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## Simpósio Water-Energy Strategy

Casa Cordovil, Universidade de Évora, Évora

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Evento presencial



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Gathering the experience of three non-Widening (TOP) partners presenting some of the most outstanding background and Research Infrastructure (RI), at European level, in the development of Solar-driven water production and wastewater treatment technologies (WP&WT), together with brine treatment processes for raw materials recovery and Zero Liquid Discharge (ZLD); Sol2H2O aims at supporting the Coordinator (WIDENING) partner in the development of establishment of high-level research in these fields.

Based on the outstanding WIDENING RI and background in Solar Energy technologies and on its preliminary experiences in the Water-Energy nexus field, Sol2H2O seeks the development and implementation of a common scientific strategy, with a strong focus on an enhanced capacity building of researchers, going beyond purely scientific capacities and strengthening their research management and administration skills.

By means of enhanced cooperation duly framed on a common research strategy aiming at further developing Solar-driven Water-Energy Nexus solutions, **Sol2H2O aims at creating a reference European facility for the development and testing of Circular Solar-driven Water Production & Treatment technologies and brine treatment processes.**

### SOL2H2O Water-Energy Strategy Symposium

A **National Symposium** aiming at the presentation and discussion of the potential role of Water-Energy technologies in the objectives of the **National Energy and Climate Plan**, as well as of the potential for **industrial development** and technology exports stemming from the application of the existing/developing Industrial capacity to the technological solutions sought in Sol2H2O.



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<b>09.00</b>	<b>Visita técnica</b> à Infraestrutura de Investigação da UÉvora	Autocarro
<b>12.00</b>	Apresentação do projeto Sol2H2O e do Nexo Água-Energia	Pedro Horta <i>Universidade de Évora</i>
<b>12.15</b>	Piloto Sol2H2O, competitividade e cadeias de valor	Frederico Felizardo <i>Universidade de Évora</i>
<b>12.45</b>	Almoço	
<b>14.00</b>	A nova Diretiva das Águas Residuais Urbanas (DARU) e os desafios para a área de jurisdição da APA/ARH Alentejo	Ana Rodrigues <i>Administração da Região Hidrográfica do Alentejo</i>
<b>14.20</b>	Desafios da transposição da nova Diretiva DARU e investimentos associados	Vera Eiró <i>Presidente da ERSAR</i>
<b>14.40</b>	A utilização da energia solar no tratamento de água	<i>A confirmar</i>
<b>15:00</b>	A dessalinização em Portugal: 45 anos de dessalinização na ilha do Porto Santo	Nuno Pereira <i>Diretor de Produção da Água e Resíduos da Madeira</i>
<b>15.20</b>	<i>Título a confirmar</i>	<i>Departamento de Hydraulics &amp; Water Resources Resilience (EDP)</i>
<b>15.40</b>	Coffee break	
<b>16.00</b>	<b>Mesa-redonda</b> Nexo Água-Energia: integração de energias renováveis na produção e tratamento de água	Manuela Morais <i>Universidade de Évora (Moderação)</i>  João Crespo <i>Universidade Nova de Lisboa</i>  Carina Arranja Secretária-Geral da FENAREG  Participação de todos os oradores e público presente
<b>17.30</b>	Fim	