D work were identified during 'strategic discussions'.

A final 'brainstorming' session tried to develop ideas on how the identified themes of 'benchmarking', 'virtual centres of excellence', 'research and education networks' and 'research infrastructures', that are elements of the future framework for European research, could be linked with the R&D Action Line 'Contaminated land, landfills and sediments'.

The proceedings of the workshop, with the summaries of the 'strategic discussions', can be requested from the ETCA Secretariat and will be available on the ETCA web-page (www.etcanet.org).

The next annual progress review workshop in this series is scheduled for the end of May 2001 and will be hosted by the University of Leeds, UK.

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