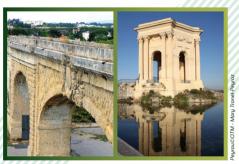
# Venue Information: The Event will take place at the Corum, at the heart of the Mediterranean city of Montpellier, France.

Bu car: Follow Montpellier / Centre Historiaue Le Corum.

By train: 10 minutes walk from Montpellier St-Roch railway station.

By tramway: Lines n°1, 2, 4, «Corum» stop.

Bu plane: From the airport of Montpellier take the shuttle up to «Place de l'Europe», then take tramway lines n°1, 4, «Corum» stop.





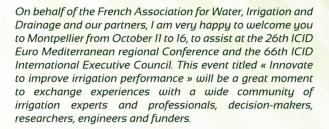
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# **Invitation from** François BRELLE

**AFEID President** Vice-President of ICID



During the three days of the conference you will have the opportunity to attend thematic sessions presenting the best international contributions on drip irrigation for water saving, on potential for wastewater use in agriculture, and on governance issues for groundwater use in agriculture. Numerous side events - workshops, round table discussions, and technical visits - will be held throughout the week in order to exchange and to enrich experiences between irrigation experts during multiple meetings. Companies working on irrigation issues in France and abroad will have the opportunity to present their knowledge and products in the 240 m<sup>2</sup> exhibition hall.

The South of France, and the Mediterranean region in particular, has a very long tradition in water management, and especially in irrigation issues. Montpellier and Languedoc are proud of their rich heritage of ancient hydraulic structures. It is also a place of concentration of scientific and technical research, of innovations and a worldwide reputation in agronomy and water sciences.

Irrigation associations and Regional Development Companies, le Canal de Provence, le Bas Rhône Languedoc, and les Coteaux de Gascoane, as well as research institutes, are pleased to welcome you and to share the experience by sharing their heritage, their expertise and their projects.

Dear colleagues and friends around the world! Welcome to our beautiful city of Montpellier, at the heart of Languedoc and Mediterranean region. We are looking forward to seeing you and we hope that your stay will be a little longer.



# Innovate to improve irrigation performance

11-16 oct. 2015 France Corum - Montpellier

An International Event under the auspices of the International Commission of Irrigation and Drainage

Organised by the French Association for Water, Irrigation and Drainage

- 26th ICID Euro Mediterranean regional Conference
  - ✓ 66<sup>th</sup> ICID International **Executive Council** 
    - Exhibition
    - Technical Visits
    - ✓ Side Events





























# International Event joining together a wide community of irrigatoin experts: researchers, private companies, decision-makers, funders...



## ICID Working Groups

Twenty thematic meetings to encourage exchanges between international experts.

## Scientific Conference

#### > 3 themes:

Drip irrigation for water saving: the winning formula? What potential for wastewater use in agriculture? What governance for groundwater use in agriculture?

- > Presentation and discussion on thirty research papers.
- > Twenty poster presentations introduced by their authors.
- > A selection of the best papers published in Irrigation  $\vartheta$  Drainage Journal.

### Side Events

Round table discussions and workshops on the initiative of the organisations involved in the Event.

# Programme for accompanying persons

Daily local cultural tours will be proposed to discover Montpellier and the region.

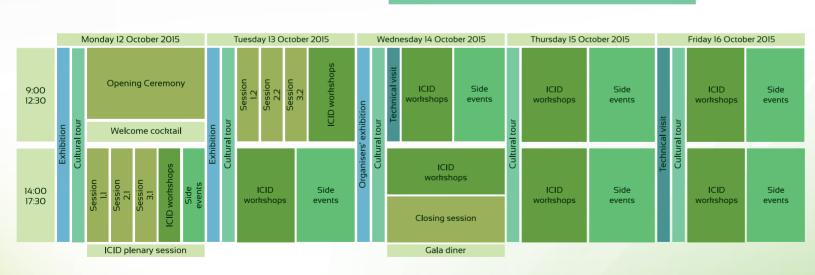
#### Technical Visits

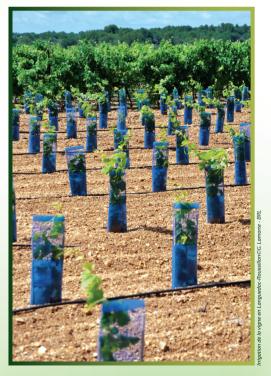
Half-day and full-day visits will highlight the richness of hydraulic and agricultural heritage of the region and its ability to adaptation and innovation.

#### Exhibition

An exhibition of  $240 \text{ m}^2$  will give you an excellent opportunity to discover products and experiences of companies working in the irrigation sector.

The available exhibition space will host participants during the event breaks. Highly visible and accessible, it is a perfect place for business meetings.





A unique opportunity to share and to value your works, your projects and your expertise