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Webinar ResiRiver "Rhine-Rhone" October 6th, 2025, from 10am to 1pm (UTC+2, Paris)

"A comparison of restoration approaches for large river systems in North West Europe, the Rhine and the Rhône"

On Monday, October 6, 2025, GRAIE and OHM Vallée du Rhône are organizing a webinar as part of the [ResiRiver project](#). River management experts from France (CNR, EDF) and the Netherlands (Rijkswaterstaat) will present the restoration programs that have been carried out on these rivers for more than 20 years. They will share their feedback and reflect on their practices and the monitoring of restoration. Each presentation will be followed by a discussion with participants.

The webinar will end with a panel discussion aimed at identifying topics where cross-border collaboration between the Rhine and Rhône rivers could be beneficial. The discussion will focus on what could be shared from a technical or scientific perspective: methods, engineering, project management, results, etc.

This webinar will be translated live into French/English.

PROGRAM

10h00 – Introduction by Isabelle Costaz and Bertrand Morandi - Graie

Presentation of the ResiRiver project and webinar as part of a European sharing initiative

10h15 – Feedback on the restoration of the Old Rhine between Kembs and Brisach by Agnès Barillier - EDF, Savoie Technolac Hydraulic Engineering Center

10h50 – Nature based Solutions in the Dutch Rhine system: Using extreme events to change the policy by Ralph Schielen, Rijkswaterstaat

11h25 – Break

11h35 – French Rhône river ecological restoration program by Christophe Moiroud - Compagnie Nationale du Rhône (CNR)

12h10 – Panel discussion with Agnès Barillier (EDF), Christophe Moiroud (CNR), Ralph Schielen (RWS), Fanny Arnaud (CNRS), Martin Pusch (IGB).